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UPPER PENINSULA DISTRICT OFFICE



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DIRECTOR

September 13, 2017

VIA E-MAIL

Ms. Jennifer Nutini, P.E.
Eagle Mine, LLC
4547 County Road 601
Champion, Michigan 49814

Dear Ms. Nutini:

SUBJECT: Humboldt Mill – Request to Amend Special Permit Condition F4 – MP 01 2010

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Oil, Gas, and Minerals Division (OGMD), has determined that the review of Eagle Mine LLC's (Eagle's) request to amend special permit condition F4 of MP 01 2010 will proceed as a significant change from the conditions of the approved mine permit. As required by R425.206 (4) of Part 632, Nonferrous Metallic Mineral Mining, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, Act 451 of 1994, as amended, OGMD will proceed to submit the request for amendment to the same review process as provided for a new permit application.

Upon initial review, the OGMD has determined that the following items are necessary to make the amendment request administratively complete:

1. Permit application fee of \$5,000.
2. List of other permits for Humboldt Mill that are currently or anticipated to be amended, modified, or renewed during the review, or as a result of approval of this amendment request, as applicable.

Once determined to be administratively complete, OGMD will proceed with plans to hold a public meeting regarding the amendment request. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact either me at the telephone number listed below or by e-mail at humphreym@michigan.gov, or Joe Maki at 906-250-4015, makij@michigan.gov.

Sincerely,

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Mr. Rick Henderson, DEQ
Mr. Adam Wygant, DEQ
Mr. Steve Casey, DEQ
Mr. Joe Maki, DEQ
File: Eagle Mine RM8