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Bartly Kleven, Manager of Environmental Services  
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Subject: Preliminary Decision to Approve Air Quality Control Minor Permit AQ1616MSS02 for Peak Gold, LLC's Manh Choh Project

Dear Bartly Kleven:

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (Department) has reviewed Peak Gold, LLC's application for a minor permit at the Manh Choh Project and has prepared a preliminary minor permit and technical analysis report. The Department is now providing opportunity for public comment on the preliminary permit under 18 AAC 50.542(d). This decision is subject to public comment until 11:59 PM March 6, 2025.

I have enclosed a copy of the public notice, preliminary minor permit, and preliminary technical analysis report (TAR) for your review and comment. Please contact Jonathon Rea at (907)269-3703 or [jonathon.rea@alaska.gov](mailto:jonathon.rea@alaska.gov) if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Grace M. Germain".

Grace M. Germain, Supervisor  
Juneau Air Permits Section

Enclosures: Preliminary Minor Permit AQ1616MSS02  
Preliminary TAR  
Public Notice

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