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**Re: Extension Request for Submitting the Bond Estimate for the Revised Reclamation Plan, Pacificorp, Deer Creek Mine, C/015/018-am99c-6**

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company "Energy West" as mine operator, hereby submits a extension request for supplying bonding calculations for the revised reclamation plan of the Deer Creek Mine.

The condition approval for the revised plan was received on May 22, 2002. The Division required Energy West to submit bonding information by June 6, 2002. As we all know, bond calculations are a very involved process. The amount of time given to submit this information is insufficient. Therefore, Energy West requests that the Division grant an extension to July 7, 2002.

If you have any questions concerning this request, please contact Dennis Oakley at 435-687-4825.

Sincerely,

Chuck Semborski  
Geology/Permitting Supervisor

cc: Carl Pollastro  
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