Appendix 4 2021 Spill Response Plan

CULLATON LAKE ENVIRONMENTAL SPILL RESPONSE PLAN

COMPANY INFORMATION

Cullaton Lake Gold Mines Ltd. is wholly owned by Barrick Gold Inc. The Barrick head office responsible for the site is located at:

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SITE LOCATION:

The Cullaton Lake property is located in the southern part of the District of Keewatin in the Nunavut Territory. The property is 250 km west of Arviat, NU, 400 km northwest of Churchill, Manitoba and 645 km north of Thompson, Manitoba. A topographic map is attached as Figure 1.

PROJECT HISTORY AND CURRENT ACTIVITY:

Cullaton Lake operated as an underground gold mine for four years from 1981 to 1985. Decommissioning and reclamation began in 1991 and was completed in 2001. By the end of 2001, all mine buildings had been removed, roads were decommissioned and the tailings impoundment area was reclaimed. No chemicals, fuels or reagents remain on site.

Present site activities consist of a single one to five day annual visit for inspection, monitoring and maintenance purposes. The site is dormant and uninhabited for the remainder of the year.

REVISIONS AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF PLAN:

This plan was last reviewed and revised on March 12, 2021 and is effective until March 31, 2022.

SPILL CONTROL AND REPORTING PROCEDURES:

Should it be necessary to mobilize contractors to the site for any reason in the future, the contractor will be required to supply spill control and clean up materials, have a spill control plan and train personnel in spill response procedures.

Upon discovery of a spill, the person discovering the spill will take the following actions:

INITIAL ACTIONS:

- a. Stop the flow if possible.
- b. Eliminate open flame ignition sources (i.e. extinguish cigarettes, shut off motors (from a remote location if surrounded by vapours).
- c. Contain flow of fuel by dyking, barricading or blocking flow by any means available. Use earth-moving equipment if available. A dam made of earth or other available fill can be quickly constructed to contain and prevent a spill from spreading. If the ground is permeable, it may be necessary to excavate a shallow depression and line it with plastic to prevent the spill from seeping away.

ACTION IN CASE OF FIRE:

- a. Use C0₂, dry chemical, foam or water spray (fog), although water may spread the fire.
- b. Use jet streams to wash away burning gasoline.
- c. Use fog streams to protect any rescue team and trapped people.
- d. Use water to cool surface of tanks.
- e. Divert the oil or gasoline to an open area and let it burn off under control. If the fire is put out before all the fuel is consumed, beware of re-ignition. Rubber tires are almost impossible to extinguish after igniting with fire. Remove vehicles with burning tires from the danger area.

RECOVERY PROCEDURE:

- a. Unburned oil or gasoline can be soaked up by sand and peat moss, or by commercial absorbents such as Graboil.
- b. If necessary, contaminated soil should be excavated and disposed of as per the following section.
- c. Fuel entering the ground can be recovered by digging sumps or trenches.

DISPOSAL:

- a. Evaporation may be used if appropriate.
- b. Disposal as per the approved Abandonment and Restoration (1996) Plan.

REPORTING:

An individual discovering a spill must report it as soon as possible to the 24 hour Spill Report Line by calling:

(867) 920-8130

- (1) A person reporting a spill shall give as much of the following information as possible:
 - date and time of spill
 - location of spill
 - direction spill is moving
 - name and phone number of a contact person close to the location of the spill
 - type and description of contaminant spilled including an estimate of the quantity
 - cause of spill
 - status of spill (i.e. continuing or stopped)
 - action taken to contain, recover, clean-up, and dispose of contaminant
 - name, address and phone number of person reporting the spill
 - name of owner, or person in charge or control of contaminant at time of spill
- (2) No person shall delay reporting a spill because of lack of knowledge of the factors listed in subsection (1).
- (3) The person reporting the spill shall also contact:
- INAC Manager of Field Operations at: (867) 975-4295
- Environment Canada at (867) 920-8130
- Government of Nunavut Environmental Protection at (867) 975-7700
- Kivalliq Inuit Association at (867) 645-5733 or 1-800-220-6581 Contact Stephen Hartman
- Barrick Gold Corporation :

Paul Brugger, Site Manager

Phone: **705-632-1871** Cell: 807-631-4895

Alternate: Allison Brown,

Canadian Closed Sites Manager

Cell: 778-929-3079

- If required:
 - RCMP Arviat at (867) 857-0123
 - Arviat Hospital at (867) 857-3100
 - Arviat Fire Response at (867) 857-9999
- (4) The attached NT-NU Spill Report will also be completed and submitted to the Nunavut spills reporting office at fax: (867) 873-6924 or email spills@gov.nt.ca

NT-NU SPILL REPORT

OIL, GASOLINE, CHEMICALS AND OTHER HAZARDOUS MATERIALS







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G	Any Contractor Involved: Contractor				Address or Office Location:						
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