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**Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety**

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
Denver, CO 80203

October 29, 2014

Mr. Lowe Billingsley  
Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company  
100 N. 3rd Street  
P. O. Box 191  
Victor, CO 80860

**Re: Project, Permit No. M-1980-244;  
Technical Revision Approval, Revision No. TR-73**

Dear Mr. Billingsley:

On October 29, 2014 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety approved the Technical Revision application submitted to the Division on October 15, 2014, addressing the following:

*Alternate Squaw Valley ADR Power Line*

The terms of the Technical Revision No. 73 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-1980-244. All other conditions and requirements of Permit No. M-1980-244 remain in full force and effect.

The Division has reviewed this minor change for impacts to the financial warranty. The \$4,893 reclamation cost estimate submitted with TR-73 was determined to be acceptable. When added to the previous estimated liability amount of \$136,351,165.00 (surety increase SI-05) before the submittal of TR-73, the new estimated liability is \$ \$136,356,058.00. The performance bond currently held by the Division is \$ \$136,471,600.00. Therefore, the surplus warranty is now \$ \$115,542.00. .

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at (303)866-3567 x8169.

Sincerely,

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