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**To:** Kaldenbach, Tom; Waldron, Tony

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**VIA EMAIL AND U.S. MAIL**

August 7, 2012

Mr. Tom Kaldenbach  
Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety  
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: Schwartzwalder Mine, Permit No. M-1977-300  
Technical Revision (TR-20)

Dear Mr. Kaldenbach:

Cotter Corporation (N.S.L.) ("Cotter") seeks an extension of the decision deadline for Cotter's TR-20 request until September 12, 2012.

Sincerely,

John S. Hamrick  
Vice President, Mill Operations

cc: Tony Waldron  
Jeff Fugate