

June 6, 2024

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Re: Additional Information Required, First (1st) Quarter 2024 Groundwater and Surface Water Monitoring Report; Permit No. M-1980-244

Dear Johan Van Huyssteen:

On May 2, 2024, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) received the First (1st) Quarter 2024 Monitoring Report for surface water and groundwater samples collected at the Cresson Project, M-1980-244. After review of the submission the Division has an additional item that need to be addressed or clarified.

1. During review of the submittal it was determined the Operator did not provide the Division with a notification of water quality exceedance in accordance with Rule 3.1.7(9) for the sample collected from SGMW-6B on January 24, 2024 with those results reported on Feb. 15, 2024. Please provide a comment and update the narrative to account for this omission. In the future, failure to provide the required notification pursuant to Rule 3.1.7(9) will result in enforcement actions.

Please respond to these items within 30 days of the date on this letter, by **July 5, 2024**. The Division reserves the right to further supplement this document with additional items and details as necessary.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me by email at patrick.lennberg@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



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