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Alan Boehms
Office of Surface Mining
Western Regional Coordinating Center
1999 Broadway, Suite 3320
Denver, CO 80202

Re: Proposed Decision

Permit Renewal Application No. 4 (RN-4) Carbon Junction Mine (Permit No. C-1992-080)

Dear Mr. Boehms:

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has issued a proposed decision to approve Permit Renewal Application No. 4 at the Carbon Junction Mine. This decision will become final at the close of the thirty (30) day public comment period, which commences with the initial publication in the *Durango Herald*. A copy of the proposed decision and written findings is enclosed.

If you have questions or need of additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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