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RE: Request for Agency Comments, Modification 24-1, Black Springs Mine, McKinley County, New Mexico, Permit No. MK026MN

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above-referenced project. I do not anticipate any impacts to NM State Listed Endangered Plants or Federally Listed Endangered or Threatened plants, as a result of this project.

Please let me know if I can be of further help.

Sincerely,

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