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Subject: Change of Ownership and Control, West Ridge Resources, Inc., West Ridge Mine, C/007/0041, Task ID #3658

Dear Mr. Shaver:

The Division has reviewed your application to change the Ownership and Control section of the M&RP for West Ridge Mine.

The Division has determined that there are some deficiencies that must be addressed before a determination can be made that the requirements of the R645 Coal Mining Rules have been met, and an approval can be granted. Those deficiencies are listed as an attachment to this letter.

Each deficiency identifies its author by that author's initials in parentheses, such that your staff can directly communicate with that individual should any questions arise relative to the preparation of a response to that particular deficiency.

The plans as submitted are denied. Please resubmit the entire application.

Sincerely

Daron R. Haddock  
Permit Supervisor

DRH/IC/sqs  
Attachment  
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**Deficiency List**  
**Task No. 3658**  
**Change of Ownership and Control**

The members of the review team include the following individuals:

Angela Nance (AN): 801 538-5264

The following deficiencies must be addressed in accordance with **R645-301-112.330**:

**Murray Energy Holdings Co.**

1. The AVS database shows **Robert D. Moore, President** with a Begin Date of 4/23/07. This information is not in the submittal. *Please address this discrepancy.*
2. The AVS databases shows Shareholders **Robert Edward Murray, Jonathan Robert Murray, and Ryan Michael Murray** with a Begin Date of 6/30/03. This information is not in the submittal. *Please address this discrepancy.*

**Murray Energy Corporation**

1. The submittal indicates that **Michael O. McKown** has a Begin Date of 08/01/08 as General Counsel and Secretary. While the AVS database shows this same date for the position of General Counsel, it shows a date of 02/23/01 for the position of Secretary. *Please address this discrepancy with a Secretary's Certificate.*

**Intermountain Power Agency**

1. Appendix 1-7 of the submittal still includes the ownership and control information for IPA, even though Page 1-2 removes IPA as a tenant in common. *Please maintain consistency and remove IPA's ownership and control information from Appendix 1-7.*