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Mr. Rick Reycraft Department of Cultural Affairs, Historic Preservation Division 407 Galisteo St., Suite 236 Santa Fe, NM 87501

RE: New Minimal Impact Exploration Permit Application, MOI Peru Mill Tailings Project, Luna, New Mexico, Permit No. LU038EM

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Dr. Matthew Wunder NM Department of Game and Fish P.O. Box 25112 Santa Fe, NM 87504

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Ms. Laura McCarthy NM State Forestry Division P.O. Box 1948 Santa Fe, NM 87504-1948

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