



# Public Service Commission

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Dear Mr. Petrick:

The Reclamation Division has completed its review of the worst-case reclamation cost calculation submitted by BNI Coal, Ltd as part of Revision No. 19 to Permit BNCR-9401. The minimum bond amount of \$1,026,271 proposed with Revision No. 19 is determined to be sufficient.

Surety Bond No. 800043898, underwritten by Atlantic Specialty Insurance Company, currently covers the bond area in the amount of \$1,404,271.00. Surety Bond No. 800043898 exceeds the minimum bond amount required for Permit BNCR-9401 and is therefore considered adequate. No further action concerning the bond is necessary with Revision No. 19 to Permit BNCR-9401.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

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