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C1980007, West Elk Mine, MR-485, Second Adequacy Review

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To: "Munz, Robert" <rmunz@archcoal.com>

Cc: Sara Stevenson-Benn - DNR <sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us>

Bob,

We heard back from OSMRE, they have requested some additional information. Please see the attached adequacy letter.

If you need any additional clarification please communicate directly with Sara (but cc me).

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Bob Munz
Mountain Coal Company, LLC
5174 Highway 133
Somerset, CO 81434

March 25, 2025

Re: West Elk Mine (Permit No. C-1980-007)
Minor Revision No. 485, (MR-485)
Second Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Munz,

The following items came up when The Division tried to update the AVS database.

Please respond to the following adequacy items:

1. The following people show up in AVS as Core Natural Resources' employees but not on Exhibit 1:
Steven Aspinall
Daniel Connell
Anthony Drezewski
Jaqueline Fidler
Erica Fisher
Kevin Holleran
Josh Koontz
John Mills
John Rothka
Matthew Tyree.
Please update Exhibit 1 to include these people, or provide end dates for their employment.
2. **Please provide an official statement of merger from Mountain Coal to Core Natural Resources.**

The decision due date for MR-485 was extended to March 28, 2025.

Yours sincerely,

Leigh Simmons
Environmental Protection Specialist

