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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
Royal Gorge Field Office
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Cañon City, Colorado 81212

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DECISION

Western Uranium Corporation	:	
(Black Range Minerals)	:	
Attn: Michael Rutter	:	Surface Management
31127 Hwy 90 Rd.	:	
Nucla, CO 81424	:	

DETERMINATION OF FINANCIAL GUARANTEE REDUCTION

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) inspected a portion of your exploration operations located in Fremont County on October 15, 2021. Borehole Hndd010 was the only portion of these operations located on BLM managed surface, as all other boreholes associated with these operations are located on privately owned surface and were inspected by the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (CDRMS). All required reclamation for borehole Hndd010 has been completed according to the reclamation plan and the performance standards outlined in 43 CFR 3809.420.

This decision reduces the estimated reclamation cost from \$154,937 to \$0.00, for that portion involving exploration activities on BLM managed surface. BLM will coordinate with the CDRMS to initiate final release of your financial guarantee instrument for this project.

Appeal of this Determination of Required Financial Guarantee Amount can be pursued utilizing Form 1842-1 (Enclosure 1).

If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie Carter at 719-269-8551.

Sincerely,

Keith E. Berger
Field Manager
Royal Gorge Field Office

Enclosure –

1 – Form 1842-1, Information on Taking Appeals to the Interior Board of Land Appeals

cc: Tim Cazier, CDRMS