UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

Mr. J. W. Townsend
Alternate Acting Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse Building
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4852 (Uranium)
COG Minerals Corporation
Cove Group
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Townsend:

Enclosed are three copies of a self-explanatory letter, dated May 19, 1958, by Mr. Ross V. Seeton, Jr., General Manager of COG Minerals Corporation. Also enclosed are copies of the Uranium King Corporation's letter, dated May 10, the aerial photo and logs mentioned in Mr. Seeton's letter, and copies of memoranda, dated June 3 and 10, 1958, by N. E. Nelson, USGS, and James Paone, USBM, respectively, relating to Mr. Seeton's request.

Please review this material and submit your recommendations with regard to Mr. Seeton's request. Kindly return the photo and logs to this office as only one copy of each was submitted.

Sincerely yours,

George C. Selfridge

Chairman, Operating Committee

Enclosures

APPROVED:

Frank D. Lamb

Member, Bureau of Mines

Thor H. Kiilsgaard

Member, Geological Survey

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cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
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Mr. Kiilsgaard, Room 5224

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OFFICE OF MINERALS EXPLORATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Mr. J. H. Mason, Vice President
CGS Minerals Corporation
Denver Club Building
Denver, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMRA-4852 (Uranium)
Cove Group
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Mason:

Enclosed is a copy of the regulations for obtaining Federal assistance in financing mineral exploration under which the new Office of Minerals Exploration will operate.

If you wish that your partly-processed DMRA application be considered under the OME regulations, please complete and return four of the copies of the attached application, MME Form 46.

Your attention is called especially to the certification which when signed declares that you would not ordinarily undertake the proposed exploration under current conditions and circumstances at your sole expense, and to Item 1(h) - and 1(e) if applicable - which relates to information used to determine your financial eligibility under the new exploration program. Information that is included in your DMRA application need not be repeated in the OME application, but you can add new information, e.g., results, if available, of recent mining or drilling on the Ute Channel, nearby or on your property, which might indicate that the channel extends into the proposed project area.

Also enclosed are five sets (six copies each) of the Lien and Subordination Agreements, MME Form 52, referred to in Item 2(c) of the application. The following should each sign a set:

For the Cove 21-24 and Cove 37-44 claims:

1. Milton C. Nielson, E. J. Hall, Kenneth Bailey, Jr., Allen E. Mecham, Bernhard Black, Hans J. Nielson, Francis D. Nielson, Barbara Gertonis, and Eugene K. Stephen;

2. Uranium King Corporation; and

3. Taylor Uranium Corporation.

For the Gift 1, 2, and 3 claims:

4. Francis D. Nielsen and Joseph M. Hussman.

For the Bullseye 11 and 12 claims:

5. Bullseye Uranium Corporation.

Early submittal of five completed copies of each set of the forms will save time in case you apply for exploration assistance under the DME program and a contract is granted.

If you do not wish to participate in the DME program, we will appreciate being so informed.

Sincerely yours,

Frank E. Johnson

Acting Director

Enclosures

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Mr. Frank A. Seaton
Operations Manager
CON Minerals Corporation
Denver Club Building
Denver, Colorado

Re: Docket No. [illegible]-1852 (Reversion)
Gore Group
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Seaton:

In accordance with your letter of February 10, 1959, we are closing our records on the above-referenced application.

Sincerely yours,

Frank E. Johnson

Acting Director

FMMurphy/gla
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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

Mr. Ross V. Seeton, Jr., General Manager
COS Minerals Corporation
727 3rd Avenue
Grand Junction, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMEA-4852 (Uranium)
Cove Group
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Seeton:

This is to acknowledge your letter of May 19, 1958, wherein you request reconsideration of your application for exploration aid and enclose drill logs and an aerial photo in support of your request.

It is now probably impossible to process reconsideration of your application to completion, which will involve some correspondence with the Regional Field Team, before the expiration of the DMEA program as announced in a June 6 news release, copy enclosed. However, we shall do as much as time permits.

You will note from the press release that legislation has been introduced in the Congress to continue the DMEA type of program. If such legislation is enacted, upon written request, your application will be considered under the rules and regulations established for the new program.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

Enclosure

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cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
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DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)

June 3, 1958
Re: DMEA 4832
CGS Minerals Corp.
Cove Group
San Juan County, Utah
Appl. Est. $35,870 - Uranium

Memorandum

To: E. W. Ellis, Defense Minerals Exploration Administration

From: N. E. Nelson, U. S. Geological Survey

Subject: Review of applicant's request for reconsideration of the Letter of Denial

The applicant requests that the Letter of Denial of February 27, 1958, be reconsidered and submits supplementary information in support of the request.

The graphic presentation of the results of drilling in the DH 109 - DH 201 fence showing the progressive increase in depth of the possible Shinarump-Moenkopi channel is illuminating. However, the probing failed to show a corresponding increase in the eU$_3O_8$ content and does not encourage the proposed deeper drilling to the northwest of DH 201.

I am still curious as to the core hole 5785. If the information is reliable and encouraging, it would seem to be important. Perhaps the inferred channel lies in the 600-foot interval between DH 113 and DH 201.

If the information on 5785 is favorable, one or two holes near the CGS boundary, and near the road, would be warranted.

I recommend that information on drill hole 5785 be requested.

N. E. Nelson

cc: DMEA (3)
James Paone
C.I. Gardner
Director's reading
Branch reading
Chron. file
Docket file

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