

April 20, 2022

Wayne Western Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 PO Box 145801 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

Re: Notification of Resumption of Mining Operations, Whirlwind Mine, S/019/065

Dear Mr. Western:

Energy Fuels Resources (USA) Inc. ("**EFRI**") is providing notification to the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining (the "**Division**") of its plans to end suspension and resume mining operations at the Whirlwind Mine (the "**Mine**"), located in Mesa County, Colorado, and Grand County, Utah, pursuant to administrative rules R647-3-113(11). As you are aware, the Mine has been in an extended period of temporary suspension as approved by the Division on February 12, 2021. Mining operations are expected to resume on, or around, April 20, 2022, starting with EFRI's re-installation and operation of the meteorological ("**met**") monitoring station.

Data collected from the met station will be used in support of ventilation activities at the Mine portal. The Mine portal and main surface facilities are located in Colorado, while other limited surface facilities, including the met station and future ventilation shafts, are located in Utah. At this time, installation and operation of the met station is the only activity that is expected to take place under the Division-approved Notice of Intention ("**NOI**") during 2022. EFRI has reviewed the current approved bond amount of \$15,200 and Modification of Attachment A to the Reclamation Contract, as approved by the Division on June 28, 2021, and determined that it is adequate to support re-installation of the met station. EFRI will continue to keep the Division informed on the status of mining operations including the need for additional bonding prior to any future disturbance activities in Utah.

Please contact me at 303-389-4132 or sbakken@energyfuels.com if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

ENERGY FUELS RESOURCES (USA) INC. Scott A. Bakken Vice President, Regulatory Affairs

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cc: M. Munson (DOGM), J. Whittington (BLM), K. Weinel, J. App, D. Kolkman (EFRI)