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Mr. Patrick Lennberg
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Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety
Office of Mined Land Reclamation
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: Permit No. M-1980-244; Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company ("CC&V"); Cresson Project – Notification of Water Quality Analysis Parameter Exceedance December 20, 2022

Dear Mr. Lennberg,

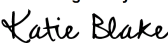
In accordance with Rule 3, Section 3.1.7 (9) of the Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Hard Rock, Metal, and Designated Mining Operations (Rules), the Cripple Creek and Victor Gold Mining Company (CC&V) hereby provides the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division) with a formal notification of water quality parameter exceedances.

CC&V collected fourth quarter compliance groundwater samples from monitoring wells CRMW-5B, CRMW-5C, and CRMW-5D on November 8, 2022, and from monitoring well CRMW-3A on November 9, 2022. Upon review of received analytical reports, CC&V determined monitoring wells CRMW-5B, CRMW-5C, CRMW-5D, and CRMW-3A exceeded established numeric protection levels for fluoride and monitoring well CRMW-3A exceeded established table value standards for sulfate. The table below lists these exceedances by the location and the associated parameter. The graphs contained in Attachment A demonstrate the parameter trend for the collected data.

Location	Sample Date	Parameter	Value (mg/L)	NPL (mg/L)	Table Value Standard (mg/L)
CRMW-5B	11-8-2022	Fluoride	2.86	2	2
CRMW-5C	11-8-2022	Fluoride	2.92	2	2
CRMW-5D	11-8-2022	Fluoride	3.27	2	2
CRMW-3A	11-9-2022	Fluoride	3.11	2	2
CRMW-3A	11-9-2022	Sulfate	851	--	250

Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact Ronald Parratt at 719.851.4019 or ronald.parratt@newmont.com or myself at 719.851.4048 or katie.blake@newmont.com

Sincerely,

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Attachment A

