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RE: Pitch Project, Permit No. M-1977-004, Technical Revision (TR-9) Approval

Mr. Wykoff:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) approved the Technical Revision request (TR-9), which was submitted on April 10, 2017, addressing the following:

Installation of 1 recirculation/monitoring well in the underground mine workings. Installation of up to 10 boreholes/piezometers in the Indian and Tie Camp rock dumps for characterization of source zones. Continued field-demonstration scale testing of phosphate-based injections. Installation of field-implementation-scale engineered treatment cell (ETC) south of the North Pit Lake to treat the Chester Fault Seeps.

The terms of TR-9 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-1977-004. All other conditions and requirements of the permit remain in full force and effect.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

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