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C1980007, West Elk Mine, TR-150, DECISION RESCINDED

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See attached.

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Nicki Poulos Mountain Coal Company, LLC 5174 Highway 133 Somerset, CO 81434

Re: West Elk Mine (Permit No. C-1980-007)

Rescinding of Proposed Decision - Technical Revision No. 150 (TR-150)

Revision to layout of E-seam panels

Dear Ms. Poulos:

This letter is to notify you that the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety's Proposed Decision to approve Technical Revision No. 150 at the West Elk Mine has been rescinded. TR-150 is not being denied at this time, however the approval proposed on March 11 is no longer in place.

I will send you further correspondence shortly to explain this unusual situation.

Sincerely,

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cc: Elizabeth Shaeffer, Office of Surface Mining

