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Mr. Joe Clarke
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Dear Mr. Clarke:

The Reclamation Division is prepared to recommend Commission approval of Revision No. 32 to Permit NAFK-8705 at the June 24nd Commission meeting. As required by NDAC 69-05.2-06-01(2), The Falkirk Mining Company must update the ownership and control (business entity) information that is listed in Section 1.3.1 of the permit or provide a statement that the information currently in the permit is still current. Any updated information will be subject to a query on OSM's Applicant Violator System before approval of the revision. The additional ownership and control information needs to be filed no later than June 22nd.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James R. Deutsch".

James R. Deutsch
Director
Reclamation Division

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