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Bill Pruitt Decker Coal Company East Decker Coal Mine 12 Lakeshore Drive Decker, MT 59025

Permit ID: C1983007 Revision Type: N/A

Permitting Action: Extension

Subject: 2020 Annual Bond Calculation

Dear Bill:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has reviewed your request for extension to provide the 2020 Annual Bond Calculation by April 15, 2020 as required by your permit commitment, until May 15, 2020.

Based on the current circumstances associated with COVID-19 shelter in place requirements, DEQ approves the requested extension to provide the bond calculation until May 15, 2020.

Please feel free to contact Robert D. Smith at 406-444-7444 with questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Matthew Dorrington, Supervisor

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Attachments: COVID19BondCalcExtension.pdf

Please see attached correspondence. Have a great day!

Sharona Gilbert

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The best laid schemes o' Mice an' Men, Gang aft agley ~Robert Burns