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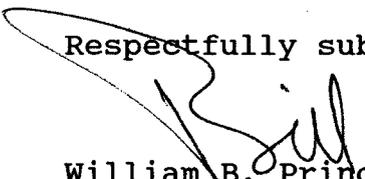
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Re: North American Equities;
Reclamation of Blazon #1 Mine; NOV 90-27-2-1

Dear Harold:

Confirming our telephone conference of Tuesday, I understand that North American Equities ("NAE") is required by the provisions of the referenced Notice of Violation to submit documents reflecting an amended surface plan of the reclamation site to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Division") by April 2, 1990. I have contacted representatives of NAE and of Earthfax Engineering ("Earthfax") to discuss this matter. Earthfax has indicated that it would probably take about two weeks from the time it received approval to prepare the amended documents. NAE is currently in active discussions with the Division regarding remaining obligations to resolve partial bond release at the site. A number of these obligations require services by Earthfax. Earthfax cannot undertake the proposed work until such time as NAE resolves a billing matter with Earthfax regarding preparation of the remaining reclamation obligations.

Accordingly, based upon the matters set forth above, NAE requests a 30 day extension from April 2, 1990, in which to prepare and submit to the Division the amended plan pursuant to the Notice of Violation.

Respectfully submitted,

William B. Prince

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cc: Jill Hodge