

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

by the
State of Nevada
Division of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Air Pollution Control

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 445B, the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 445B, and the Clean Air Act, the Division of Environmental Protection is issuing the following notice.

The Administrator received an application for revision to Class I Operating Permit-to-Construct (OPTC) AP1041-2805 (FIN A0005) from the following applicant:

Barrick Goldstrike Mines, Inc (BGM).
P.O. Box 29
Elko, Nevada 89803

The Barrick Goldstrike property is located in Eureka County, Nevada, Sections 1-4, T35N-R49E; Sections 12-15, 21-28, and 33-36, T36N-R49E; Sections 7-9, 16-21, and 28-32, T36N-R50E (MDB&M). The Administrator has prepared a tentative determination regarding the OPTC that, in brief, includes the following:

BGM proposed a number of changes to their OPTC to accommodate the updated design of their Resin-in-Leach (RIL) circuit and ancillary processes. These include updating stack parameters, process rates, and removal/addition of certain equipment.

On the basis of the preliminary review and the requirements of the NRS, the NAC and the Clean Air Act, the Administrator is hereby announcing her intent to issue the revised Class I Operating Permit-to-Construct based on a preliminary review of the information submitted by the applicant. A copy of the draft permit is available for public inspection at the following locations:

Eureka Branch Library
80 South Monroe Street
Eureka, NV 89316

Elko County Library
720 Court Street
Elko, NV 89801

Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding this proposed action, or to request a hearing pursuant to NRS 445B Air Pollution and NAC 445B Air Controls, should submit their comments or request in writing, either in person or by mail or fax within thirty (**30**) days to:

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The application, draft permit, any comments received, and other relevant information may be copied at the above address or copies may be obtained by written request to the above address. Written comments or objections will be received at the Division of Environmental Protection, above address, until **July 2, 2014**, and will be retained and considered prior to final action on the revised Class I OPTC. Upon a valid written request received prior to the end of the comment period, the Administrator will schedule a public hearing on the application and proposed action.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know may be interested in this matter.