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Kirk Daehling Natural Soda LLC kdaehling@naturalsoda.com

> Re: EPA UIC Area Permit CO30358-00000 Add Well and Authorization to Inject to Area Permit: 17H-RI (CO30358- 12475) Rio Blanco County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Daehling:

Natural Soda LLC's (NS's) request to convert the 17H-R well to an injection well (17H-RI) and Authorization to Inject under the NS Area Permit is hereby approved by the Environmental Protection Agency Region 8. The addition of the proposed 17H-RI injection well is being made under the authority of 40 CFR §144.33 (c) and terms of the NS Area Permit CO30358-00000 and subsequent modifications.

All Requirements Prior to Commencing Injection have been submitted and evaluated by EPA and NS is hereby authorized to begin injection.

If you have any questions, please contact William Gallant at (303) 312-6455 or (800) 227-8917, extension 312-6455 or by email at gallant.william@epa.gov

Sincerely

6/16/2022

X Douglas Minter for

Sarah Bahrman Safe Drinking Water Branch Manager Signed by: DOUGLAS MINTER

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