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Ms. Brenda Erdoes, Legislative Counsel C/o Debra. Corp Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB), Legal Division 401 South Carson Street Carson City. Nevada 89701-4747

Re: Regulation P2014-04: Mining Reclamation

Dear Ms. Corp:

Enclosed for "drafting" by the LCB Legal Division is a proposed permanent regulation. This regulation amends certain sections of state regulations contained in NAC 519A that govern reclamation of land subject to mining operations.

To assist in the drafting process and to further explain the justification for the proposed changes to this regulation, I am including State Environmental Commission (SEC) Form 1. This form was prepared by staff from the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection.

If you have any questions about this regulation please contact Mr. Paul Comba at 687-9402.

Sincerely,

John B. Walker

John B Walker Executive Secretary

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