WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION
STATE OF COLORADO
REQUEST FOR PARTY STATUS
COLORADO MINING ASSOCIATION

REVISIONS TO THE BASIC STANDARDS AND METHODOLOGIES FOR SURFACE WATER, REGULATION #31 (5 CCR 1002-31); THE BASIC STANDARDS FOR GROUND WATER, REGULATION #41 (5 CCR 1002-41); & SITE-SPECIFIC WATER QUALITY CLASSIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS FOR GROUND WATER, REGULATION #42 (5 CCR 1002-42)

Request: The Colorado Mining Association (CMA) requests party status in the above referenced rulemaking scheduled for hearing April 13, 2020.

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Areas for comment: CMA anticipates that it may comment on the following areas of rulemaking:

1. Total vs. dissolved standards

2. Groundwater point of compliance location (mining regulation text vs. proposed regulation 41 text)

3. Point of compliance agency authority (WQCD vs. DRMS)

Section 25-8-104(2)(d) C.R.S. statement: As a trade association, CMA does not hold water rights; however, its members hold water rights to which there may be potential for material injury which cannot identified until the rules are more fully developed.
Submitted this 4th day of February 2020.

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