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

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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

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Mr. W. R. Young
Attorney in Fact
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3772 (Uranium)
Contract No. Ldm-2356
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Young:

Reference is made to your letter of February 13, 1956, to our Region III office, withdrawing the subject application. Accordingly, we are closing Docket No. DMEA-3772 on our records.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

Copy to: Thorald N. Jensen
Attorney at Law
Price, Utah

MChing/gla
2-29-56
cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
Operating Committee
Docket
Messrs. JECrawford, Rm. 3641
THKiilsgaard, Rm. 5224
JOHosted, Rm. 3210, GSA
Code 700, Mr. Ching
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)

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TO
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HARSH

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

February 23, 1956

Memorandum

To: Chairman, Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA 5772 (Uranium), Bears Ears Uranium Company, Blue Jay Claims, San Juan County, Utah, Proposed Exploration Project Contract Idm-E856

Supplementing material forwarded by our memorandum of February 17, 1956, we are enclosing the original and two copies of a letter, dated February 13, 1956, from W. A. Young, wherein he states that the former co-owners are no longer interested in pursuing the application for DMEA assistance.

W. M. Traver

Enclosures

JWT:prl
cc: Harshman
Shaw
Hasler
Townsend
Docket file
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} w/copy of Young's letter

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FEB 23 1956
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Blanding, Utah
February 13, 1956

Defense Minerals Exploration Administration
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Gentlemen:

Re: DMEA Docket 3772 (Uranium),
Proposed Exploration Contract
Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium
Company, Blue Jay claims,
San Juan County, Utah

If you have not already been notified, this is to notify you that the locators of the Blue Jay claims in San Juan County, Utah, no longer desire to pursue their application for a proposed exploration contract hereinabove identified.

Very truly yours,

[illegible]
Individually and as agent and attorney in fact for the locators of the Blue Jay claims hereinabove referred to.

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

February 17, 1956

Memorandum

To: Chairman, Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA 3772 (Uranium) Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blue Jay Claims, San Juan County, Utah
Proposed Exploration Project Contract Ida-8356

Enclosed are the original and two copies of letter dated February 14, 1956 from T. N. Jensen, which is in conjunction with matters discussed in the Administrator's letter of January 11, 1956 to Max K. Mangum, President, Oil Jato Uranium Company. Mr. Jensen states that the former co-owners no longer wish to pursue their application, Docket DMEA 3772, for Government assistance under the DMEA program.

Please advise us if and when the contract is rescinded so that we can clear our records.

W. M. Traver

W. M. Traver

WMT:bh

cc-Harshman w/copy Jensen's letter
Shaw " " "
Hasler " " "
Townsend
Docket DMEA 3772
Chron.

Berk

Reg III
Docket File

THERALD N. JENSEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
PRICE, UTAH

February 14, 1956

DMEA
Date Rec'd.
FEB 16 1956
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer DMEA
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Dear Mr. Traver: Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company (Blue Jay Claims), San Juan County, Utah.

It is my understanding that Mr. W. R. Young who is acting as agent and attorney in fact for the former co-owners of the Blue Jay claims had notified you that we no longer desire to pursue our application for an exploration contract. On the off-chance that you have not been notified that we do not desire to pursue this application, will you please accept this letter as such notification. I am one of the former co-owners of said property and I am also the attorney for the said co-owners.

Very truly ~~yours~~,

T. N. Jensen

TNJ/bk

cc: Mr. Max K. Mangum
Attorney at Law
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City, Utah

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

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JAN 13 1956
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Mr. Max K. Mangum, President
Oil Jate Uranium Company
307 Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

JAN 11 1956

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3772 (Uranium)
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Mangum:

On November 23, 1955, we wrote to Mr. W. R. Young, Attorney-in-Fact, Bears Ears Uranium Company, Blanding, Utah, reviewing our understanding of various developments in connection with the subject docket and requesting confirmation of such understanding. We also requested that the Bears Ears Uranium Company formally withdraw its application under Docket No. DMEA-3772 for aid in an exploration project.

To date we have had no reply from Mr. Young. Since the processing of your application, Docket No. DMEA-4120, cannot proceed until we receive the requested confirmation and formal withdrawal from the Bears Ears Uranium Company, it is suggested that you contact that company with a view of expediting a satisfactory reply to our letter of November 23.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

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cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
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Docket DMEA-4120
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Mr. Ching
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)

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UNITED STATES
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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Mr. W. R. Young
Attorney-in-Fact
Beers Bars Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

Re: Docket No. DMEA 3772 (Uranium)
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Young:

It is our understanding from recent correspondence with our Field Team that:

1. The Beers Bars Uranium Company partnership has sold the Blue Jay Claims to Calvin Black who, in turn, has conveyed these claims to the Oil Jate Uranium Company;

2. Because of the foregoing transactions the Beers Bars Uranium Company is no longer interested in entering into an exploration contract on these claims, with the Defense Minerals Exploration Administration;

3. Five copies of a proposed exploration contract between the Government and Beers Bars Uranium Company were forwarded to you for signature, but were not received by you, and are presumably lost.

Please confirm the correctness of our understanding on the above three points. It is also requested that the Beers Bars Uranium Company formally withdraw its application under Docket No. DMEA-3772 for aid in an exploration project. In the event the copies of the proposed contract are found, please return them to this office.

For your information we are advising Oil Jate Uranium Company to submit a new application on the Blue Jay Claims.

Sincerely yours,

Frank E. Johnson
ACTING Administrator

MChing/ism 11-21-55
cc to: Admr.'s Reading File
Operating Committee
Docket
Code 700
Mr. Ching
DMEA Field Team, Region III (2)

Messrs. JECrawford, Rm. 3641
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224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

November 10, 1955

Memorandum

To: Chairman, Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Project Contract Idm-2856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay claims), San Juan County, Utah

Enclosed are three sets of data comprised of the following material relative to the transfer of Proposed Exploration Project Contract Idm-2856 from Bears Ears Uranium Company to Ol Date Uranium Company:

1. Copy of correspondence relative to the loss of the original and four copies of the contract.

2. Copy of a letter from Max K. Mangum, President, Ol Date Uranium Company, dated October 3, 1955, requesting transfer of the contract.

3. Letter from Max K. Mangum, dated October 31, 1955, with attached photostatic copies of documents pertaining to the chain of title of the property involved in the proposed contract.

4. Letter from this office to Max K. Mangum, dated November 10, 1955, acknowledging receipt of the material under item 3.

Also enclosed is the "Operator's Copy" of the Proposed Exploration Project Contract Idm-2856.

As indicated in the material under item 1, the original and four copies of the contract were forwarded to the applicant for signature as requested in your letter of August 18, 1955, but they claim that the contract was not received and the copies have not been returned to this office.

The matter is forwarded for your consideration and appropriate action, or advice to us as to how we should proceed.

W. M. Trover

By J. W. Townsend
J. W. Townsend

Enclosures

JWT:prl
cc: Harshman
Wilson
Hasler
Townsend
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22d New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

November 10, 1955

Mr. Max K. Meagum
Oil Dome Uranium Company
c/o Rich, Elton and Meagum
Attorneys at Law
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

Re: Docket DMEA 3772 (Uranium),
Proposed Exploration Project
Contract Min-2896, Bears Ears
Uranium Company, (Kiss Jay
claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Meagum:

We received your letter of October 31, 1955, with attached four photostatic copies of documents pertaining to the present ownership of the Kiss Jay claims.

The matter of assignment of Proposed Exploration Project Contract Min-2896 from Bears Ears Uranium Company to Oil Dome Uranium Company has been referred to the Washington Office, DMEA, for their consideration as such matters are not within the authority delegated to this office.

