Fayette County Health Center 100 New Salem Road, Room 167 Uniontown, PA 15401 September 3, 2009

Bureau of Mine Safety

724-439-7469 Fax 724-439-7324

Mr. Jeremy Rohrbaugh Rohmac, Inc. P. O. Box 335 Mt. Storm, WV 26739

RE: **Temporary Approval** of the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip with a Cummins A1700 37 HP diesel engine, an ENK particulate filter and Clean Air Systems oxidation catalyst.

Dear Mr. Rohrbaugh:

This letter acknowledges receipt of a letter dated August 21, 2009 from David C. Sharkins of Rosebud Mining Company requesting tentative approval to use the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip (ser No. 0006909001) at the Penfield Mine.

On August 6, 2009 the TAC and BMS traveled to the Rohmac shop to inspect the equipment. On August 17, 2009, BMS conducted a second inspection of the diesel powered mantrip at the Penfield Mine.

Based on the information provided and the TAC recommendation, the Department *temporarily approves* the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip with a Cummins A1700 37 HP diesel engine, an ENK particulate filter and a Clean Air Systems oxidation catalyst. The General Specification Sheet must be strictly complied with. The PA ventilation rate for this engine is 2,000 cfm.

The Bureau of Mine Safety (BMS) will assign BOTE-D and BOTE-DEES numbers upon final approval.

The next scheduled meeting of the Diesel Technical Advisory Committee is scheduled for October 14, 2009, upon which time a formal recommendation will be provided. Should you have any questions regarding the process, contact my office at the above phone number.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Sbaffoni Director Bureau of Mine Safety

Enclosures

cc:

Ron Bowersox/TAC Paul Borchick/TAC

bcc:

W. Bookshar

A. Martin

M. McCaffrey

S. Gaida

R. Ceschini

B. Straka

J. Kerch

R. DuBreucq

TAC file/C. Dunn

JAS/WBB/cd

\epmsuns03\BMS\$\Director\Word Files\Word 2009\TAC - DIESEL LETTERS\L - to Rohmac Inc Temp Approval Model 732 PC Mantrip.doc

Fayette County Health Center 100 New Salem Road, Room 167 Uniontown, PA 15401

January 8, 2010

Bureau of Mine Safety

724-439-7469 Fax 724-439-7324

Mr. Jeremy Rohrbaugh Rohmac, Inc. P. O. Box 335 Mt. Storm, WV 26739

RE: Final Approval of the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip with a Cummins A1700 37 HP diesel engine, an ENK particulate filter and Clean Air Systems oxidation catalyst.

Dear Mr. Rohrbaugh:

This letter is a follow-up to our temporary approval to use the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip (Serial Number. 0006909001) at the Penfield Mine.

On August 6, 2009 the TAC and BMS traveled to the Rohmac shop to inspect the equipment. On August 17, 2008 BMS conducted a second inspection of the diesel powered mantrip at the Penfield Mine.

Based on the information provided and the TAC recommendation, the Department *approves* the Rohmac Inc. Model 732 PC mantrip with a Cummins A1700 37 HP diesel engine, an ENK particulate filter and a Clean Air Systems oxidation catalyst. The General Specification Sheet must be strictly complied with. The PA ventilation rate for this engine is 2,000 cfm.

The Bureau of Mine Safety (BMS) has assigned BOTE-D 136-09 and BOTE-DEES 146-09. These numbers that must be permanently attached to the equipment.

Should you have any questions regarding the process, contact my office at the above phone number.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Sbaffoni Director Bureau of Mine Safety

Enclosures

cc:

Ron Bowersox/TAC Paul Borchick/TAC bcc:

W. Bookshar

A. Martin

M. McCaffrey

S. Gaida

R. Ceschini

D. Walter

J. Kerch

R. Murphy

TAC file/C. Dunn

JAS/WBB/cd