STATE OF COLORADO

DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

Department of Natural Resources

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January 27, 2014

Chris Gilbreath Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc P.O. Box 33695 Denver, CO 80233-0695



John W. Hickenlooper Governor

Mike King Executive Director

Loretta E. Pineda Director

Re: New Horizon Mine (Permit No. C-1981-008)

Minor Revision No. 88 (MR-88)

Incorporates Product Information for Chemical Stabilizer into Section 2.05.6(1)

Dear Mr.. Gilbreath:

Enclosed you will find the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety's Decision Form for Minor Revision No. 88 at the New Horizon Mine.

Please refer to the <u>Performance Bond</u> heading on the enclosed decision form. If the amount of Bond Held equals or exceeds the Revised Liability, you need not submit additional bond. However, if the Revised Liability exceeds the Bond Held, please submit additional bond or rider to your existing bond that equals or exceeds the Revised Liability. This Minor Revision must not be implemented until any required increase in bond is submitted to and approved by the Division.

If there are stipulations attached, please sign and return the decision form to the Division.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Michael P. Boulay

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Environmental Protection Specialist

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Enclosure

cc: Greg Lewicki, Greg Lewicki and Associates, PLLC

C-MR-08



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COAL MINING PERMIT - MINOR REVISION DECISION

New Horizon Mine, Western Fuels-Colorado, LLC Permit No. C-1981-008

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has issued the decision stated below. Any person who has an interest, which is or may be adversely affected may request a formal hearing in accordance with Rule 2.08.4(6)(c)(iii).

Minor Revision No. 88 Decision: Approve

Submittal Date: January 9, 2014 Decision Date: January 24, 2014

Description of Revision: Incorporates Product Information for Chemical Stabilizer into Section

2.05.6(1)

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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND PERMITTEE SAFETY

Authorized Representative - Division	Authorized Representative - Permittee (if applicable)

Date: January 27, 2014 Date:

CHANGE IN ACREAGE REVISED TOTAL ACREAGE PERFORMANCE BOND

Disturbed: 0.00 Disturbed: 866.66 Prior Liability: \$5,113,540.32

Affected: 0.00 Affected: 859.44 Change in Liability: \$0.00

Permit: 0.00 Permit: 926.06 Revised Liability: \$5,113,540.32

State: 0.00 State: 0.00 Bond Held: \$5,702,700.81

 Federal:
 0.00
 Federal:
 0.00

 Private:
 0.00
 Private:
 926.06

REVISED APPLICATION PAGES REVISED MAPS

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None None