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Cat Creek Prospecting Operations P2024009- NOI Application Approval

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Tue, Nov 19, 2024 at 4:12 PM

To: Sandor AOL Account <ringhoffer@aol.com>

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<jared.ebert@state.co.us>, Sara Stevenson-Benn - DNR <sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us>

Good afternoon,

Attached to this email is a copy of the Division's Approval Letter for the Cat Creek Drilling NOI, File No. P-2024-009.

A hard copy will not be mailed unless requested.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Chris**Chris Girardi****Environmental Protection Specialist Intern****COLORADO**
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

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Sandor AOL Account <ringhoffer@aol.com>

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To: "Girardi - DNR, Chris" <chris.girardi@state.co.us>

Thanks Chris...

Got it and your help is much appreciated.

Regards,

Sandor

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November 19, 2024

Solitario Resources Corp.
Attn: Sandor Ringhoffer
4251 Kipling Street, Ste.390
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

RE: Cat Creek Prospecting Operations- File No. P-2024-009
Solitario Resources Corporation
Notice of Intent to Conduct Mineral Prospecting

Dear Sandor Ringhoffer,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (“DRMS” or “Division”) has completed its review and has accepted your Notice of Intent to Conduct Mineral Prospecting Operations (NOI) submitted for Cat Creek Prospecting Operations, File No. P-2024-009.

The Division has also reviewed and approved the financial warranty submitted for the NOI in the amount of \$130,130.00.

Pursuant to Rule 5.1.3(d)(iv), the Division’s determination will not take effect until the expiration of the five businesses days allowed for an appeal, or in the case of an appeal, until the Mined Land Reclamation Board issues its decision. If there are no appeals within the five-day appeal period, you may commence prospecting operations.

In accordance with Rule 5.8, an Annual Report and associated fee of \$86.00 must be submitted on your notice of approval anniversary date (November 19) for each year following the filling of an NOI until reclamation responsibility release is granted. In addition, Rule 5.3.4 requires the prosecutor to notify the Division of completion of prospecting operations and Rule 5.7 requires the submittal of a final report for drill holes within 60 days of completion of the abandonment for artesian flow holes and within one year of completion of the abandonment for any other drill holes.

Please note, the acceptance of this NOI shall not be construed to abrogate the duty of the prospector to comply with applicable laws or regulations, including but not limited to all federal, state, or local permits, licenses, and approvals, as well as any access agreements, as applicable to the specific operation.

Prior to initiation of prospecting operations, you must submit to the Division documentation of the approval of the Plan of Operations from the United States Forest Service.



P-2024-009: Approved Surety and Acreage	
Reclamation Liability (Required Surety):	\$130,130.00
Approved Permit Acreage:	0.10
Approved Affected Acreage:	0.10

If you have any questions, please contact me at chris.girardi@state.co.us or at (720) 793-3041.

Sincerely,



Chris Girardi
Environmental Protection Specialist Intern

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