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April 10, 2015

Mr. Lance Barker Mineral Mountain Gold, LLC P.O. Box 247 Cripple Creek, CO 80813

RE: Mineral Mountain Project, File No. M-2014-045; 110d Decision Letter Conditions, Amendment Submittal Required for Environmental Protection Plan

Dear Mr. Barker:

On January 15, 2015 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety notified you of the approved status of Permit File No. M-2014-045 as a 110(2) mine reclamation permit with conditions. Those conditions to the approval are noted below:

## Stipulation No. Description

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The Applicant must <u>submit an Environmental Protection Plan as an Amendment</u> to the permit. The EPP must be submitted within 180 days of [the January 15, 2015 letter] <u>along with the \$1,725 fee</u>. No additional ore or waste rock may be brought to the surface and stored for any length of time until the Division approves the EPP.

As stated in the conditional approval letter, the permit could not be issued until after receipt of your financial warranty and performance warranty. Also please note the Division cannot amend a permit that is awaiting warranty. We received an Environmental Protection Plan (EPP) submittal from Braun Environmental, Inc. on February 10, 2014, prior to the M-2014-045 permit being issued on March 10, 2015 with the acceptance of both the financial warranty and performance warranty. With the March 10 issuance of the permit, the Division can accept an amendment application to change the permit to the required 110d (designated mining operation) and address the required EPP for the issued mine reclamation permit.

Pursuant to C.R.S. 34-32-112(8), an application with the same content as required for an original application is required and the amended application shall be accompanied by a fee as specified in section 34-32-127 (2). This EPP submittal did not include the required fee or application form. Please submit the required application and \$1,725 fee before the July 14, 2015 deadline. It is



not necessary to resubmit the EPP submitted to the Division in February if it is referenced in the Amendment Application. Please be aware the conditions stated in Stipulation No. 1 are in effect until the EPP is approved by the Division.

If you have any questions, please contact me (303-866-3567 ext. 8169).

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.

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