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## Memorandum

To: Nicole Caveny, Environmental Protection Specialist, Western Regional Denver

Field Division, US Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement

From: Connie Clementson Tres Rios Field Manager

Subject: R2P2 Modification Review and Concurrence for the GCC King II Mine "Dunn

Ranch" Lease-by-Application

Tres Rios Field Office has reviewed the R2P2 associated with Federal Coal Lease COC-78825. The R2P2 meets the requirements of:

- 1. The MLA of 1920, as amended and supplemented;
- 2. The regulations at 43CFR 3480;
- 3. The lease terms and conditions; and
- 4. Maximum Economic Recovery.

The R2P2 conforms to the 2015 Approved Resource Management Plan for the Tres Rios Field Office and is in compliance with the plan's desired condition of supporting the exploration, production and development of energy and mineral resources in a multiple use context, and are located on split estate and public domain (Bureau of Land Management) lands open to federal coal leasing.

If you have any questions call James Blair at (970) 749-6714.

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