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P.O. Box 310
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Subject: Final Approval of Updated Bond Calculation, Trail Mountain Mine, PacifiCorp, C/015/0009, Task ID #4197

Dear Mr. Fleck:

The above-referenced amendment was conditionally approved on October 2, 2012 upon receipt of clean copies. We received the requested clean copies on October 2, 2012. Enclosed is a stamped incorporated copy for insertion into your copy of the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

While the Division has approved your revised bond calculations, it is unclear whether or not PacifiCorp wants to actually have the bond reduced. If this is your desire, you may request a reduction in the amount of the performance bond in accordance with R645-301-830-430. However, PacifiCorp must retain a bond of at least \$822,000.

Thank you for your help during this process. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (801) 538-5325.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock
Coal Program Manager

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