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March 15, 2013

Doug Constance 116 Windwalker Road Buena Vista, CO 81211

RE: Avery Construction Pit, Permit No. M-1979-010, Complaint Follow-Up

Dear Mr. Constance:

On March 15, 2013 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received ACA Products' response to your March 6, 2013 letter of complaint. The information provided by ACA shows that the berm is being constructed on property located outside their DRMS permitted area, and that the construction was approved by the Town of Buena Vista. The berm is to be a permanent feature on the property and is not considered part of their mining operation. Based on the information provided by ACA, it was determined that the issue does not fall under our jurisdiction and enforcement actions will not be undertaken by the Division regarding this issue.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

Dustin Czapla

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Cc: Michael Coleman, ACA Products, Inc.

Attachment: ACA Response Letter dated March 12, 2013