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To: Administrative Management Division

Through: Director, Supply Division

From: Minor and Rare Metals Branch

Subject: Uranium Prospect
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Weston Bourret, Chief
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Approved:
Tom Lyon

Director, Supply Division

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348 South 3rd East Street
Salt Lake City, Utah

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Washington County, Utah
DMA docket 1772x

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Should we not receive the additional information requested herein, we will regard your application for a loan as withdrawn.

Yours very truly,

Weston Bourret

Weston Bourret, Chief
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348 South 3rd East St.
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AUG 10 1951

Mr. Urie Reames
348 South 3rd East Street
Salt Lake City, Utah

Re: Uranium Prospect
Washington County, Utah
DMA docket 1772x

Dear Mr. Reames:

Your letter of August 4, 1951, has been received.

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Weston Bourret, Chief
Minor and Rare Metals

Washington County, Utah 8-9-51

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348 South 3rd East Street
Salt Lake City, Utah
August 4, 1951

Defense Minerals Administration
Dept. of Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Subject: DMA-1772X
Re: Exploration Loan

Gentlemen:

I have made application to you for an exploration loan on my uranium property located three (3) miles north of Virgin City, Utah in T 41 5 R 12 W of S. L. B & M Utah.

In my letter of application I answered the questions on Form MF-103 as completely as possible. If there are additional, or incomplete questions I shall gladly do my best to complete them. If you will send me another MF-103 form and indicate the questions I need to answer, I will do so and return it immediately.

Very truly yours,

Urie Beames

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Gordon Bourret

UNITED STATES
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

AIR MAIL

July 10, 1951

Mr. Urie Beames
348 South 3rd East Street
Salt Lake City, Utah

Re: uranium prospect
Washington County, Utah
DMA docket 1772x

Dear Mr. Beames:

Your application for an exploration project in the sum of $15,000, DMA docket no. 1772x has been received by the Minor and Rare Metals Branch of the Supply Division.

Before we can consider your application further, more information is required. Detailed answers to all of the questions on form MF-103, together with maps, are necessary. Probably on separate type-written sheets of paper. For your guidance in this matter we enclose copies of Mineral Order 5 and press release of may 14, 1951. If you require further assistance or advice, we suggest you contact Mr. J. H. East, Jr., Executive Officer, Field Team IV, 224 New Customhouse Building, Denver 2, Colorado.

Your application will be held in abeyance pending receipt of information necessary to complete your file.

Yours very truly,

Weston Bourret MA

Weston Bourret, Chief
Minor and Rare Metals Branch

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UNITED STATES
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DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

July 5, 1951

Mr. Urie Beames
340 South 3rd East Street
Salt Lake City, Utah

Subject: DMA-1772X
Re: Exploration Loan

My dear Mr. Beames:

Receipt is acknowledged of your application and attachments of June 27, 1951 for an exploration loan under the Defense Production Act of 1950.

The application was assigned Docket Number DMA-1772X and referred to Mr. Weston G. Bourret, Chief, Minor and Rare Metals Branch on July 3, 1951.

In any future correspondence relating to your application, kindly refer to DMA-1772X.

Sincerely yours,

LANDON F. STROBEL

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Executive Secretary

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Form MF-103
(April 1951)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
DEFENSE MINERALS ADMINISTRATION

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Name and address of applicant

Date June 27, 1951

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Date of application June 27, 1951

Estimated cost $15,000.00

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Percentage of Government participation

Location of mine Washington County, Utah

Date of filing MF-100

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*1. Is applicant an individual, partnership, or corporation?
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THE PROPERTY

10. (*a*) Give a description of the real property that will be in any way involved in the exploration project, including any existing mine or operating property.
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State amount of power to be used, rate per hour or other cost, and source.

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June 27, 1951

U.S.Department of the Interior
Defense Minerals Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

In making application for aid for an exploration project I wish to present the following information:

I, as an individual, have six lode mining claims located for their Uranium value. These claims are part of the Morrison Formation as exposed directly North and West of the town of Virgin in Washington County, Utah.

This area which is a plateau of approximately five miles square is exposed along the south and west sides and shows a dip toward the northeast of approximately 3-degrees. Along the exposed south and west sides outcroppings indicate there is a bed of uranium-bearing ore ranging from five to ten feet in depth underlying the entire structure.

The ore which is of the yellow or carnotite type is being deposited by water seepage. At a point where seepage occurs sufficient deposit to fill a tobacco sackwas scraped from the face of the ledge. This material showed an assay of 1/10 of 1% uranium. These deposits, which are bright yellow in color are highly acid and there is a great deal of petrified wood littering the top of the mesa.

