



Via Email

February 23, 2017

Mr. Michael Cunningham
Division of Reclamation and Mine Safety
Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

Subject: Request for Extension to the February 28, 2017 Decision Date, Technical Revision 23, Deposition of Excavated Solid Source Term Material onto Existing Waste Rock Piles, Schwartzwalder Mine, Golden, Colorado, Mine Permit 1977-300

Dear Mr. Cunningham:

Cotter Corporation (N.S.L.) ("Cotter") requests an extension of the February 28, 2017 decision date for Technical Revision 23 ("TR-23") to March 17, 2017. Cotter is requesting this extension to complete the engineering analyses for certain design elements of TR-23 based on the Division's comments.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Stephen J. Cohen, PG
Mill Manager

Cc: Tony Waldron, DRMS
Ken Mushinski, Cotter