



**COLORADO**

**Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety**

Department of Natural Resources

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Denver, CO 80203

June 20, 2014

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

**Re: New Horizon Mine (Permit No. C-1981-008)  
Minor Revision No. 90 (MR- 90)  
Permanent Hey Shed, Updated Utility Relocation Map, and Approved Water  
Augmentation Plan**

Dear Mr. Gilbreath:

We have received your minor revision application to revise your permit to conduct coal mining in Colorado. Our initial review indicates that all preliminary items required by the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Act, Section 34-33-101 *et seq.*, C.R.S., have been submitted. Thus, your application has been considered complete for the purposes of filing as of June 20, 2014. All review and comment periods as provided in the Act and the Regulations initiate from this date of filing.

The Division is currently reviewing your revision application to determine whether the items you have submitted are adequate in terms of meeting the requirements of the Act and Regulations. The Division will either issue a decision or inform you of adequacy issues regarding the application on or before June 30, 2014.

If you have any questions, please contact me.



Sincerely,

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