I have done no further exploration work, nor have I had a qualified engineer upon these locations. Water will need to be supplied and road work done. However, there is an old wood road built by the early pioneers which can be made passable with a moderate amount of work. Cedar City, Utah is the nearest point of rail shipment. Cedar City is 45 miles from my locations.

I have made a detailed study of conditions in the Eastern Utah and Colorado fields from where our present supply of uranium is obtained and I find conditions very much the same as at my locations. I have a moderate amount of experience in mining and I feel this location justifies further exploration. These claims are recorded at the Washington County court house at St. George, Utah under the name of The Urie Mines which is uranium recovery investment expansion. There are no loans, liens or other liabilities against this property.

In asking for this loan of $15,000.00 I would use it as follows: $5,000 for machinery; $5,000 for road work; $5,000 for exploration. I am prepared to contribute my share of this amount as of your schedule.

Yours very truly,

Urie Beames

348 South 3rd East Street
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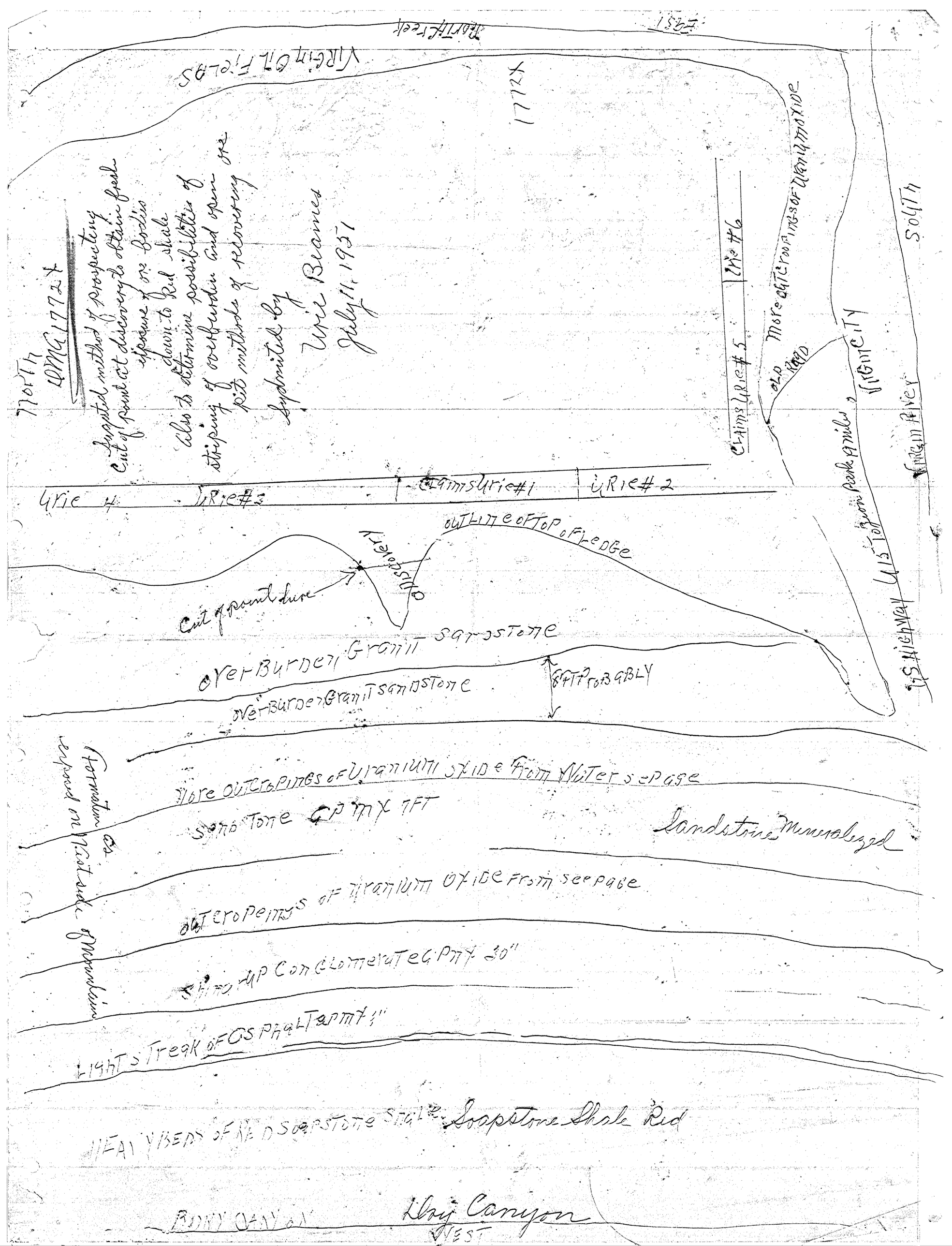
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