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Subject: Conditional Approval of Sage Grouse Mitigation Update, Alton Coal Development, LLC, Coal Hollow Mine, C/025/0005, Task #5311

Dear Mr. Nicholes:

The above-referenced amendment is approved conditioned upon receipt of 2 clean copies prepared for incorporation. Please submit these copies by December 16, 2016. Once we receive these copies, final approval will be granted.

A stamped incorporated copy of the approved plans will also be returned to you at that time, for insertion into your copy of the Mining and Reclamation Plan.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5325.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock

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