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High Range Exploration Ltd.
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High Range Exploration Ltd.,

Re: Application for Mines Act Permit
Property: Domin

Please find enclosed your Mines Act permit, which authorizes exploration activities as detailed in the Notice of Work and Reclamation Program dated Aug 29 2018. The Notice of Work and Reclamation Program form part of your permit, and you are reminded that you may not depart from the permitted program without written authorization.

Please ensure that you and all persons who are carrying out activities in accordance with this permit comply with all terms and conditions of the permit and are familiar with the permitted work program.

A Free Use Permit for timber cutting to support mining activities has been issued. Ensure all timber cutting activities are conducted by an appropriately trained and qualified person.

Mining activities are regulated by the Mines Act and the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia (the Code), among other legislation, and you are advised to familiarize yourself with the Mines Act and the Code. The Code and its guidance documents are periodically updated. Ensure to check the Code website regularly for the most recent version.

As you were advised via previous correspondence from this office, other legislation may be applicable to your operation and, as the Permittee, you may be required to obtain approvals, permits, or exemptions under that legislation. For example, you as the Permittee are responsible for determining if an exemption is required under Government Actions Regulation (GAR) Order #U-7-003 for Mountain Caribou in the Upper Fraser, Hart Ranges and Mount Robson Planning Units.

Industrial and commercial operators, including those involved in mining activities, have specific obligations under the Wildfire Act. Ensure you understand the definitions of industrial and high risk activities, and accordingly, your responsibilities and obligations that are based on how your mining activities are categorized.

Importantly, and as advised via previous correspondence from this office, be reminded that it is your responsibility to communicate with other overlapping and potentially affected tenure holders. These conversations are imperative to avoid or minimize conflicts. Examples of other tenure holders include:

- > Forest licensee
- > Recreation or tourism operators
- > Trapline holder
- > Guide outfitter certificate holder
- > Range tenure holder



A variety of online applications and tools are available to assist in screening for overlapping tenure holders.

Be reminded, Minespace is the ministry's platform where you can access any issued regional mine permits, and where you will submit regional mine permit-required and/or Code-required reports. MineSpace is also where you can appoint and update mine manager information and keep other contact information up to date.

Annual summaries that document yearly work and reclamation are Code-required reports. It is a requirement that you submit a completed Annual Summary of Exploration Activities (ASEA) form and detailed map of your mining operation annually, by March 31, to the ministry via MineSpace. This information is required to assist in the ministry's regulatory oversight of mining activity and if not submitted, may lead to compliance and enforcement actions.

Please be reminded that your Mine Emergency Response Plan as required via the Code must be posted at the work site at all times and must include the name of the designated mine manager or alternate in their absence. All employees must be advised and trained in the use of this plan.

Total reclamation security held as a condition of your Mines Act permit is \$137,000.00. Continual and progressive reclamation of the areas affected by the mining activities is expected unless otherwise advised in writing. The amount of your security deposit may be adjusted based on reclamation performance, field inspections by this ministry, and on reports which may be requested. Until the Mines Act permit is closed and security returned, the permittee and mine manager are responsible for the site.

Be reminded that departure from approved mining activities as specified in your permit requires written authorization. Ensure that you and everyone involved in the mining operation comply with all conditions of the permit and adhere to the approved work program in its entirety.

In accordance with the Code, ensure you provide this office with written notice at least 10 days prior to beginning work on the program.

Sincerely,

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