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To: Basil Bear <basilbear@wolverinefuels.com>, Tamme Bishop <tamme.jestover@bresnan.net>

Hello, Basil

Please see the attached letter on MR-139. It has four questions related to the information in your submittal and information in OSM's AVS system. (Three of the questions are the same thing for three different entities in your corporate organizational chart, so hopefully that will make finding answers easier.)

If your corporate folks cannot answer these questions by tomorrow, please ask for an extension of the decision date for MR-139.

Thank you,
Rob

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Basil Bear
Bowie Resources, LLC (BRL)
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**Re: Bowie No. 1 Mine, Permit C-1981-38,
Adequacy Review of MR-139**

Dear Mr. Bear:

On 1/26/2021, the Division received BRL's application for MR-139, which updates the list of Officers and Directors and the corporate organizational chart for Bowie Resources, LLC and its corporate parents.

Based on a review by the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) using their Applicant Violator System, the Division has the following questions. Note that three out of four of the questions relate to Brian Settles, but the same question applies to three different entities.

1. Regarding **Wolverine Fuels LLC**
 - a. Galena US Holdings, Inc. is shown as the 95.22% shareholder with an effective date of 10/15/2018. When was this percentage changed to 98.36%?
 - b. Brian Settles was ended as the Sr. Vice President, effective 1/1/2019, according to the documentation. However, he is still listed in the AVS as Secretary and as General Counsel. Is he still maintaining these roles?
2. Regarding **Wolverine Fuels Holding LLC**, Brian Settles was ended as the Sr. Vice President, effective 1/1/2019, according to the documentation. However, he is still listed in the AVS as Secretary and as General Counsel. Is he still maintaining these roles?
3. Regarding **Wolverine Fuels Parent LLC**, Brian Settles was ended as the Sr. Vice President, effective 1/1/2019, according to the documentation. However, he is still listed in the AVS as Secretary and as General Counsel. Is he still maintaining these roles?

As always, call or e-mail me with any questions related to this review, and/or submit a formal response via the Division's ePermitting system. If you call or e-mail me, I will do the best I can to answer your questions, but there may be a delay; we mostly defer to OSM on these types of issues.

Thank you,

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