

June 22, 2017

Michael Cunningham Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman St, Rm 215 Denver, CO 80203 RECEIVED

JUN 2.3 2017

BIVISION OF RECLAMATION MINING AND SAFETY

Fairplay Au Pit, M-1991-037, Objection to the Party Status of Mr. Robin Rindsig

Mr. Cunningham:

Robin Rindsig, who has an objected to the 112 conversion application of the Fairplay Au Pit, does not qualify as a party to the proceedings relating to this application. He does not meet the definition of "Party" as found in Rule 1.1(38.1):

"<u>Party</u> means a person who demonstrates that he/she/it is directly and adversely affected or aggrieved by the conduct of a mining operation, proposed mining operation, or an order of the Board and whose interest is entitled to legal protection under the Act."

Mr. Rindsig is not a resident of Park County, the Town of Fairplay, or the State of Colorado, and as such cannot be adversely affected or aggrieved by the proposed Fairplay Au Pit. News reports regularly list him as a resident of Iowa.

High Speed Mining, LLC requests that Mr. Rindsig's party status be revoked in this manner.

Please contact me with any further questions. Regards,

Ben Langenfeld, P.E. Greg Lewicki and Associates