STATE OF COLORADO

DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

Department of Natural Resources

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April 9, 2012

Thomas Hendricks Calais Resources Colorado, Inc. 4415 Caribou Rd. Nederland, CO 80466

RE: Cross Gold Mine; DRMS File No. M-1977-410; Amendment Approval; Revision No. AM-01

Dear Mr. Hendricks,

On April 9, 2012 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) approved the Amendment application submitted to the Division on October 28, 2011, addressing the following:

Increase permit area to 9.35 acres, provide for surface waste rock disposal resulting from construction of the Cross Mine Decline portal, and construction of new office/dry facility and a new sewer line and leach field.

The terms of the Amendment No. 1 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-1977-410. All other conditions and requirements of Permit No. M-1977-410 remain in full force and effect.

The estimated liability of \$31,500.00 exceeds the \$15,400.00 performance bond currently held. If you have not already done so, please submit additional bond in the amount of \$16,100.00. The revision will not be final until the bond is approved by the Division.

If you have any questions, you may contact me at (303)866-3567 x8116.

Sincerely,

Michael A. Cunningham Environmental Protection Specialist

CC: Tom Kaldenbach, DRMS Barbara Coria, DRMS Bruce Humphries, RPM, Inc.