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February 11, 2003

Mr. Runore C. Wycoff, Director
Environmental Restoration Division
Department of Energy, Nevada Operations Office
P.O. Box 89193-8518
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Re: Corrective Action Investigation Report and Risk Assessment
Rio Blanco Site
Rio Blanco County

Dear Mr. Wycoff:

The Colorado Department of Public Health and the Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division has reviewed the Draft Data Package for Rio Blanco Site Characterization, Corrective Action Investigation Report and the Risk Assessment for the above referenced site. The original Draft Data Set was received April 30, 2001. The Corrective Action Investigation Report and Risk Assessment were received November 13, 2002.

Based on the information that has been submitted, it appears that no further action is required to assure that this property, when used for the purposes identified in the Risk Assessment, is protective of existing and proposed uses and does not pose an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment.

Please be aware that we cannot release you from any liabilities that may be associated with the contamination that remains at the site. If further contamination is encountered, additional characterization and/or remediation may be required

Your cooperation in dealing properly with this site is appreciated. Should you have any questions concerning this letter, feel free to contact me at 970-248-7168.

Sincerely,

Donna Stoner, Environmental Protection Specialist
Solid Waste Unit
Compliance Program

cc: Mr. Bill R. Wilborn, DOE Nevada
SW RBL DOE 4.5

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