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December 21, 2023

ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Mr. Elliott Russell  
Environmental Protection Specialist  
Colorado Department of Natural Resources  
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; Cresson Project; VLF2, Phase 3 Stage A.2 - Request to Stack Ore on Liner**

Dear Mr. Russell:

Newmont Corporation's Cripple Creek and Victor Gold Mining Company (CC&V) is requesting the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division) approval to start stacking ore on the VLF2, Phase 3 Stage A.2 prior to approval of the Record of Construction (ROC) Report, which was submitted to the Division on November 15, 2023. Newmont will assume all risks if the ROC report review identifies any discrepancies that require remediation, including removal of the placed ore on the liner.

Ore placement will begin immediately, pending approval.

Should you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact Johnna Gonzalez at 791-313-0447 or [Johnna.Gonzalez@Newmont.com](mailto:Johnna.Gonzalez@Newmont.com) or myself at [Katie.Blake@Newmont.com](mailto:Katie.Blake@Newmont.com).

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:  
  
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