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ERRATUM

The standard state chemical potentials of the two Missouri beidellites reported in Table 1 of Sposito (1986) are in error. For the Mg-beidellite, $\mu^0_{exp} = -5200$ kJ/mole and $\mu^0_{calc} = -5194$ kJ/mole. For the K-beidellite, $\mu^0_{exp} = -5215$ kJ/mole and $\mu^0_{calc} = -5223$ kJ/mole. These two corrected entries should appear in rows 6 and 7 of the table. The value of μ^0_{exp} for Cheto bentonite in the last row of the table should be -5245 kJ/mole.

I thank S. V. Mattigod for drawing my attention to these errors. None of the errors noted above affects any conclusion drawn in the article.

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