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RE: Mitigation Report for Rio Tinto Kennecott Copper's East Waste Rock Expansion Project: "Archaeological and Data Recovery at the Historic Lark Townsite (Site 42SL0784), Salt Lake County, Utah DOGM File M/035/0002

For future correspondence, please reference Case No. 14-1224

Dear Mr. Baker:

The Utah State Historic Preservation Office acknowledges receipt of the above-referenced final mitigation report. We find it meets the minimum expectations to satisfy the mitigation agreement. UTSHPO hopes to work with DOGM to ensure higher quality mitigation for future undertakings.

If you have questions, please contact me at 801-245-7263 or by email at cmerritt@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

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