

January 31, 2022

Robert Burger Sierta LLC 1885 Redcoach Rd. Allison Park, PA 15101

Re: Approval of Modification MD2, Red Cone, File No. P-2014-003

Dear Mr. Burger:

The Division has completed the review of Modification No. 2 to the Red Cone NOI, File P-2014-003. The modification addresses a change to the previously approved drilling project to add up to 2 additional drill pads, access roads, and six (6) 3" diameter boreholes for a depth of 1,000 feet each. The Division has determined the current financial warranty held for the project is adequate to cover existing and proposed activities. The total reclamation liability for this site held by the Division is \$39,000.00.

All deficiencies in the Modification No. 2 application have been adequately addressed and therefore, on January 27, 2022, the Division approved the modification.

Please note, the approval of this NOI modification shall not be construed to abrogate the duty of the Prospector to comply with other applicable laws or regulations, including but not limited to all federal, state, or local permits, licenses, or approvals as well as any access agreements, as applicable to the specific operation.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 303-866-3567 ext. 8132 or elliott.russell@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Elliott R. Russell Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Jason Musick, Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety Dana Caccamise II, Sierta LLC Amy Titterington, United States Forest Service

