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DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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NOTICE OF FINAL DECISION - Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation

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Deadline for Appeal: 08/01/2013

**Reclamation Permit 0343
Wheeler Ridge Exploration Project
Mt. Hamilton, LLC**

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (Division) has decided to issue Reclamation Permit, No. 0343, for an exploration project to Mt. Hamilton LLC (Permittee). This permit authorizes the Permittee to reclaim the Wheeler Ridge Exploration Project located in White Pine County, Nevada. The Division has been provided with an application, in accordance with Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) and Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 519A to assure the Division that the Permittee will leave the project site safe, stable, and capable of providing for a productive post-mining land use.

This permit will become final August 6, 2013. The final determination of the Administrator may be appealed to the State Environmental Commission (Commission) pursuant to NAC 519A.415. All requests for appeals must be filed by 5:00pm, August 1, 2013, on Form 3 with the Commission at 901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001, Carson City, NV 89701-5249, and in accordance with administrative rules of the Commission.

Reclamation Permit 0343 authorizes the permittee to disturb up to 75 acres of land managed by the United States Forest Service (USFS) for exploration related activity. Exploration activity will include construction of drill roads and pads, and drilling of exploration drill holes. The project will be conducted in a phased manner. For more information, contact Todd Suessmith at 775-687-9412 or visit the Division's Bureau of Mining website at <http://ndep.nv.gov/bmrr/bmrr01.htm>.