

September 30, 2020

New Elk Coal Company, LLC 12250 State Highway 12 Weston, CO 81091

RE: Coal Exploration File No. X-2020-232-03 Notice of Intent to Explore (NOI)

The Division reviewed the above referenced Notice of Intent to Conduct Coal Exploration, NOI No. X-2020-232-03 in accordance with the application provisions of the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Act ("Act") and the Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Coal Mining ("Regulations"), and has the following comments.

Notification of Completeness [Regulation 2.02.2]

Notice of Intent X-2020-232-02 is **Incomplete**

This NOI has been found incomplete due to an email received by the operator on 9/22/20 stating that NECC needs to resubmit this application as there is additional information that NECC wants to include with the application.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 720-618-0860 or via email listed below. Sincerely,

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