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COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
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Department of Natural Resources

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RE: Blue Mesa Project, File No. P-2018-009 , NOI Application Adequacy Review

Mr. Hubbard:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is in the process of reviewing the above referenced application in order to ensure that it adequately satisfies the requirements of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act (Act) and the associated Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Hard Rock, Metal, and Designated Mining Operations (Rules). During review of the material submitted, the Division determined that the following issue(s) of concern shall be adequately addressed before the application can be considered for approval.

1. The Prospector is required to document that the NOI has been sent to the BLM. Evidence that the NOI was sent to the BLM was not included with the NOI application. Please submit evidence that the NOI application was sent to the BLM.
2. The proposed project will require reseeding as part of the reclamation plan. Please provide the seed mixture to be used for reclamation. The seed mixture should include the name and the seeding rate (pounds live seed per acre) for each plant species.

Please submit your responses to the above listed issues within 60 days.

Sincerely,

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