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Dr. Dianne R. Nielson, Director
Utah Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas, & Mining
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**Re: NOTICES OF VIOLATION N91-35-6-1, N91-35-7-1, N91-36-6-1, AND
STIPULATION R614-301-742.113 RESPONSE, WESTERN STATES MINERALS
CORP., J.B. KING MINE, ACT/015/002, FOLDER #2, EMERY COUNTY, UTAH.**

Dear Dr. Nielson:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the opportunity to meet with you and your staff in Salt Lake City last week regarding WSMC's J.B. King (aka Dog Valley) Mine site, ACT/015/002, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah. Your time, perception, and interpretation of the issues was greatly appreciated, both by myself, and by WSMC's expert advisors - Ms. Denise Dragoo, Esq., and Mr. Barry Barnum.

It appears that Mr. Barnum's firm of Hansen, Allen, and Luce, Inc. was a good choice for WSMC in this matter, as I was able to meet with two of it's representatives (Mr. Barnum and Mr. David Hansen) for a site visit at the J.B. King mine the very next day following our meeting. Additionally, Mr. Hansen was again at the site yesterday with Jim Blackburn and a backhoe, testing soil and fill structures for stability in the new erosion control plan. I believe that HA&L will provide a well-engineered and creditable approach to resolving the problems at the J.B. King site.

Again, thank you for your time in meeting with us. Please let me know if I can be of any assistance.

Sincerely,


Dwight J. Crossland

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