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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION MINING AND SAFETY

Mr. David Felderhof Zephyr Gold USA Ltd. 1959 Upper Water St. Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 3N2 Canada

Dear Mr. Felderhof:

On November 5, 2015, BLM received Notice from you regarding proposed exploration activities in T19S, R71W, section 14 in Fremont County, CO. This notice has been reviewed and, in accordance with 43 CFR 3809, BLM is responding within the regulatory required timeframe of 15 days.

After fully reviewing this submittal, it has been determined that your Notice is not complete. Please provide the following information:

- 1. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3809.301(b)(1) An operator tax payer identification number is required.
- 2. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3809.301(b)(3) An estimate of the cost to fully reclaim your operations as required by 43 CFR 3809.552.

Please submit the information detailed in this letter to the BLM Royal Gorge Field Office, so review of the Notice can be completed. Contact Stephanie Carter at 719-269-8551, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Patricia M. Bailey Field Manager (Acting)

Royal Gorge Field Office

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