NOTICE OF FILING

EXPLORATION NOTICE OF INTENT

PETE LIEN & SONS, INC.

Notice is hereby given that the South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources has

received a Notice of Intent to conduct exploration for magnetite, hematite, and other iron-bearing

mineral deposits from Pete Lien & Sons, Inc., PO Box 440, Rapid City, South Dakota, 57709-0440.

The resident agent is Suzanne Lien Gabrielson, PO Box 440, Rapid City, South Dakota, 57709-

0440.

The exploration area is generally located approximately 1.5 miles south of Nemo, South Dakota,

within portions of Sections 33 and 34; T3N-R5E, Lawrence County.

Operations are anticipated to begin in June 2024, after the department's issuance of written

restrictions pertaining to the Notice of Intent. The exploration project will consist of drilling up to 37

exploration holes to a maximum vertical depth of 540 feet. There will be up to 37 drill pads with one

drill hole per pad. Each drill pad will measure approximately 30 by 50 feet. The exploration project

will utilize approximately 3,960 feet of existing trails and roads. Approximately 790 feet of new drill

trails will also be constructed within the exploration area.

The Notice of Intent is available for review at the Minerals, Mining, & Superfund Program, 523 East

Capitol Avenue, Pierre, South Dakota, or on the department's public notice web page at

https://danr.sd.gov/public/default.aspx. Persons desiring further information may contact Roberta

Hudson, Minerals, Mining, & Superfund Program, at (605) 773-4201.

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