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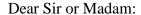
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July 29, 2013

Kay Weinland Routt County Clerk and Recorder County Clerk P.O. Box 773598 Steamboat Springs, CO 80477

Re: Peabody Sage Creek Mine (Permit No. C-2009-087)

Bond Release Application No. 1 (SL-1)



The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety requests that you maintain the enclosed "Proposed Decision and Findings of Compliance" for the Peabody Sage Creek Mine on file for public review for sixty (60) days.

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact me. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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