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RE: Determination of Administrative Completeness for Whitmore Canyon Lease, West Ridge Resources, West Ridge Mine

Dear Ms. Wright:

This responds to your letter of December 20, 2001, regarding the subject project. We have no comments on the project, as proposed. Should project plans change or if additional information becomes available we may choose to provide comments in the future.

We appreciate the opportunity to review your project. Should you have any questions or need any further information please contact Dianna Whittington, Fish and Wildlife Biologist at (801)975-3330 ext. 128.

Sincerely,

H. R. Maddux

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