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Dry Valley Cattle Association

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Husky 1 North Dry Ridge Phosphate Mine Final EIS

c/o Tetra Tech

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Ref: Husky 1 North Dry Ridge Phosphate Mine

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter is to appeal issues with the Husky 1 North Dry Ridge Mine. The tippie area and haul road for this mine is in the Dry Valley Cattle Association's cattle allotment.

Water troughs and pipelines will need to be relocated in the area to be accessible to the cattle. At the current time this will affect three troughs and the pipeline servicing them.

With the opening of the Husky 1 North Dry Ridge Mine, there will be an increased number of vehicles in the area. We will need to have cattle guards installed in all places around the tippie area to help with the traffic issues. During the month of September our rider spends most of his valuable time chasing gates left open by traffic in the area. With the increase of traffic this issue will continue to get worse, causing more man hours to check gates and keep cows in the proper allotment.

With the loss of grazing in the tippie area the number of AUMs could be an issue on our association. Given in the proposed document the cattle numbers will not be decreased in the beginning and would be reevaluated in two years. If in the reevaluation in two years, we will not have any control of weather and drought conditions which could seriously affect our usage of the area.

Sincerely

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