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Dear Mr. Volk:

BNI Coal, Ltd.'s May 5, 2021 response to our May 5, 2021 completeness review letter for the application of Revision No. 8 to Permit BNCR-1101 at the Center Mine has addressed the remaining completeness review item. The Reclamation Division deems the Revision No. 8 application complete and grants approval to begin publishing the newspaper notice of application for a permit revision. We understand that BNI Coal intends to begin notice publication on Thursday, May 13th for four consecutive weeks in the Center Republican and Bismarck Tribune ending on Thursday, June 3rd. Please submit the affidavits of publication when complete as required by NDCC 38-14.1-18(1).

Please contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

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