

February 6, 2015

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety Ms. Amy Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION MINING AND SAFETY

Re:

M-1978-011 Buffalo Mine, Elbert County, Colorado

Corrective action extension request number 4

Dear Ms. Eschberger:

General Shale Brick, Inc. (GSB) has received your inspection report dated October 15, 2014 for the Buffalo Mine. The inspection requested that we update the mining plan map to include the current access road location. The Division is also requesting GSB to submit an agreement for the use of the new access road from the land owner and whether the road will be reclaimed.

The agreement has been signed by both parties and is ready for submittal. We received the survey data from the surveyor late last week to prepare the mine plan map. All that is remaining is completing the mine plan map and preparing the submittal.

GSB is requesting an extension of the due date of November 15, 2014. We will have the agreement with exhibit, updated mine plan, technical revision fee and cover letter submitted by February 13, 2015.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at 303-783-3058 or by email at jason.mcgraw@generalshale.com.

Sincerely,

General Shale Brick, Inc.

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Jason E. McGraw P.E. Mine Supervisor