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Re: Review of Updated Application for Initial Part 71 Operating Permit for Bonanza Power Plant

Dear Mr. Thatcher:

On April 5, 2012, at our request, you submitted an updated application for an initial Part 71 Title V Permit to Operate for the Bonanza power plant. We have been reviewing that application and have been preparing a new draft of the permit for public comment. As you know, we received a comment letter on September 19, 2002, from the National Park Service (NPS) on the draft Part 71 permit, expressing concern about the "ruggedized rotor" project of June of 2000.

We have reviewed information on the ruggedized rotor project and associated emissions that Deseret Power sent us in September of 2005 and May of 2008 in response to our request. However, we may need more information in order to fully address the comment from NPS and wish to arrange a meeting with you, either in person or by phone, to discuss this matter. Earlier this year, Mike Owens of my staff contacted you by phone to arrange for this discussion, but we have not heard back from you. Please contact me at 303-312-6416 so that we may make appropriate arrangements for this meeting. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Carl Daly, Director
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