



DIVISION OF  
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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

January 8, 2008

Mr. Vladimir Fedyunin  
Chief Executive Officer  
and Chief Financial Officer  
Vanguard Minerals Corporation  
601 Union Street  
Two Union Square, 42<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Seattle, WA 98101

**RE: Vanguard Minerals Corporation (frmly Knewtrino, Inc.)  
Form 10-KSB for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006  
Form 10-QSB for Fiscal Quarters Ended March 31, 2007  
and June 30, 2007  
File No. 000-51640**

Dear Mr. Fedyunin:

We issued comments to you on the above captioned filings on September 17, 2007. As of the date of this letter, these comments remain outstanding and unresolved. We expect you to contact us by January 18, 2008 to provide a substantive response to these comments or to advise us why you are unable to respond and when you will be able to do so.

If you do not respond to the outstanding comments or contact us by January 18, 2008, we will, consistent with our obligations under the federal securities laws, decide how we will seek to resolve material outstanding comments and complete our review of your filings and your disclosure. Among other things, we may decide to release publicly, through the agency's EDGAR system, all correspondence, including this letter, relating to the review of your filing, consistent with the staff's decision to release publicly comment letters and response letters relating to disclosure filings it has reviewed. You can find more information about the staff's decision to release filing correspondence at <http://www.sec.gov/news/press/2004-89.htm> and <http://www.sec.gov/news/press/2005-72.htm>.

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You may contact Kenya Wright Gumbs, Staff Accountant, at (202) 551-3373 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Larry Spigel  
Assistant Director