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Mr. Jason Musick Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Environmental Protection Specialist 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203 Phone: (303) 866-3567

## RE: Notice of Intent No(s). X-1983-159-03, X-1983-169-08, X-1985-159-09, X-1987-168-20, X-1988-198-22, X-1990-198-23, X-1993-168-27, X-1994-214-00, X-1996-219-00, X-1996-219-01, X-1998-219-03, X-1999-205-06, X-2011-231-02 Updates

Dear Mr. Musick,

Peabody Colorado is currently working to update the referenced exploration permits with new Bond Riders and or the necessary information needed to keep the permits in compliance until final reclamation is completed. Peabody Colorado would like to request the expiration date of the outstanding NOI's referenced above be extending to **January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.** In the meantime, Peabody will assess each permit and reclaim the necessary exploration sites that are no longer needed. Below is a summary of the status of each permit and the action Peabody plans to take on each permit:

- Permit X-1983-159-05
  - One monitoring well remains under this permit. This well has been converted to a water well and was permitted through the Colorado Division of Water Resources by the land owner to remain as permanent. The well permit has been attached to this submittal as a reference. All other reclamation activities have been completed and Peabody is requesting full bond release of this permit.
- Permit X-1983-159-08
  - Requesting Expiration date extension
- Permit X-1985-159-09

- The BLM will be taking over the responsibility of the wells associated with this permit. Peabody is working with the BLM to get the wells permitted and transferred to the BLM.
- Permit X-1987-168-20
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider with the Principle Name changed to Twentymile Coal, LLC to correspond with the SO previously submitted.
- Permit X-1988-168-22
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$9,515.06 with the Principle Name changed to Twentymile Coal, LLC to correspond with the SO previously submitted.
- Permit X-1990-168-23
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$33,413.87 with the Principle Name changed to Twentymile Coal, LLC to correspond with the SO previously submitted.
- Permit X-1993-168-27
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$5,581.34 with the Principle Name changed to Twentymile Coal, LLC to correspond with the SO previously submitted.
- Permit X-1994-214-00
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$21,642.98.
- Permit X-1996-219-00
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$32,016.38
- Permit X-1996-219-01
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$69,988.06.
- Permit X-1998-219-02
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$724.79.

- Permit X-1998-219-03
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$933.42
- Permit X-1999-205-06
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$4,824.39
- Permit X-2011-231-02
  - Peabody Colorado has requested an updated Bond Rider reflecting an increase in bond to \$5,191.68.

Peabody Colorado is expecting the Bond Rider updates to be completed within a week from the date of this letter and will be supplied to you either by us or our corporate office. If you have any further questions or concerns please do not hesitate to give me a call or send me an email.

Sincerely,

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