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March 7, 2018

Mr. Howard Strand  
Director, Denver Field Division  
Office of Surface Mining  
1999 Broadway, Ste 3320  
Denver, CO 80202-3050

Re: Minrec, Inc., North Thompson Creek Mines  
Permit Renewal  
Permit No. C-1981-025

Dear Mr. Strand:

On behalf of Minrec, Inc., enclosed is an application for the renewal of a valid existing permit to conduct mining in Colorado for its North Thompson Creek Mines, Mining and Reclamation Permit C-1981-025.

Sincerely,

*J. E. Stover*

J. E. Stover, P.E.  
Consulting Engineer

Enclosures

cc: Clayton Wein w/o Enclosures

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