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March 19, 2010

Ms. Cecile Peters Chief, IT Services Division of Corporate Finance Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, NE Washington, D.C. 20549

Dear Ms. Peters:

This is to certify that on February 5, 2010 the NYSE Amex LLC (the "Exchange") received from Golden Minerals Company (the "Registrant"), a copy of the Registrant's application on Form 8-A for the registration of the following securities:

Common Stock

We further certify that the above described securities have been approved by the Exchange for listing and registration.

We understand that the Registrant is seeking immediate acceleration of the effective date of registration, and we hereby join in such request.

Sincerely,

Jamie Patturelli Assistant Director, Corporate Compliance