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BY E-MAIL
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Mr. Victor Rozon
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Dear Mr. Rozon:

Enclosed for your review and comment is a draft air quality permit for your Oracle Ridge Mine facility located near San Manuel Arizona 85631. The draft permit includes Parts A & B and Attachments 1 – 3. Part A consists of the general conditions that apply to your facility. Part B contains the Specific Conditions that apply to your facility and include applicable emission limits and standards, operational limitations, air pollution controls, monitoring requirements, recordkeeping and reporting provisions as well as testing requirements. Attachment 1 contains a list of applicable regulations, Attachment 2 contains the equipment list or processes and Attachment 3 is a list of approved insignificant activities.

Please review the contents of each Part carefully. If you have comments, please submit them no later than March 23, 2012. If you need more time to review the conditions, please send us a written request for an extension specifying the additional time you feel you need. If we do not receive any comments or a request for an extension within the specified time, we will begin the public notice process.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (520) 243-7400.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mukonde Chama".

Mukonde Chama, P.E.
Air Permits Supervisor

Enclosure: Draft Permit & Technical Support Documents

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