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Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

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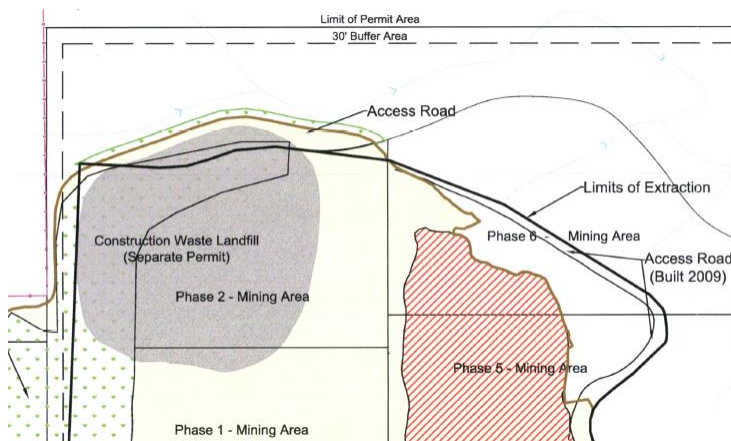
Mr. Zack Temple
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**RE: Clear Spring Ranch Pit; DRMS File No. M-1992-074;
Annual Report Request for Clarification**

Dear Mr. Temple:

On June 15, 2017 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received an inquiry regarding your 2017 Annual Report from CDPHE Water Quality Control Division. The following question was raised:

- I. Annual Report Map – The northwest corner of the affected area contains a darker shaded area labeled “Construction Waste Landfill (Separate Permit)”.



Discrepancy – The Division approved Technical Revision 3 (TR-03) in October 2003 to allow inert, non-putrescible materials as backfill. It was not the Division’s intent to approve a “landfill”, but to allow imported inert material to be used to attain the desired final grade for reclamation.



Action Required – Please clarify if this is in fact a landfill and what agency issued the “Separate Permit”. Also confirm whether or not this is related to TR-03. Please provide a response by July 17, 2017.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at (303)866-3567 x8169.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tim Cazier', is written over a light blue rectangular background.

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