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Matthew H. Mead, Governor

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Ms. Jeanie Wolford
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Project Development
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RE: Cameco Resources' North Butte Mine Unit 1 Well Field Data Package, Permit No. 632, TFN 5 4/274 (Change No. 13)

Dear Ms. Wolford:

This letter is written authorization to Cameco Resources to commence lixiviant injection in the Unit 1 Well Field at the North Butte Mine, Permit No. 632. Initial authorization for the well field was originally requested under your letter and package provided February 7th, 2013.

The Land Quality Division District III staff has reviewed the application and has now accepted the well field data package as complete. Staff of the Water Quality Division have reviewed and classified the water in the monitor wells.

The material submitted will be attached to and become a part of the Permit 632 document as **Change No. 13**, and classified as a fulfillment of a permit commitment.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me or Mark Taylor in the District III Office.

Sincerely,

Nancy Nuttbrock
Deputy Director, Department of Environmental Quality
Administrator, Land Quality Division

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Cc: District III
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