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Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

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Melvin Brandstadt
19239 G Road
Delta, CO 81416

RE: Brandstadt Pit; DRMS File No. M-1986-004; Receipt of Corrective Action Documentation

Dear Mr. Brandstadt,

The Division received your above referenced response in regard to the Compliance Problem cited in the report of the inspection conducted on January 12, 2016. The status of the corrective actions regarding these problems are as follows:

Compliance Problem 1: if an Operator temporarily ceases production of the mining operation for one hundred eighty (180) days or more, the Operator must file a Notice of Temporary Cessation in writing to the Office.

This problem is considered abated as a result of the Operator's submittal of a letter stating the Operator will be starting reclamation on 2/8/16. This is deemed satisfactory by the Division at this time.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (970)252-5025.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Mitchell
Environmental Protection Specialist

