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 Nevada Division of Environmental Protection is issuing the following Notice of Proposed Action.

The Director received an application for a new Class II Air Quality Operating Permit, AP0141-4391 (FIN A0715) from the following applicant:

Geo-Nevada, Inc. 230 E. Liberty Street Reno, NV 89501

Geo-Nevada, Inc. – Spring Valley Mine is located by driving east on US-50 to the Junction of SR-341. Then continue north on SR-341 for approximately 1.5 miles to the mine site entrance. The entrance is located on the east side of the road. The project is located in all or portions of Sections 20 and 21, Township 16 N, Range 21 E, M.D.B.&M.

Geo-Nevada, Inc. proposes to obtain a new Class II Air Quality Operating Permit for their gold mining operations at Spring Valley Mine. Emission units include material handling and a jaw crusher.

On the basis of the preliminary review and the requirements of the NRS, the NAC and the Clean Air Act, the Director is hereby announcing his intent to issue the proposed Class II Air Quality Operating Permit based on a review of the information submitted. A copy of this document, the draft permit, and the Director's Review will be available for public inspection at http://ndep.nv.gov/posts.

Persons wishing to comment 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 within thirty (30) days to:

Ashley Taylor, P.E.

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The application, Director's Review, proposed 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 Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, above address, until **February 22**, **2023**, and will be retained and considered prior to final action on the proposed Class II Air Quality Operating Permit.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all interested persons.