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Mr. York:

On October 3, 2016, the Division of Water Resources – Mining Section filed with the Secretary of State's Office one Rulemaking Hearing Filing Form regarding amendments to the Rock Harvesting Rules found at Chapter 0400-40-18. The rules became effective on January 1, 2017.

During review of the rules, your office astutely noted a typographical error from previous language incorporated into the amendments to the new rules, upon which time I was notified of the error. The error was found on page 5, in 0400-40-18-.03 (2) (d). Specifically, the word "be" was omitted in the statement "stream crossings must be in compliance with the requirements of Chapter 0400-40-07."

Though we believe this word would not have any impact on the interpretation or implementation of the rules, we are respectfully requesting your office to correct this minor typographical error in the final version of the new rules to be published for viewing and disbursement.

Thank you very much for bringing this to my attention, and your help in this manner would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bryan Epperson", written over a large, stylized circular flourish.

Bryan Epperson
Mining Section Manager
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