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IN REPLY REFER TO:

Moab District
San Rafael Resource Area
900 North 700 East
Price, Utah 84501

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Western States Minerals Corporation
84 Glen Garren Circle
Sparks, Nevada 89431

Dear Sirs:

The San Rafael Resource Area (Moab District, BLM) considers the proposed reclamation work in the Dog Valley Mine to be within the definition of normal conservation practices. This proposal is not designed to further the extraction of the mineral resources, nor will it cause land degradation. On the contrary, it will protect the land from further degradation from soil erosion. Furthermore, using the minimal impact methods as described in your proposal to accomplish this work will help lessen the effect on this project.

Sincerely yours,

Blaine Anderson

Acting Area Manager

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