The fact that the original and four copies of the Proposed Contract have not been returned to this office may complicate matters somewhat. Every effort should be made by you and Bears Ears Uranium Company to locate the missing copies of the Contract so that they can be returned to our Washington Office for use in conjunction with your request of October 3, 1955, for transfer of the contract.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

By J. W. Townsend
J. W. Townsend

JWT:prl
cc: Chairman, Operating Committee (3)
Harshman
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RICH, ELTON & MANGUM
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
UTAH OIL BUILDING
SALT LAKE CITY 1, UTAH
TELEPHONE 9-8666

H. ARNOLD RICH
LEONARD W. ELTON
MAX K. MANGUM

October 31, 1955

DMEA
Date Rec'd.
NOV 3 1955
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: 01 Jato Uranium Co.

Dear Mr. Traver:-

I am enclosing herewith four photostatted copies of our chain of title to the Blue Jay Claims. 01 Jato Uranium Company would appreciate your expediting the DMEA loan contract for execution by this company covering the above claims.

There are only one or two minor questions which we feel should be considered before our execution. First, we notice that the contract calls for completion of Stage One and Stage Two programs by December 15, 1955. This date would, of course, have to be extended primarily because of winter conditions. At this point we could not be certain of completing the program even if the contracts were already executed and we were on the ground working. Winter weather may well drive us off of Elk Ridge country any day now and keep us off until next spring.

The second question we would like to have some understanding on would be that we would not be required to drill all twelve holes on the first stage program. Supposing, for example, that we were fortunate enough to locate the channel and block out the edges with a lesser number of drill holes. We believe we should be privileged to use the additional footage to continue on the second stage.

I am also returning the copy of the proposed contract for Bears Ears Uranium Company which you loaned me.

Sincerely,

Max K. Mangum

President, 01 Jato Uranium Co.

MKM:LB

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ARVILLA E. WARREN
RECORDER, SAN JUAN COUNTY
BY _____

MINERAL DEED

BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY, a partnership, of Monticello, Utah, GRANTOR, for Ten Dollars and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants, bargains, quit-claims and conveys unto CALVIN BLACK, of Blanding, Utah, GRANTEE, the following identified unpatented lode mining claims situated chiefly in Section 15, Township 36 South, Range 18 East of the Salt Lake Meridian, San Juan County, Utah, more particularly described in notices recorded in the Office of the Recorder of said County as indicated below:

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Blue Jay No. 12	63	292	93	101	219	366
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Blue Jay No. 15	63	293	93	103	219	368
Blue Jay No. 16	63	294	93	103	219	368
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Blue Jay No. 18	63	295	93	104	219	369
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Blue Jay No. 20	63	296	93	105	219	370
Blue Jay No. 26	193	343	93	108	219	373
Blue Jay No. 27	193	344				
Blue Jay No. 28	193	344				
Blue Jay No. 29	339	487				
Blue Jay No. 30	339	487				

WITNESS the hand of the grantor this 22nd day of August, 1955.

BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY

By [signature]
President

ATTEST:

[signature]
Secretary

STATE OF UTAH)
COUNTY OF) SS.

On this 22nd day of August, A.D. 1955, personally appeared

RICH, ELTON & MANGUM
UTAH OIL BUILDING
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

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before me W. R. Young, President and DeMar Perkins, Secretary, who being first duly sworn by me did say that they are the President and Secretary of Bears Ears Uranium Company, a partnership; that they signed the foregoing instrument on behalf of said partnership by authority of a resolution of the partners, and said persons duly acknowledged to me that the foregoing Mineral Deed is the deed of the partnership.

My Commission Expires: 6-30-58

Delores S. Stewart
Notary Public

Residing at Monticello, Utah

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ARVILLA E. WARREN
RECORDER, SAN JUAN COUNTY
BY _____

O-13056

MINERAL DEED

CALVIN BLACK, of Blanding, Utah, Grantor, for Ten Dollars and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants, bargains, quit-claims and conveys unto OL JATO URANIUM COMPANY, a corporation of Utah, GRANTEE, the following identified unpatented lode mining claims situated chiefly in Section 15, Township 36 South, Range 18 East of the Salt Lake Meridian, San Juan County, Utah, more particularly described in notices recorded in the Office of the Recorder of said County as indicated below:

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Blue Jay No. 11	63	291	93	101	219	366
Blue Jay No. 12	63	292	93	101	219	366
Blue Jay No. 13	63	292	93	102	219	367
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Blue Jay No. 27	193	344				
Blue Jay No. 28	193	344				
Blue Jay No. 29	339	487				
Blue Jay No. 30	339	487				

WITNESS the hand of the grantor this 8th day of August, 1955.

Calvin Black

STATE OF UTAH)
COUNTY OF SALT LAKE) SS.

On this 8th day of August, A.D. 1955, personally appeared before me Calvin Black, the signer of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Lena D. Bohn
Notary Public
Residing at Salt Lak e City, Utah

RICH, ELTON & MANGUM
UTAH OIL BUILDING
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

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Grantee, OL JATO URANIUM COMPANY, a coporation of Utah, accepts the within quit claimed BLUE JAY claims subject to the terms and conditions recited in that certain agreement dated the 15th day of July, 1955, by and between BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY, a partnership, and CALVAN BLACK, a copy of which agreement is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

OL JATO URANIUM COMPANY

By Max K. Mangum
Max K. Mangum, President

ATTEST:

Karl F. Dwyer
Secretary

STATE OF UTAH)
COUNTY OF) SS

A G R E E M E N T

THIS AGREEMENT dated the 15th day of July, 1955, by and between BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY, a partnership, the partners of which and the wives of said partners are CLYN P. YOUNG and NORMA YOUNG, husband and wife, DARROLL P. YOUNG and LEDA YOUNG, husband and wife, M. H. YOUNG and INA YOUNG, husband and wife, HAROLD YOUNG and Marjorie YOUNG, husband and wife, DeMAR PERKINS and HELEN PERKINS, husband and wife, DARYLE M. REDD and PEARL REDD, husband and wife, W. R. YOUNG and NETA YOUNG, husband and wife, CALVIN BLACK and Carolyn BLACK, husband and wife, THERALD N. JENSEN and BONNIE JENSEN, husband and wife, Sellers, and Calvin Black for CB XXXX

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2. The sale price for said claims is the sum of $1,000.00 for each claim, and in addition thereto Buyer shall pay to the Sellers 12.5 percent of the gross returns realized from the sale of all ores marketed from said claims. In reckoning said mill returns all costs of exploring for, extracting and transporting said ores to the point of market shall be borne by the Buyer. Any transportation allowances payable under the Atomic Energy Commission program as well as any development allowances shall belong to the Buyer and shall not be reckoned as a part of the said mill returns. Said 12.5 percent payment shall be reckoned, however, on any discovery or production bonuses payable under the said Atomic Energy Commission program. The payment of said $1,000.00 per claim shall be made upon the execution of this agreement, and the payment of the 12.5 percent of the net mill returns shall be made on the ~~XXXX~~ 25th day of each calendar month for all ores marketed in the preceding calendar month.

3. Concurrently with the payment of the said cash consideration of $1,000.00 per claim, Sellers agree to make, execute and deliver to Buyer a mineral quitclaim deed to the said mining claims.

4. Forthwith upon the execution of this agreement, Buyer agrees to enter upon said property and to commence drilling operations thereon, and to do or cause to be done such discovery and development work as may be necessary to properly determine the presence or absence of ore bodies upon said claims,

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and also such work as may be necessary to hold said claims in accordance with the assessment law requirements applicable thereto. Buyer shall seasonably post and file necessary assessment notice papers for the assessment year ending July 1, 1956, and July 1st of each year thereafter. If through prospecting of said mining property Buyer establishes the presence of an ore body which is of sufficient value to justify mining, he shall promptly thereafter begin the development of the said ore body and diligently pursue the mining thereof until the same is exhausted or until said property is reconveyed as hereinafter set forth. Buyer agrees to work and mine said property in a manner consistent with good and economic mining practices with due regard to the development and preservation of the same as mining property.

