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Inspection Report
Minerals Regulatory Program

Reviewed: PBB

December 10, 2015

Mine Name: High Desert Mine	**Permit Number**: S/027/0110
Operator Name: GM & S LLC	**Inspection Date**: June 2, 2015
Inspector(s): Peter Brinton	**Time**: noon
Other Participants: None	**Mine Status**: Proposed

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	☒	☒	☐
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	☒	☒	☐
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	☐	☐	☐
4. Deleterious Material	☐	☐	☐
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	☐	☐	☐
6. Reclamation	☐	☐	☐
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	☐	☐	☐
8. Soils	☐	☐	☐
9. Revegetation	☒	☐	☐
10. Other	☒	☒	☐

Permit fee: Delinquent since 2008 **Bond Renewal Date**: N/A **Bond Amount**: $0

Purpose of Inspection: Evaluate site conditions to verify no disturbance exists

Inspection Summary:

This site was never permitted. No mining disturbances were found in the area of the dry wash where mining was planned in the 2006 proposed Notice. See attached photos. This area around the site has been previously inspected multiple times from a vehicle while passing through the area, and never has disturbance been observed.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

No mining-related disturbance is present in the area identified in the Notice. No reclamation surety has been posted since the Notice was submitted, and no permit was issued. The file should be closed.

Inspector's Signature Peter Brinton

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View of part of the channel in the area proposed for mining.

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