

# STATE OF COLORADO

## DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

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November 13, 2013

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Governor

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Executive Director

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Director

**Re: Permit Issuance  
Permit Renewal No. 6 (RN-6)  
North Thompson Creek Mine (Permit No. C-1981-025)**

Dear Mr. Fleischman:

The Division issued the renewal for Mining Permit No. C-1981-025 to MINREC, Inc. for the North Thompson Creek Mine on November 13, 2013. The Underground coal mine is located in Garfield County/Counties, approximately 10 miles Southwest of Carbondale, Colorado. The coal is under Federal and private ownership and the surface is under Federal and private ownership. A copy of the permit is enclosed, as required by Rule 2.07.4(2)(c) of the Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Coal Mining (Rules).

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brock F. Bowles".

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Enclosure

C-RN-20