

October 25, 2022

Michael Golliher Pete Lien & Sons, Inc. P.O. Box 440 Rapid City, SD 57709

Re: Newett Quarry - File No. M-1978-093 Pete Lien & Sons, Inc. Temporary Cessation (TC-5) Notice of Temporary Cessation

Dear Michael Golliher:

On October 10, 2022 the Division concluded its review of your Temporary Cessation status request for the Newett Quarry, further described as:

Notice of the second consecutive five (5) year term of Temporary Cessation. This period of Temporary Cessation will begin on January 1, 2022 and terminate on January 1, 2027.

The decision reached by the Division is: Approve.

Please be aware that Section 1.13.5(1)(a) of the Construction Materials Rules and Regulations and the Hard Rock/Metal Mining Rules and Regulations state that "Initial period shall be the first five years of Temporary Cessation beginning with the 180 day period of production cessation."

Please be aware that in accordance with Rule 1.13.9, in no case shall Temporary Cessation be continued for more than ten (10) years without terminating the mining operation and fully complying with the Reclamation requirements of the Act and the Rules.

In accordance with Rule 1.13.8, the permit for Newett Quarry shall continue in effect as long as mining operations resume within five years of the beginning of Temporary Cessation or the Operator files a request for an extension of the period of Temporary Cessation with the Board meeting the requirements of Rule 1.13.5(3) and secures Board approval of that request.

Bond Held:	\$132,228.00
Prior Liability:	\$131,728.00
Change in Liability:	\$0.00



Revised Liability:	\$131,728.00
Prior Permit Acreage:	26.00
Change in Permit Acreage:	0.00
Revised Permit Acreage:	26.00
Prior Affected Acreage:	26.00
Change in Affected Acreage:	0.00
Revised Affected Acreage:	26.00

If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8187, or by email at Lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

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Lucas J. West Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Michael Golliher

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