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Dear Mr. Mottley,

On Wednesday the 9<sup>th</sup> of April a member of my staff, Eric Turbeville, spoke with your local representative Randy Bouldin. They discussed the proposed work El Capitan Precious Metals Inc. (ECPMI) would like to do on the patented land in the immediate future. My understanding is that ECPMI's plan is to continue to collect samples from the site using two six-wheeled heavy trucks, and will be using a pick-up truck to haul the samples contained in a 55 gallon drum off site for further analysis. My understanding is that ECPMI proposes to make no modifications to Forest Road 489A for this operation.

Based on this representation from ECPMI and my understanding expressed above, I feel this fits into the previously authorized use of Forest Road 489A under the existing Road Use Permit. No further authorization is needed from the Lincoln National Forest at this time for this level of activity. The current authorization will expire on the 30<sup>th</sup> of September 2014. If more sampling activity will occur after that date, ECPMI may request another road use permit.

If ECPMI has plans to conduct any activity above and beyond what Randy and Eric discussed, particularly if it would require any maintenance or improvement of the existing road, you will need to notify us in writing with a detailed description of your plans as discussed in my letter sent to you on March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

Sincerely,

/s/Larry Cordova (for):  
DAVID M. WARNACK  
District Ranger

cc: A. Blair Dunn

