



C/015/019 Incoming

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June 26, 2012

Steve Christensen
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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

**RE: Request for Reclamation Bond Decrease to Cottonwood Mine Permit
C/015/0019, Task ID 4078**

Dear Mr. Christensen:

On behalf of PacifiCorp, we hereby request to formally reduce the Cottonwood Mine permit surety bond in accordance with your letter dated June 8, 2012, where you've approved the updated bonding calculations with respect to the Cottonwood Mine and associated support sites. The present surety bond in place for the Cottonwood Mine permit is in the amount of \$2,964,000. With your approval of the new bond calculation, we now wish to proceed with formally submitting a decrease rider bond reducing the bond in the amount of \$184,640 from \$2,964,000 to \$2,779,360. Please advise if we can now move forward and secure the necessary decrease rider bond to reflect the new bond amount of \$2,779,360.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact myself at 435-687-4712 or Scott Child at 801-220-4612.

Sincerely,

for Ken Fleck
Geology and Environmental Affairs Manager

cc: IMC - S. Child
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