5. Buyer shall furnish Sellers with copies of any drill logs and maps made by him, and all drill holes put down by Buyer shall be plainly marked thereon for location and identification purposes. Also, Buyer shall, in a proper and reasonable manner, mark location on site of all drill holes and plug the same.

6. Buyer shall comply with all laws and regulations pertaining to the mining operations to be carried on hereunder, including the payment of all federal and state taxes and exactions levied or assessed on said mining property and in connection with the removal of ore therefrom, whether such taxes be property, occupation or other taxes; provided, that this shall not apply to any income taxes payable by Sellers on any ore mined and removed therefrom.

7. If a production tax or severance tax is levied or assessed against production from the property herein at any time during the term of this agreement, Buyer shall pay such

tax and shall withhold 12.5 percent of the same from Sellers' royalties herein as their proportionate share of said tax.

8. Buyer shall take out workmen's compensation insurance and maintain the same at all times hereunder, or comply at all times with the State regulations covering the carrying of self-insurance, if Buyer becomes a self-insurer under the laws of the State of Utah.

9. Buyer agrees to indemnify and hold Sellers harmless from any and all loss or damage, and from all claims for injury, death, loss or damage of any kind or character, and by whomsoever suffered, occasioned by or in connection with any work performed by Buyer, his agents or employees. Buyer further agrees to promptly pay all bills for labor and material incurred in Buyer's operations hereunder, and to indemnify and save Sellers harmless from all claims and liability of every kind and nature which may or might be incurred by reason of Buyer's operations hereunder. The parties shall never be considered partners generally, or in respect to any contractual or tort liability incurred hereunder.

10. Sellers or their duly designated agent, may at reasonable times enter upon said premises and descend into all mine workings for the purpose of inspecting the same at reasonable times without interference with mining operations. Sellers shall also have the right to enter upon the premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of probing any existing drill holes on said mining property.

11. Anything in this agreement to the contrary notwithstanding Buyer may, at any time, execute and deliver to Sellers or place of record in San Juan County, Utah, a reconveyance conveying his right, title and interest in said claims or any of them back to Sellers, and the execution and delivery or

recording of such reconveyance shall relieve Buyer of any duties, obligations and liabilities which he might otherwise thenceforth incur with respect to such reconveyed claims.

12. Any sum not paid when due by Buyer as herein provided shall bear interest at the rate of eight percent per annum.

13. Any notice or instrument to be given hereunder may be given by mailing the same by registered mail, postage prepaid; in the case of Sellers to be addressed as follows:

W. R. Young
Blanding, Utah

and in the case of Buyer to be addressed as follows:

Calvin Black
Box 269
Blanding, Utah

14. This agreement shall be fully assignable in whole or in part, and shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

Blyn R Young
Norma Young
Darrell R Young
Leda Young
M H Young
Mae Perkins
Helen Perkin
Ina Young
Harold Young
Marjorie Young
Pearl Redd
Joseph M. Redd
W. R. Young
Neta Young

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Calvin Black

Carolyn Black

SELLERS

Calvin Black

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San Juan County Recorder

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ARVILLA E. WARREN
RECORDER, SAN JUAN COUNTY
BY _____

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MINERAL DEED

CLYN P. YOUNG and NORMA YOUNG, husband and wife of Monticello, Utah, DARROLL P. YOUNG and LEDA YOUNG, husband and wife of Monticello, Utah, M. H. YOUNG and INA YOUNG, husband and wife of Moab, Utah, HAROLD YOUNG and Margaret YOUNG, husband and wife of Mack, Colorado, DeMAR PERKINS and HELEN PERKINS, husband and wife, of Monticello, Utah, DARYLE M. REDD and PEARL REDD, husband and wife of Monticello, Utah, W. R. YOUNG and NETA YOUNG, husband and wife of Blanding, Utah, CALVIN BLACK and Carolyn BLACK, husband and wife of Blanding, Utah, and THERALD N. JENSEN and BONNIE JENSEN, husband and wife, of Price, Utah, Grantors, for $10.00 and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby grant, bargain, quit claim and convey unto Calvin Black ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ of Blanding, Utah, grantee, the following identified unpatented lode mining claims situated chiefly in Section 15, Township 36 South, Range 18 East of the Salt Lake Meridian, San Juan County, Utah, more particularly described in notices recorded in the Office of the Recorder of said County as indicated below:

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WITNESS the hands of the grantors this 15th day of July, 1955.

Clyde R. Young
Norma Young
Darrell P. Young
Leda Young
M H Young
Ora Young
Howard Young
Marjorie Young
Lillian Perkins
Helen Perkins
Paul M. Redd
Pearl Redd
W. R. Young
Neta Young
Calvin Black
Carolyn Black
Theresa N. Jensen
Bonnie Jensen

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STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 21 day of July, 1955, CLYN P. YOUNG and NORMA YOUNG, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

F. Dennis Redd
Notary Public

My commission expires:
6-14-59

Residing at Monticello, Utah

STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 21st day of July, 1955, DARROLL P. YOUNG and LEDA YOUNG, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

F. Dennis Redd
Notary Public

My commission expires:
6-14-59

Residing at Monticello, Utah

STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF Grand)

Personally appeared before me this 23rd day of July, 1955, M. H. YOUNG and INA YOUNG, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Notary Public

My commission expires:
1/28/59

Residing at Moab, Utah

STATE OF Utah)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 22 day of July, 1955, HAROLD YOUNG and Marjorie YOUNG, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Notary Public

My commission expires:
Aug 4 1958

Residing at Price Utah

STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 21st day of July, 1955, DeMAR PERKINS and HELEN PERKINS, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

F. Benmon Redd
Notary Public

My commission expires:
6-14-59

Residing at Monticello, Utah

STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 21st day of July, 1955, DARKLE M. REDD and PEARL REDD, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

F. Benmon Redd
Notary Public

My commission expires:
6-14-59

Residing at Monticello, Utah

STATE OF Utah)
: ss.
COUNTY OF San Juan)

Personally appeared before me this 22nd day of July, 1955, W. R. YOUNG and NETA YOUNG, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

D. Jensen
Notary Public

My commission expires:
Aug 1, 1958

Residing at Blanding Utah

STATE OF _____)
: ss.
COUNTY OF _____)

Personally appeared before me this 10 day of August, 1955, CALVIN BLACK and Carolyn BLACK, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Fred Nixon
Notary Public

My commission expires:
NOTARY PUBLIC, NEW JERSEY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 20, 1960

Residing at Little Silver N.J.

STATE OF UTAH)
: ss.
COUNTY OF CARBON)

Personally appeared before me this 27 day of July, 1955, THERALD N. JENSEN and BONNIE JENSEN, husband and wife, two of the signers of the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

My commission expires:
Jan 14, 1958

Dan C. Keller
Notary Public
Residing at Price, Utah

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San Juan County Recorder

307 Utah Oil Bldg

October 3, 1955

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium),
Proposed Exploration
Contract Idm-E856,
Bears Ears Uranium Co.
(Blue Jay Claims)
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:-

01 Jato Uranium Company, a Utah corporation, recently purchased the Blue Jay Claims from the Bears Ears Uranium Co. 01 Jato is hereby applying for the DMEA contract which has previously been considered by your office in connection with these claims.

Would you therefore please forward the necessary papers for execution by 01 Jato Uranium Company in order to expedite consideration and approval of this DMEA application.

Sincerely,

President, 01 Jato Uranium Co.

Max K. Mangum

MKM:LB

Contents of the foregoing have been noted and are hereby approved.

Bears Ears Uranium Company

By

COPY

THERALD N. JENSEN
Attorney at Law
Price, Utah

September 29, 1955

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Dear Mr. Traver: Re: DMEA 5772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idn-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company (Blue Jay Claims), San Juan County, Utah.

Your letter of September 12, 1955, addressed to Mr. W. R. Young has been received. Mr. Young has made a search and apparently we have never received the copies of the proposed short form exploration contract. Will you please check this matter and let me hear from you. I am one of the partners of the Bears Ears Uranium Company.

