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WER 5685.10 Department of Environmental Quality Land Quality Division Proposed Revisions to Chapters 9, 10 and 11 Noncoal Rules and Regulations addressing requirements for small mining operations, limited mining operations and in situ mining operations

Craig Hults Land Quality Division Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality Herschler Building 3-W 122 West 25th Street Cheyenne, WY 82002

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Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary Environmental Quality Council

Dear Mr. Hults:

The staff of the Wyoming Game and Fish Department has reviewed the proposed revisions to Chapters 9, 10 and 11 Noncoal Rules and Regulations addressing requirements for small mining operations, limited mining operations and in situ mining operations. We have no terrestrial wildlife or aquatic resource concerns.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Scott Gamo, Staff Terrestrial Biologist, at 307-777-4509.

Sincerely, Mark Koni

Deputy Director

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USFWS cc:

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