



RECEIVED

APR 29 2013

GRAND JUNCTION FIELD OFFICE
DIVISION OF
RECLAMATION MINING & SAFETY

VIA U.S. MAIL

April 25, 2013

Mr. Dustin Czapla
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
Grand Junction Field Office
101 S. Third St, Room 301
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501

Re: Request for Extension of SR-13A Mine Decision Due Date

Mr. Czapla:

Cotter Corporation (N.S.L.) ("Cotter") is requesting an extension of the decision date for the SR-13A Mine Permit Amendment, Permit #M-1977-311, from April 29, 2013 until May 21, 2013. This extension is being requested to provide the Division with adequate time to rule on the status of Cotter's request for a release of affected acreage associated with this mine permit.

Respectfully,

Glen Williams
Vice President, Mining Operations