Thank you.

Very truly yours

/s/ T. N. JENSEN

TNJ/bk

cc. Mr. Max K. Mangum
Attorney at Law
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1
Utah

COPY

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

AIR MAIL

September 12, 1955

Mr. W. R. Young
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

RE: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company (Blue Jay Claims), San Juan County, Utah.

Dear Mr. Young:

On August 23, 1955, we transmitted to you for execution the Government, Division, Docket, Finance Office, and Field Team copies of the captioned proposed short form exploration contract, prepared in Washington and signed by the Administrator, pursuant to your application.

As of today, the executed copies of the contract have not been returned. Please expedite their return, properly signed; or, if you find the contract unsatisfactory to you or you are no longer interested, return them unsigned with your comments, in order that we may return them to the Washington Office for cancellation.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver,
Executive Officer,
DMEA Field Team, Region III

COPY

224 New Customhouse
Denver, Colorado

August 23, 1955

Mr. W. R. Young
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay Claims) San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Young:

Enclosed are the Government, Division, Docket, Finance Office and Field Team copies of Proposed Exploration Contract No. Idm-E856 prepared in Washington and signed by the Administrator, DMEA, pursuant to your application.

If you find the contract satisfactory in every respect, all copies are to be signed by you as Attorney in Fact and returned to this office.

Upon receipt of the five copies properly executed the "Operator's Copy" will be forwarded to you together with instructions relative to reporting work performed under the contract. You are cautioned not to start operations, irrespective of the date of the contract, until you receive your copy of the contract and the instructions.

When you return the five copies of the contract, please advise the approximate date on or before which you will be able to start work in order that we may insert it under Article 3 of all copies of the contract.

WMT:dja
cc: Marshman
Shaw (2)
Townsend
Corresp. E856
Chron

Enclosures

Very truly yours,

/s/ W. M. Traver

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

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W M TRAVER EXECUTIVE OFFCR

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REURMEMS NOVEMBER 10 AND 15 BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY DOCKET 3772 NECESSARY OL JATO URANIUM COMPANY SUBMIT NEW APPLICATION, WITH TIE-IN TO OLD DOCKET BY REFERENCE, AND INCLUDING SAME PROPERTY AND OTHER INFORMATION CONSISTENT WITH CONTRACT AS DRAWN TO ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY DELAY. NEW DOCKET NUMBER WILL BE ASSIGNED. REQUIRE NEW COMPLETION DATE TAKING ACCOUNT WINTER CONDITIONS AND SUBORDINATION AGREEMENTS FROM ALL PARTNERS AND WIVES BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY. WE WILL REQUEST LATTERL WITHDRAW OLD APPLICATION.

GEORGE C SELFRIDGE CHAIRMAN OPERATING COMMITTEE DMEA

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OHS 405P

November 28, 1955

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Mr. Max K. Mangum, President
Gl Jabo Uranium Company
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

Re: Docket DMRA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Project Contract Idm-E 856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Mangum:

We have been advised by the Washington DMRA office that it will be necessary for Gl Jabo Uranium Company to submit a new application with a tie-in to the old docket number (DMRA 3772) by reference. Enclosed are five copies of Form MF-103, the application, and you should submit this application in quadruplicate, keeping one copy for your file. Include the same property and other information consistent with the contract, copy of which is enclosed, prepared for Bears Ears Uranium Company to eliminate unnecessary delay. A new docket number will be assigned. Also please include a new starting and completion date taking into account winter conditions.

The Washington DMRA office will request the withdrawal of the old application from the Bears Ears Uranium Company. Subordination Agreements will probably be required and these agreements will be prepared in this office and forwarded to you for the proper signatures.

Please return the copy of the enclosed contract to this office.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMRA
Field Team, Region III

By J. W. Townsend

Enclosures

BMC:ab

cc: Sec. Op. Comm. (2)
Townsend
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Docket 3772
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STANDARD FORM No. 14
APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT
MARCH 10, 1926

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BUREAU OF MINES Denver, Colorado

W. M. TRAVER, EXECUTIVE OFFICER
DMEA FIELD TEAM, REGION III
224 NEW CUSTOMHOUSE BUILDING
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REURMEMS NOVEMBER 10 AND 15 BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY DOCKET 3772 NECESSARY OL JATO URANIUM COMPANY SUBMIT NEW APPLICATION, WITH TIE-IN TO OLD DOCKET BY REFERENCE, AND INCLUDING SAME PROPERTY AND OTHER INFORMATION CONSISTENT WITH CONTRACT AS DRAWN TO ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY DELAY. NEW DOCKET NUMBER WILL BE ASSIGNED. REQUIRE NEW COMPLETION DATE TAKING ACCOUNT WINTER CONDITIONS, AND SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT FROM ALL PARTNERS AND WIVES BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY. WE WILL REQUEST LATTER WITHDRAW OLD APPLICATION.

George C. Selfridge

GEORGE C. SELFRIDGE,
CHAIRMAN, OPERATING COMMITTEE

CONFIRMATION COPY

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

November 15, 1955

Memorandum

To: Chairman, Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Project Contract Ida-8956, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay claims), San Juan County, Utah

In conjunction with the matter discussed in our memorandum of November 10, 1955, we are enclosing the original and three copies of a letter dated November 14, 1955, from Max K. Mangum, President, Oil Juto Uranium Company.

W. M. Traver

By J. W. Townsend

Enclosures

JWT:prl
cc: Harshman
Wilson
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Docket 3772
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w/copy of Mangum's letter

RICH, ELION & MARGUM
Attorneys at Law
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

November 14, 1955

Mr. W. H. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket DMEA 57/2 (Uranium)
Proposed Exploration Project
Contract Idm-2[illegible]. Bears Ears
Uranium Company (Blue Jay
Claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

I sincerely hope that DMEA consideration of a loan to Oil Jato Uranium Company on the Blue Jay Claims can be expedited. Strictly speaking, we are not asking for an assignment of the Exploration Project Contract Idm-2[illegible], since there is no such contract in existence. At least, I have been advised up until now that Bears Ears Uranium Company has never executed the contract. We have for some time been using all of our best efforts to have the proposed original and four copies of the contract returned to your office. We have no information as to whether they were ever delivered to Mr. Young, and all of our efforts to locate them have been unsuccessful. If it would expedite it in any manner, we would prefer that you consider this to be an original application by Oil Jato Uranium Company for a loan on the Blue Jay Claims. If it could be handled in this manner there would be no reason to hold us responsible for the failure of Bears Ears to locate the missing files and return same. If there are any further documents or papers which we should execute, please contact us as soon as possible.

We appreciate your help and cooperation in this matter and trust that a loan contract can be sent out for our execution in the near future.

Sincerely,

/s/ Max R. Margum
President, Oil Jato Uranium Co.

MRM:LB

RICH, [illegible] & HAMILTON
Attorneys at Law
Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

November 14, 19[illegible]

Mr. W. A. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket DMEA 3732 (Uranium)
Proposed Exploration Project
Contract 1dm-B3[illegible], Bears Ears
Uranium Company (Blue Jay
Claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

I sincerely hope that DMEA consideration of a loan to Ol Jato Uranium Company on the Blue Jay Claims can be expedited. Strictly speaking, we are not asking for an assignment of the Exploration Project Contract 1dm-B3[illegible], since there is no such contract in existence. At least, I have been advised up until now that Bears Ears Uranium Company has never executed the contract. We have for some time been using all of our best efforts to have the proposed original and four copies of the contract returned to your office. We have no information as to whether they were ever delivered to Mr. Young, and all of our efforts to locate them have been unsuccessful. If it would expedite it in any manner, we would prefer that you consider this to be an original application by Ol Jato Uranium Company for a loan on the Blue Jay Claims. If it could be handled in this manner there would be no reason to hold us responsible for the failure of Bears Ears to locate the missing files and return same. If there are any further documents or papers which we should execute, please contact us as soon as possible.

