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Dr. Dianne Nielson, Director
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Re: Bear Canyon Mine, Co-op Mining Company; PAP Amendment, Request
to Change Water Monitoring Plan

Dear Dr. Nielson:

The Albuquerque Field Office (AFO) has reviewed the above-referenced amendment as well as the current permit. The AFO suggests that final approval be deferred until receipt of the revised monitoring map and the revised monitoring plan permit pages. This will eliminate the confusion concerning enforcement of the monitoring requirements in the present permit.

If you have any questions, please call Bernard Freeman at (505) 766-1486.

Sincerely,

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Robert H. Hagen, Director
Albuquerque Field Office

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