



November 15, 2012

Dustin Czapla  
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety  
Grand Junction Field Office  
101 S. Third St, Suite 301  
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RE: Request for Extension for Response to Adequacy Review LP-21 Mine, Permit No.  
M-1977-305

Mr. Czapla:

Cotter Corporation is currently working on the response to the adequacy review for the LP-21 Mine Permit Amendment, Permit No. M-1977-305, received from the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (DRMS). Due to the Thanksgiving holiday on November 22, Cotter is requesting an extension for the response to the adequacy review until December 7, 2012.

If you have further questions regarding this request please call me at Cotter's Nucla office, 970-864-7347.

Respectfully,

Glen Williams  
Vice President of Mining  
Cotter Corporation