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**RE: Adequacy Review (TR-109), Cresson Project, Permit No. M-1980-244**

Dear Mr. Schaffner,

On December 4, 2018, the Division received the request for a Technical Revision (TR-109) for the Cresson Project, File No. M-1980-244, regarding the addition of two new pipelines and the utilization of existing vat leach tanks for surge capacity of neutral pH process solution. The Division has reviewed the content of TR-109 and submits the following comment. Please respond to this Adequacy Review with the requested information and summarize each response to the numbered items below, in a cover letter titled "Adequacy Review Responses TR-109, M-1980-244". To allow appropriate time to review your adequacy responses, the Division requests you submit the responses no later than three working days before the decision date.

1. Please provide updated drawings for any applicable flow diagram, and mill arrangement section and plans provided originally in Appendix 10 of Amendment AM-10 to depict the TR-109 proposal.
2. Please provide analytical data of the chemical composition of the neutral pH process solution to support the Material Safety Data Sheet information provided in TR-109.

This concludes the Division's adequacy review of TR-109. This letter shall not be interpreted to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in your request as other issues may arise when additional information is supplied. Please be advised the Cresson Project Technical Revision TR-109 may be deemed inadequate, and the request may be denied on **January 3, 2019**, unless the above mentioned adequacy review item is addressed to the satisfaction of the Division.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8132**, or by email at [elliott.russell@state.co.us](mailto:elliott.russell@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

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