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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY Department of Natural Resources

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July 5, 2013

Mr. Tony Tennyson Colowyo Coal Company 5731 State Highway 13 Craig, CO 81641 Bill Ritter, Jr. Governor

Mike King Executive Director

Loretta E. Piñeda Director

Re: Neilson Pit, Permit No. M-2007-026, Technical Revision Approval, Revision No. TR-1

Dear Mr. Tennyson:

On July 5, 2013 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety approved the Technical Revision application submitted to the Division on May 3, 2013, addressing the following:

Intermittent Status

The terms of the Technical Revision No. 1 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-2007-026. All other conditions and requirements of Permit No. M-2007-026 remain in full force and effect.

If you need additional information please contact me at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Grand Junction Field Office, 101 S. 3rd St., Suite 301, Grand Junction, Colorado 81501, by telephone at 970.242.5025, or by e-mail at stephanie.reigh@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Reigh Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Russ Means, DRMS