We appreciate your help and cooperation in this matter and trust that a loan contract can be sent out for our execution in the near future.

Sincerely,

/s/ Max R. Sangree
President, Ol Jato Uranium Co.

MRS:LB

[illegible], [illegible] & [illegible]
Attorneys at Law
[illegible] Oil Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

November 24, 195[illegible]

Mr. W. S. Traver
Executive Officer, DMA
Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket No. [illegible]72 (Uranium)
Proposed Exploration Project
Contract [illegible], Bears Ears
Uranium Company (Blue Jay
Claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

I sincerely hope that your consideration of a loan to Q Jaco Uranium Company on the Blue Jay Claims can be expedited. Strictly speaking, we are not asking for an assignment of the Exploration Project Contract [illegible], since there is no such contract in existence. At least, I have been advised up until now that Bears Ears Uranium Company has never executed the contract. We have for some time been using all of our best efforts to have the proposed original and four copies of the contract returned to your office. We have no information as to whether they were ever delivered to Mr. Young, and all of our efforts to locate them have been unsuccessful. If it would expedite it in any manner, we would prefer that you consider this to be an original application by Q Jaco Uranium Company for a loan on the Blue Jay Claims. If it could be handled in this manner there would be no reason to hold us responsible for the failure of Bears Ears to locate the missing files and return same. If there are any further documents or papers which we should execute, please contact us as soon as possible.

We appreciate your help and cooperation in this matter and trust that a loan contract can be sent out for our execution in the near future.

Sincerely,

/s/ Max N. Sangren
President, Q Jaco Uranium Co.

QJ:LB

October 20, 1955

22A New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Mr. Theorald N. Jensen
Attorney at Law
Price, Utah

Re: DMEA Docket 3772 (Uranium),
Proposed Exploration Contract
Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium
Company, Blue Jay claims,
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Jensen:

Your letter of October 3, 1955 stated you are sending tracers on the proposed contract which was forwarded to Mr. W. R. Young for signature August 23, 1955.

Will you please advise this office by return mail the results of your findings.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

HMC:ab
cc: W. R. Young
Harshman
Shaw (2)
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Corresp. E856
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307 Utah Oil Bldg

October 3, 1955

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium),
Proposed Exploration
Contract Idm-E856,
Bears Ears Uranium Co.
(Blue Jay Claims)
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:-

01 Jato Uranium Company, a Utah corporation, recently purchased the Blue Jay Claims from the Bears Ears Uranium Co. 01 Jato is hereby applying for the DMEA contract which has previously been considered by your office in connection with these claims.

Would you therefore please forward the necessary papers for execution by 01 Jato Uranium Company in order to expedite consideration and approval of this DMEA application.

Sincerely,

President, 01 Jato Uranium Co.

MKM:LB

Max K. Mangum

Contents of the foregoing have been noted and are hereby approved.

Bears Ears Uranium Company

Docket 3772

By

THERALD N. JENSEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
PRICE, UTAH

October 3, 1955

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Date Rec'd.
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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Docket #3772

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W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Dear Mr. Traver:

I have your letter of September 30. We are sending out tracers on the letter which you sent out on August 23. I assume you sent this to W. R. Young at Blanding and if that is the case, there is, of course, no street number necessary.

If upon another search, we are unable to find the papers I will immediately notify you and if we do locate them, they will be executed and returned.

Very truly yours,

T. N. Jensen

TNJ/bk

Copy made for Townsend Hmc 10-6-55

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

October 21, 1955

Mr. M. K. Mangum
307 Utah Oil Building
Salt Lake City, Utah

Re: DMEA-3772 (Uranium), Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay Claims) San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Mangum:

Enclosed please find your file copy of the letter pertaining to the captioned contract prepared by you for Mr. Therald N. Jensen's signature as representative of Bears Ears Uranium Company. A photostat copy of the letter has been made for our files.

It will be appreciated if you will return the copy of Contract Idm-E856 which I loaned you as soon as it has served its purpose.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

Enclosures
WMT:jy
cc: Docket 3772
Townsend
Chron.

224 New Customhouse
Denver, Colorado

August 23, 1955

Mr. W. R. Young
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-2856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay Claims) San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Young:

Enclosed are the Government, Division, Docket, Finance Office and Field Team copies of Proposed Exploration Contract No. Idm-2856 prepared inWashington and signed by the Administrator, DMEA, pursuant to your application.

If you find the contract satisfactory in every respect, all copies are to be signed by you as Attorney in Fact and returned to this office.

Upon receipt of the five copies properly executed the "Operator's Copy" will be forwarded to you together with instructions relative to reporting work performed under the contract. You are cautioned not to start operations, irrespective of the date of the contract, until you receive your copy of the contract and the instructions.

When you return the five copies of the contract, please advise the approximate date on or before which you will be able to start work in order that we may insert it under Article 3 of all copies of the contract.

WMT:dja
cc: Earshman
Shaw (2)
Townsend
Corresp. 2856
Chron

Enclosures

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

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

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Date Rec'd.
AUG 22 1955
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

AUG 18 1955

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse Building
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3772 (Uranium)
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

Enclosed are the original and five copies of a proposed short-form contract between the Government and the subject Operator, signed by the Administrator.

If you find the contract in order, it is ready for forwarding to the Operator for signature, subject to the insertion of a suitable final starting date under Article 3.

The contract was drawn on the short form since the proposed unit costs are quite reasonable.

Sincerely yours,

George C. Selfridge
Chairman, Operating Committee

Enclosures

APPROVED:

Robert W. Leehom
Member, Bureau of Mines

Thor H. Kiilsgaard
Member, Geological Survey

September 30, 1955

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Mr. Therald N. Jensen
Attorney At Law
Price, Utah

Re: Docket DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay Claims), San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Jensen:

The statement in your letter of September 29, 1955 that you have not received the copies of the Proposed Exploration Contract worries us.

On August 23, 1955 we forwarded to Mr. W. R. Young, Bears Ears Uranium Company, Blanding, Utah the Government, Division, Docket, Finance Office, and Field Team copies of the Proposed Exploration Contract Number Idm-E856 prepared in Washington and signed by the Administrator, DMEA.

Will you please make a thorough search for the missing copies of this contract and advise this office promptly of your findings. Please also make inquiry at the Post Office since we had no street address.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

HMC:ab
cc: Docket-Corresp. E856
Chron.

THERALD N. JENSEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
PRICE, UTAH

September 29, 1955

DMEA
Date Rec'd.
SEP 30 1955
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Dear Mr. Traver: Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed Exploration Contract Idm-E856, Bears Ears Uranium Company (Blue Jay Claims), San Juan County, Utah.

Your letter of September 12, 1955, addressed to Mr. W. R. Young has been received. Mr. Young has made a search and apparently we have never received the copies of the proposed short form exploration contract. Will you please check this matter and let me hear from you. I am one of the partners of the Bears Ears Uranium Company.

Thank you.

Very truly yours

T N Jensen

TNJ/bk

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

AIR MAIL

September 12, 1955

Mr. W. R. Young
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blanding, Utah

Re: DMEA 3772 (Uranium), Proposed
Exploration Contract I4m-E856,
Bears Ears Uranium Company
(Kline Jay Claims), San Juan County,
Utah.

Dear Mr. Young:

On August 23, 1955, we transmitted to you for execution the Government, Division, Docket, Finance Office, and Field Team copies of the captioned proposed short form exploration contract, prepared in Washington and signed by the Administrator, pursuant to your application.

