September 4, 1985

Mr. Wilmer Parrish
Route 2
Roosevelt, Utah 84066

Dear Mr. Parrish:

It has come to our attention that your new headgate and measuring device have been installed as ordered by the state engineer, in conformance with Statute 73-5-4 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953.

There appears to be some difficulty, however, in completely shutting all the water flow off at your headgate. It is critical that the headgate have the capability to restrict all flow through and around the device. This can be done by tamping the surrounding ground areas and adding a low permeable soil to cut off flow or by adding a concrete base and side walls to restrict flow around the headgate. Other options may be used to stop the flow but to fully comply with the state engineer's order, the flow must be stopped.

You are allowed an extenstion of time within which to do this, but the work must be completed by Septebmer 23, 1985, or the state engineer will have to take the appropriate actions to rectify the situation.

If you have any questions, please contact Blake Wahlen of our Vernal Office.

Very truly yours,

Kent L. Jones, P. E.
Distribution Engineer

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cc: Blake Wahlen, Assistant Area Engineer
Vernal Area Office

Mrs. Charmin Justice, River Commissioner
Deep Creek Distribution System

Mr. Robert L. Morgan, P. E.
State Engineer