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C1980007, West Elk Mine, TR-148, Second Adequacy Review

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Second adequacy review letter attached

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Kathleen G. Welt Mountain Coal Company, LLC 5174 Highway 133 Somerset, CO 81434 November 19, 2020

Re: West Elk Mine (Permit No. C-1980-007) Technical Revision No. 148, (TR-148) Second Adequacy Review

Dear Ms. Welt,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) has completed the review of materials submitted by Mountain Coal Company, LLC (MCC) in response to the TR-148 initial adequacy review.

The Division's comments and questions have been fully addressed.

The Division reviewed the Reclamation Cost Estimate with TR-148. No new disturbance has been proposed, and the revegetation of the disturbance within the project area was previously addressed with the MR-452 Reclamation Cost Estimate. No increases to the Reclamation Cost Estimate are warranted with TR-148.

Yours sincerely,

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