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March 08, 2010

Ms. Elaine Snyder-Conn, Field Survey
U.S. Department of Interior Fish and Wildlife Service
1208 B Main Street
Daphne, Alabama 36526-4119

Re: Cedar Lake Mining, Inc.
Bull Gap Mine

Dear Ms. Snyder-Conn:

Please accept this letter as our request for comments from your office regarding the proposed surface coal mine site of Bull Gap Mine.

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If you have any questions or need additional information, please call us at your convenience at (205)978-5070 or you may email me at jw-task@charter.net.

Sincerely,



Jerry W. Williams,
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No federally listed species/critical habitat are known to occur in the project area. As described, the project will have no significant impact on fish and wildlife resources. IF PROJECT DESIGN CHANGES ARE MADE, PLEASE SUBMIT NEW PLANS FOR REVIEW. We recommend use of best management practices specific to your project (See <http://www.fws.gov/daphne/section7/bmp.html>).

Jan Pearson, Acting 3-16-2010
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