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RE: Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation's (Kennecott) letter entitled *Annual Report on Zone A Plant Operations and Acid Plume Extraction Under NRD Consent Decree*, dated July 29, 2009.

Dear Mr. Payne:

As the State Trustee for Natural Resource Damages (Trustee), I have received the above referenced annual report which covers the operational period between June 1, 2008 and May 31, 2009. The Division of Environmental Response & Remediation (DERR) has also completed a review of this report. Kennecott has satisfactorily reported on the operational history of the Zone A reverse osmosis treatment plant and acid water extractions for the third year of operations.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Douglas Bacon (801-536-4282).

Best regards,

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State Trustee for Natural Resource Damages

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