As of today, the executed copies of the contract have not been returned. Please expedite their return, properly signed; or, if you find the contract unsatisfactory to you or you are no longer interested, return them unsigned with your comments, in order that we may return them to the Washington Office for cancellation.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver,
Executive Officer,
DMEA Field Team, Region III

WMT:prl

cc: Harshman
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DMEA
Date Rec'd.
JUL 13 1955
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF MINES

Building 20, Room 137
Denver Federal Center
Denver 2, Colorado
July 8, 1955

Region III

Memorandum

To: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

From: John F. Shaw

Subject: DMEA 3772, (Uranium) Blue Jay Claims, Bears Ears Uranium Company, San Juan County, Utah

Enclosed is the brochure covering docket DMEA 3772.

John F. Shaw
Supervising Mining Engineer

Enclosure

cc DMEA 3772
Chron

JFS/ph

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

Date Rec'd
MAY 1 1955
BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

MAY - 2 1955

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse Building
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3772 (Uranium)
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

The subject application is being referred to you for investigation, a field examination if warranted, and recommendation. We assume that a copy of the application was retained by your office.

Enclosed are two copies each of comments and recommendations by John E. Crawford and E. L. Newcomb of the Uranium Commodity Committee, dated April 18 and April 20, 1955, respectively.

Although Mr. Newcomb recommended that additional information be requested he agrees that the Applicant is not likely to supply any data that would be of significant help in evaluating this property. Consequently, an appraisal by the Field Team appears to be the most expeditious manner of handling this application.

Sincerely yours,

George C. Selfridge

Chairman, Operating Committee

Enclosures

APPROVED:

/s/ Robert W. Geehan

Member, Bureau of Mines

Thor H. Kiilsgaard

Member, Geological Survey

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Re: DMEA-3772
Bears Ears Uranium Co.
(Blue Jay Claims)
San Juan Co., Utah
$39,600 - Uranium

Memorandum

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

From: E. L. Newcomb, U. S. Geological Survey

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To: Ernest William Ellis, DMEA Member
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From: Bureau of Mines Member
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MF-103
(Revised April 195[illegible])

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DEFENSE MINERALS EXPLORATION ADMINISTRATION

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Budget Bureau No. 42-R1035.2.

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Denver, Colorado

APPLICATION FOR AID IN AN EXPLORATION PROJECT, PURSUANT TO DMEA ORDER 1, UNDER THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED

Not to be filled in by applicant

Docket No. 3777
Metal or Mineral U
Date Received
Estimated Cost $39,600.00
Participation (Government %)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. *Name of applicant.*—(*a*) State here your full legal name, in the form in which you will wish to contract, and your mailing address: Bears Ears Uranium Company, unincorporated
c/o W. R. Young
Blanding, Utah

(*b*) If other than an individual, add to your name above whether a corporation, partnership, etc., and the name of the State in which incorporated or otherwise organized.

(*c*) If a corporation, add to above statement, titles, names and addresses of officers.

(*d*) If a partnership, add to the above statement the names and addresses of all partners.

2. *General.*—Read DMEA Order 1, "Government Aid in Defense Exploration Projects," before completing this application. Submit this application and all accompanying papers in quadruplicate (four copies), with your name and address on each sheet of the application and on all accompanying papers. Where sufficient space is not provided on the form for all required information, state it on an accompanying paper, with a reference in each case to the instruction to which it refers by number. Comply with all applicable instructions; or, if not applicable, so state. File the application with Defense Minerals Exploration Administration, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C., or with the nearest field executive officer thereof.

3. *Applicant's property rights.*—(*a*) State the legal description of the land upon which you wish to explore, including all land which you possess or control that may be benefited by the exploration, and excluding any land or interest in land which is not to be included in the exploration project contract The 23 unpatented mining claims owned by this association are situated in Section 15, Township 36 South, Range 18 East, Salt Lake Meridian.

(*b*) State any mine name by which the property is known. Blue Jay Claims

(*c*) State your interest in the land, whether owner, lessee, purchaser under contract, or otherwise We are the owners by right of location and discovery of these claims. We have not purchased them from others.

(*d*) If you are not the owner, submit with this application a copy of the lease, contract, or other document under which you control the property.

(*e*) If you own the land, describe any liens or encumbrances on it none

(*f*) If the land consists of unpatented claims, add to the description above, the book and page numbers for each recorded location notice. See schedule attached.

4. *Physical description.*—(*a*) Describe in detail any mining or exploration operations which have been or now are being conducted upon the land, including existing mine workings and production facilities. State your interest, if any, in such operations. Also describe accessibility of mine workings for examination purposes.

(*b*) State past and current production, and ore reserves, if any, giving quantities and grades.

(*c*) Describe the geologic features of the property, including mineralization, type of deposit (vein, bedded, etc.), and your reasons for wishing to explore. Illustrate with maps or sketches. Send with your application (but not necessarily as a part of it) any geologic or engineering report, assay maps, or other technologic information you may have, indicating on each whether you require its return to you.

(*d*) State the facts with respect to the accessibility of the project: Access roads, distances to shipping, supply and residence points.

(*e*) State the availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, water, and power.

5. *The exploration project.*—(*a*) State the mineral or minerals for which you wish to explore ur[illegible] and associated minerals

(*b*) Describe fully the proposed work, including a map or sketch of the property showing a plan (and cross sections if needed) of any present mine workings, and the location of the proposed exploration work as related to such features as contacts, veins, ore-bearing beds, etc. see attached sheets

(*c*) The work will start within 60 days and be completed within 12 months from the date of an exploration project contract.

(*d*) State the operating experience and background of the applicant with relation to the ability to carry out such exploration project, and also that of the person or persons who will supervise the operations. see attached sheets

6. *Estimate of costs.*—Furnish a detailed estimate of the costs of the proposed work (you will have to use a separate sheet), under the following headings. Add the totals under all headings to give the estimated total cost of the project:

(*a*) *Independent contracts.*—(Note.—If the applicant does not intend to let any of the work to contractors, write "none" after this item. To the extent that the work is to be contracted, do not repeat the cost of the contract-work in subsequent items.) State the cost of any proposed independent contracts for the performance of all or any part of the work, expressed in terms of units of work (such as per foot of drilling, per foot of drifting, per hour of bulldozer operations, per cubic yard of material moved, etc.).

(*b*) *Labor, supervision, consultants.*—Include an itemized schedule of numbers, classes and rates of wages, salaries or fees for necessary labor, supervision and engineering and geological consultants.

(*c*) *Operating materials and supplies.*—Furnish an itemized list, including items of equipment costing less than $50 each, and power, water and fuel.

(*d*) *Operating equipment.*—Furnish an itemized list of any operating equipment to be rented, purchased, or which is owned and will be furnished by the Operator, with the estimated rental, purchase price, or suggested use-allowance based on present value, as the case may be.

(*e*) *Rehabilitation and repairs.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary initial rehabilitation or repairs of existing buildings, installations, fixtures, and movable operating equipment, now owned by the Operator and which will be devoted to the exploration project.

(*f*) *New buildings, improvements, installations.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of any necessary buildings, fixed improvements, or installations to be purchased, installed or constructed for the benefit of the exploration project.

(*g*) *Miscellaneous.*—Furnish a detailed list showing the cost of repairs to and maintenance of operating equipment (not including initial rehabilitation or repairs of the Operator's equipment), analytical work, accounting, workmen's compensation and employers' liability insurance, and payroll taxes.

(*h*) *Contingencies.*—Give an estimate of any necessary allowances for contingencies not included in the costs stated above.

NOTE.—No items of general overhead, corporate management, interest, taxes (other than payroll and sales taxes), or any other indirect costs, or work performed or costs incurred before the date of the contract, should be included in the estimate of costs.

7. (*a*) Are you prepared to furnish your share of the cost of the proposed project in accordance with the regulations on Government participation (Sec. 7, DMEA No. 1)? yes

(*b*) How do you propose to furnish your share of the costs?

