

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C.
Revision No. 1, Permit NACC-1301
Approval

Case No. RC-16-659

**REVISION OF PERMIT TO ENGAGE IN
SURFACE COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION OPERATIONS**

November 30, 2016

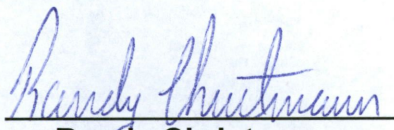
Based on the application for **Revision Number 1 to Permit Number NACC-1301 received October 5, 2016**, and all information and documentation contained therein, the North Dakota Public Service Commission finds that:

1. The revision application submitted on October 5, 2016, is complete and accurate and the applicant has complied with the requirements of Chapter 38-14.1 of the North Dakota Century Code and Article 69-05.2 of the North Dakota Administrative Code; and
2. Permit NACC-1301 is effectively terminated with the deletion of this acreage; however, the 84.24 acres affected by mining activities within this area remain subject to the applicable mining and reclamation standards and approved plans in Surface Coal Mining Permit NACC-1302.

Revision Number 1 to Permit Number NACC-1301 is hereby granted to Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C. to delete 84.24 acres in Sections 30 and 31, T143N, R88W in Mercer County, from this permit and to transfer all reclamation liabilities on this acreage to Permit Number NACC-1302 for the Coyote Creek Mine.

The approved revision is subject to the requirements of Chapter 38-14.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, Article 69-05.2 of the North Dakota Administrative Code, the conditions of the approved permit, and any additional or revised permit conditions listed on attached PSC Reclamation Form - 3. Pursuant to Section 38-14.1-23 of the North Dakota Century Code and Article 69-05.2 of the North Dakota Administrative Code, this revision was found to be a significant alteration to the previously approved permit.

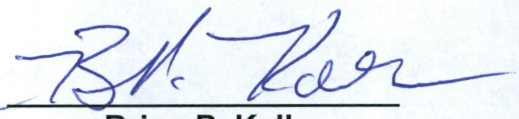
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