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Mr. Arley Richau Attorney-at-Law Gulf Coast Mining Group, LLC. 12401 North 68th Place Scottsdale, AZ 85254

RE: BLM April 19, 2019 Response to Memorandum dated December 17, 2018, "Road Segment at Iron Duke Mine"

Dear Mr. Richau:

On June 27, 2019, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Environmental Protection Specialist Joe Navarro met with Gulf Coast Mining LLC. Representative Randy Bouldin to discuss reclamation requirements for a road segment on public land.

In reference to the subject memorandum (see enclosed), specifically item 2, Mr. Navarro and Mr. Bouldin discussed a reasonable reclamation approach. The roadway will need to be re-contoured to match the adjacent undisturbed areas by removing berm materials and placing them back on the roadway. Thus, all berms must be completely removed, with the work occurring only within the existing areas of the disturbance.

Due to the rocky/cobble terrain, seeding and mulching would not yield appreciable results; therefore seeding and mulching is not required.

When the work is to begin, please contact Mr. Navarro so he can schedule a follow-up inspection. You may reach him at (575) 525-4363, or by email at <u>jnavarro@blm.gov</u>.

Thus far, we appreciate the steps that have and are yet to be taken to mitigate the road segment at

the Iron Duke Mine. Please continue to work with BLM Realty Specialist, Anthony Hom. You may contact him at ahom@blm.gov or (575) 525-4331. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

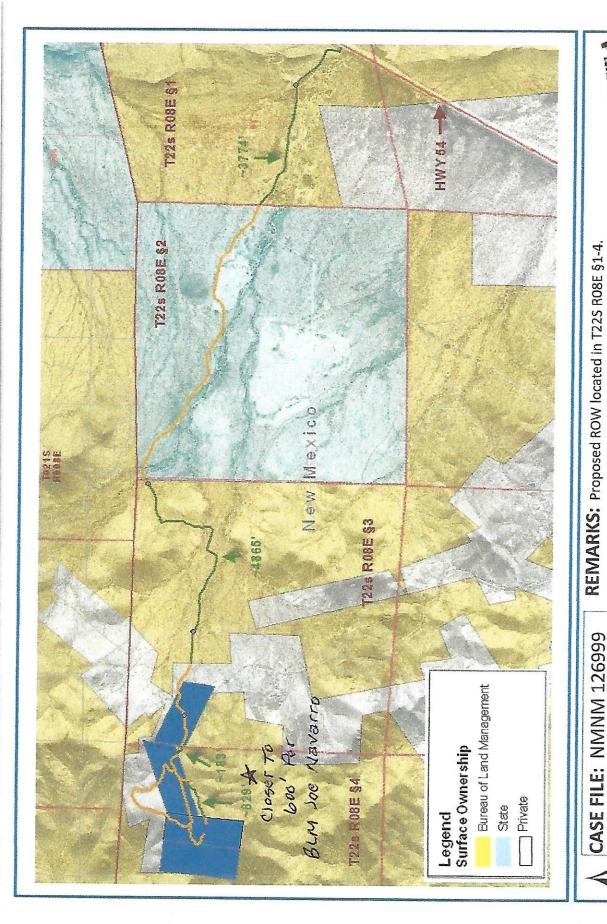
Sincerely,

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Enclosure



public lands shown in green. Mine patents shown in blue – plotted Entire project shown in orange and green. Proposed ROW across REMARKS: Proposed ROW located in T22S R08E §1-4. from survey data.

DATE PREPARED: 18 Aug 11

EXHIBIT A

Length = ~9651'; Width = ~36'; Acreage = ~7.98 acres

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