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May 25, 2016

SECRETARY OF LABOR, MSHA,
on behalf of **JENNIFER MORREALE**,
Complainant,

v.

VERIS GOLD USA, INC.,
JERRITT CANYON GOLD, LLC,
WHITEBOX MANAGEMENT, &
ERIC SPROTT,
Respondents.

DISCRIMINATION PROCEEDING

Docket No. WEST 2014-793-DM
MSHA Case No.: WE MD 14-13

Mine: Jerritt Canyon Mill
Mine ID: 26-01621

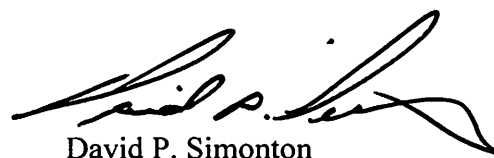
ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Before: Judge Simonton

This case is before me upon a discrimination complaint filed pursuant to section 105(c)(3) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977, 30 U.S.C. § 815(c) by Ms. Jennifer Morreale (Complainant) against Veris Gold USA, Inc. (Respondent).

On May 20, 2016, this court issued an Order Conditionally Approving Joint Withdrawal Motion stating that this matter would be dismissed with prejudice after confirmation of full satisfaction of the parties' private settlement agreement. May 20, 2016 Order. On May 23, 2016, Complainant and counsel for the Respondent both represented that the terms of the settlement agreement had been completed and satisfied.

Accordingly, this matter is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.



David P. Simonton
Administrative Law Judge

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ORDER CONDITIONALLY APPROVING JOINT WITHDRAWAL MOTION

Before: Judge Simonton

This case is before me upon a discrimination complaint filed pursuant to section 105(c)(2) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977, 30 U.S.C. § 815(c)(2), by the Secretary of Labor on behalf of Ms. Jennifer Morreale against Veris Gold U.S.A., Inc.¹

Complainant Jennifer Morreale, through the Secretary, has withdrawn her complaint in this matter, originally filed with the Secretary on March 24, 2014, and filed by the Secretary before the Commission on June 23, 2014, and moves for an Order of Dismissal, with prejudice, of their respective complaints against Veris Gold USA, Inc., and any claimed or potential successor(s), including but not limited to Jerritt Canyon Gold, LLC, Whitebox Asset Management, and Eric Sprott.

Consistent with prior court review, the joint motion is **CONDITIONALLY APPROVED**.² This matter will be immediately dismissed with prejudice upon notification from the Secretary and the Complainant of full execution of the parties' agreed upon resolution.



David P. Simonton
Administrative Law Judge

² See attached Conditional Approval Dickens v. NyrStar SE 2015-344-DM (December 11, 2015)(ALJ Simonton) and Order of Dismissal with Prejudice Dickens v NyrStar SE 2015-344-DM (January 7, 2016)(ALJ Simonton)

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