[x] Money [x] Use of equipment owned by you [ ] Other

Explain in detail on acompanying paper.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, whether as an individual, corporate officer, partner, or otherwise, both in his own behalf and acting for the applicant, certifies that the information set forth in this form and accompanying papers is correct and complete, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Dated February 15, 1955

Bears Ears Uranium Company, unincorporated
(Applicant)

By E. R. Young
Attorney in Fact

Title 18, U. S. Code (Crimes), Section 1001, makes it a criminal offense to make a willfully false statement or representation to any department or agency of the United States as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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BEARS EARS URANIUM COMPANY
c/o W. R. Young
Blanding, Utah

1. (d). The names and addresses of the partners are: Clynn Young, Monticello, Utah; W. R. Young, Blanding, Utah; Daryle Young, Monticello, Utah; Mildruff Young, Moab, Utah; Harold Young, Mac Colorado; Daryle Redd, Monticello, Utah; DeMar Perkins, Monticello, Utah; Calvin Black, Price, Utah; Therald N. Jensen, Price, Utah.

3. (f).

	Original Location			Circular 7		Amended Location Public Law 585	
Claim		Book	Page	Book	Page	Book	Page
Blue Jay	1	63	286	93	96	219	361
"	2	63	287	93	96	219	361
"	3	63	287	93	97	219	362
"	4	63	288	93	97	219	362
"	5	63	288	93	98	219	363
"	6	63	389	93	98	219	363
"	7	63	289	93	99	219	364
"	8	63	289	93	99	219	364
"	9	63	290	93	100	219	365
"	10	63	291	93	100	219	365
"	11	63	291	93	101	219	366
"	12	63	292	93	101	219	366
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"	19	63	295	93	105	219	370
"	20	63	296	93	105	219	370
"	26	193	343	93	108	219	373
"	27	193	344	none			
"	28	193	344				

All reference to Book and Page are to the official records in the office of the County Recorder of San Juan County, Utah, at Monticello.

4. (a) During the month of December, 1954, applicant did bulldozer road work down to the shinarump rim (see road designated A on map submitted) and applicant stripped the contact for some 1500-2000 feet. (see the area designated B on map). The mine workings are accessible for examination purposes.

4. (b) We have not as yet produced any ore from these claims. We are unable to state the quantity of the ore reserves, but from our examination we believe there are substantial quantities of ore within the claims and that the same is of commercial grade.

4. (c) The claims are located on the shinarump rim between the Bears Ears and the Wooden Shoes on Elk Ridge some 40 miles west of Blanding, Utah. Preliminary work which has been completed has exposed some areas of radio-activity. There is one area especially which looks very favorable. There is indication of a definite channel and good mineralization. (See area C on map) Several small rocks picked up from this area were analyized and run 0.037 chemical. Our reasons for wishing to explore are to determine by continuing to strip the rim and extensive drilling, where our possible ore bodies lie. We wish to point out that drilling has been done on properties lying both to the east and west of our claims and that commercial ore has been discovered both immediately east and immediately west of our property.

4. (d) The property is accessable at all seasons of the year. By building about a mile of connecting road, we will be able to be within 50 miles from a shipping station. The property is about 40 miles from supply and residence points.

4. (e) Availability of manpower, materials, supplies, equipment, and water is good. Commercial power is unavailable.

5. (b) We have one exposed mineralized channel (see point C on map) and this channel appears to be running in a general northerly direction. We plan to drill four gates or six holes each spaced 50 feet apart on their axis and 200 feet apart north and south. (see gates designated as D, E, F, and G) We plan to construct drilling access roads to the drill sites and to strip the contact starting on Blue Jay claim no. 27 and running in a general westerly direction.

5. (d) Calvin Black, one of the co-owners will hereby supervise the exploration project. He has been actively exploring for and mining uranium for a number of years and has also conducted operations under a

DMEA project in connection with other claims. Darrel Young and Clynn Young are experienced machinist and they own and operate a mine machinery shop in Monticello, Utah, and they are expert in the operation and maintenance of all types of machinery. W. R. Young has also had extensive experience in constructing roads and in the operation of heavy equipment.

Estimate of Costs:

6. (a) We propose to construct the drilling at about $3.00 per foot and we estimate that we will drill 7200 feet. We propose to construct the bulldozer work by use of a TD-18 with about 750 hours of labor at $12.00 per hour in order to construct the drill roads and to do necessary stripping. We propose to construct a compressor with compressor drills and equipment for 750 hours at $2.00 per hour and a driller and powder man for 750 hours at $2.00 per hour.

6. (b) We propose to hire geologic and engineering services at a total of $2,000.00 and our supervisory accounting and sampling work will cost $4,000.00.

300' ave hole depth.
24) 7200
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1. Get details of program
2. Break down all costs.

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Denver, Colorado

POWER OF ATTORNEY

We, CLYNN YOUNG, DARREL YOUNG, MILDRUFF YOUNG, HAROLD YOUNG, DARYLE REDD, DeMAR PERKINS, CALVIN BLACK and THERALD N. JENSEN, who together with W. R. YOUNG are the sole members of Bears Ears Uranium Company, an unincorporated association, do hereby name constitute and appoint said W. R. Young of Blanding, Utah, their agent and attorney in fact to prepare and file with the Defense Minerals Exporation Administration, United States Department of the Interior, Application on form MF-103 with all supporting papers, and we hereby designate the said W. R. Young to represent our association in connection with said application and all matters pertaining thereto.

WITNESS our hands this 14th day of February, 1955.

Clyn R. Young
Darrell Young
DeMar Perkins
Harold Young
Daryle M. Redd
Calvin Black
W. R. Young
Therald N. Jensen
M. H. Young

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

June 2, 1955

Memorandum

To: Chairman of the Operating Committee, DMEA

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA-3772 (Uranium), Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay claims), San Juan County, Utah

Enclosed for your records are three copies of a letter from the Applicant dated May 29, 1955 which constitutes an amendment to the subject application.

A copy of the amendment to the application has been retained in our files, and copies forwarded to field personnel concerned.

W. M. Traver

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Enclosures

JWT:sr

cc Subject
Chron
Shaw (copy of letter supplied by applicant)
Williams w/copy of letter from applicant
Harshman w/copy of letter from applicant

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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Monticello, Utah
May 29, 1955

Mr. W. M. Travers
Executive Officer DMEA Field Team
Region 111

Re: Application for DMEA
LOAN #3772
Bears Ears Uranium Co.
Blanding, Utah

Dear Mr. Travers:

On May 18, 1955 I accompanied Mr. C. M. Harrer and Mr. Bill Williams (field team) to inspect the claims represented in our application for DMEA assistance. Through our conference in the field, we have concluded that the following amendments to our application be made.

A two state program will be carried out.
1-Core drill 12 holes approx. 200' deep to the Moenkope. Plug the first 25' of the first hole and core the balance of the remaining 175'.

The amount of coring and plugging in the balance of the 11 holes will be determined by the findings in the first hole drilled.

The holes will be spotted in two rows of six holes 150' apart east and west and 200' northhand south.

The cost will be determined from bids submitted by drilling companies contacted.

2- Rent a bulldozer to build access roads and level drill sights.

$600.00 50 hours of dozer work at 12 dollars per hour
75.00 moving dozer on and off property.

3- Hire a geologist for 30 days.
$500.00
4- 500.00 Hire a supervisor for 30 days
5- 60.00 One sample from hole asseyed for U308 and CaCo3
6- 40. Rent pickup truck for 30 days
70.00 travel expense for one vehicle
7- 175.00 Rent a Babbel counter and probe for 30 days
State one shall be completed in 30 days.

Stage two:
Identical to state one except add 13 more samples than in stage one.
Stage two shall be completed in 30 days after beginning.

Yours very truly,

Bears Ears Uranium Co.

Clyde P. Young
Clyde Young

CC: Mr. J. T. Shaw

22d New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

May 9, 1955

Memorandum

To: J. F. Shaw (w/brochure)
W. P. Williams

From: Field Team, Region III

Subject: Docket DMEA-3772 (Uranium), Bears Ears Uranium Company, (Blue Jay claims), San Juan County, Utah

Enclosed are copies of the subject loan application for $39,600.00, its transmittal by the Chairman of the Operating Committee and memoranda to E. W. Ellis from J. E. Crawford, USBM, and E. L. Newcomb, USGS, members of the Uranium Commodity Committee.

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1. Form MF-103 with supplemental data sheets.

2. Power of attorney, appointing W. R. Young of Blanding, Utah to represent the association.

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The applicant has failed to present substantiating data to indicate favorable mineralization on the Blue Jay claims or trends into the claims. However, an analysis of the merits of the application can best be made by field examination. After the field examination is completed, suitable covering reports are required. The usual check with the Grand Junction office of the AEC should be made.

W. M. Traver

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E. N. Harshman

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Enclosures

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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

MAY - 2 1955

Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse Building
Denver 2, Colorado

Re: Docket No. DMEA-3772 (Uranium)
Bears Ears Uranium Company
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Traver:

The subject application is being referred to you for investigation, a field examination if warranted, and recommendation. We assume that a copy of the application was retained by your office.

Enclosed are two copies each of comments and recommendations by John E. Crawford and E. L. Newcomb of the Uranium Commodity Committee, dated April 18 and April 20, 1955, respectively.

Although Mr. Newcomb recommended that additional information be requested he agrees that the Applicant is not likely to supply any data that would be of significant help in evaluating this property. Consequently, an appraisal by the Field Team appears to be the most expeditious manner of handling this application.

Sincerely yours,

George C. Selfridge
Chairman, Operating Committee

Enclosures

APPROVED:

Robert W. Keeton
Member, Bureau of Mines

Thor H. Kiilsgaard
Member, Geological Survey

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

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Date Rec'd. MAY 4 1955

BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

Bears Ears Uranium Company,
Unincorporated
c/o Mr. W. R. Young
Blanding, Utah

MAY - 2 1955

Re: Docket No. DMLA-3772 (Uranium)
Blue Jay Claims
San Juan County, Utah

Gentlemen:

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Mr. W. M. Traver
Executive Officer
DMEA Field Team, Region III
224 New Customhouse Building
Denver 2, Colorado

The Regional Office will contact you in regard to your project if additional information is required.

Sincerely yours,

C. O. Mittendorf

Administrator

MChing:am
4-29-55
cc to: Admr. Reading File
Docket
Code 700
Mr. Ching
DMEA Field Team, Region III(2)

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

MAY - 2 1955

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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

April 14, 1955

Memorandum

To: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

From: Chief, Operation's Control and Statistics Division

Subject: Assignment of Docket Number

There is listed below the assigned docket number to an application recently received from Region III.

DMEA-3772 Bears Ears Uranium Company, Unincorporated

Robert E. Adams,
Chief, Operation's Control
and Statistics Division

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

April 11, 1955

Memorandum

To: Secretary to the Operating Committee

From: Executive Officer, DMEA Field Team, Region III

Subject: Application of the Bears Ears Uranium Company Unincorporated, Blue Jay claims, San Juan County, Utah

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W. M. Traver

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Enclosures

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cc: Subject
Chron
Harshman

224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

April 11, 1955

Mr. Therold N. Jensen
Attorney-at-Law
Price, Utah

Dear Mr. Jensen:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated February 27, 1955 and the application in quadruplicate on behalf of Bears Ears Uranium Company.

The application is being forwarded to our Washington office for further processing.

Very truly yours,

W. M. Traver

W. M. Traver
Executive Officer, DMEA
Field Team, Region III

HMC:pw

cc: Subject
Chron
Sec.Op.Comm.
Harshman

THERALD N. JENSEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
PRICE, UTAH

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BUREAU OF MINES
Denver, Colorado

February 27, 1955

DMEA Administration
224 New Customhouse
Denver 2, Colorado

Gentlemen:

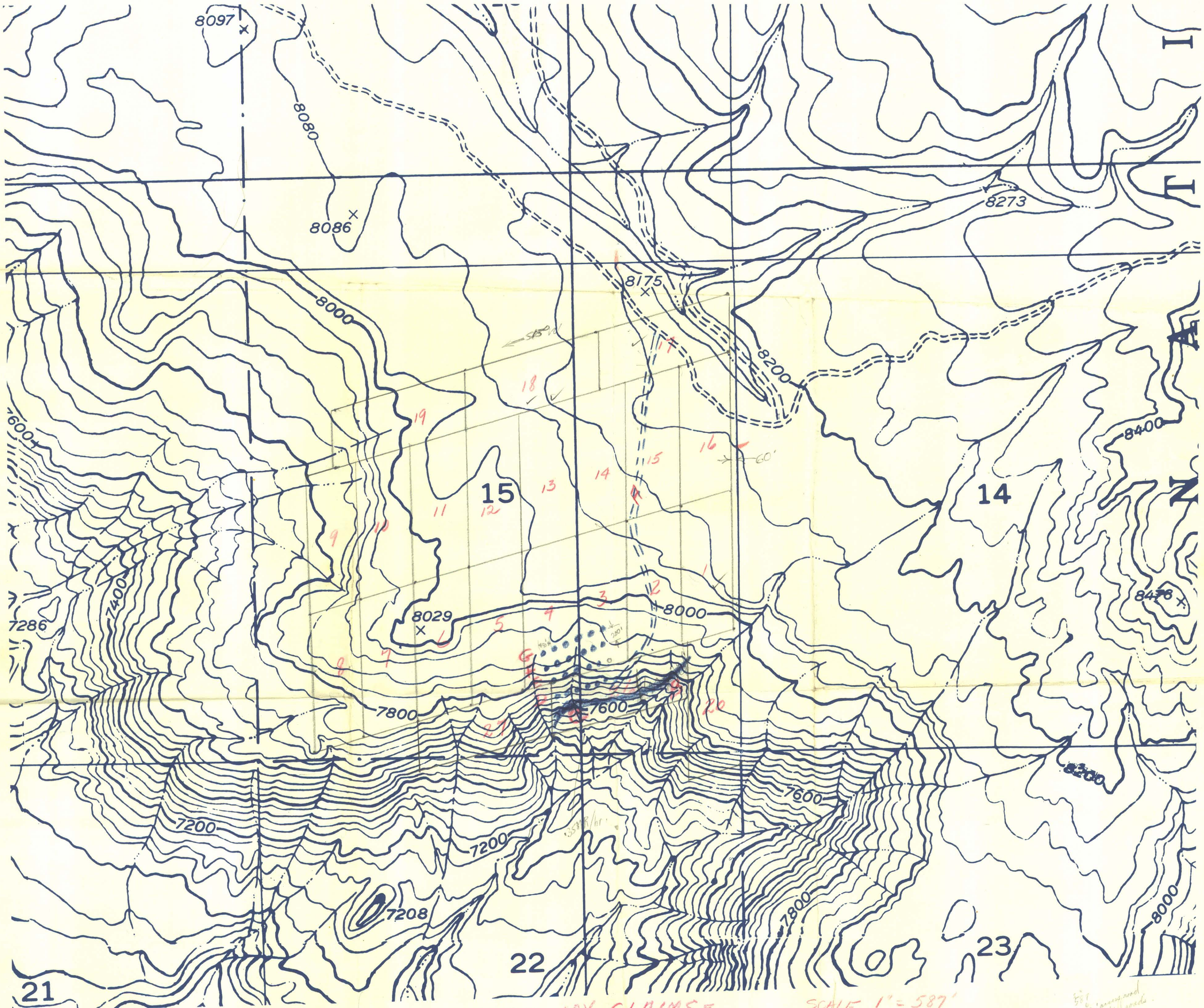
Enclosed you will find in quadruplicate application for aid under the DMEA program filed on behalf of Bears Ears Uranium Company. Supporting papers and maps are enclosed, and I trust you will find the application in proper order so that the same may be processed as quickly as possible.

We are anxious to begin work immediately.

Very truly yours,

T. N. Jensen

For Bears Ears Uranium Company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