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NUNAVUT WATER BOARD
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**File No: 2AM-BRP1831/
Amendment Application**

March 19, 2021

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Subject: Water Licence No: 2AM-BRP1831; Amendment Application by Sabina Gold & Silver Corp.; Back River Project; Technical Meeting and Pre-Hearing Conference Final Agenda

Dear Mr. Pickard:

Please find attached a copy of the Agenda for the Teleconference scheduled to discuss the application for amendment to Water Licence No: 2AM-BRP1831 (the Application) submitted by Sabina Gold & Silver Corp. (Sabina) for the Back River Project.

As indicated in the Agenda below, the Teleconference is scheduled for **8:30 am MST (7:30 am PST) on Friday, March 26, 2021**. Please note that the Agenda includes the videoconference link, as well as the call-in information to accommodate those participants who will be joining by phone. Please also note that the TM/PHC might continue past the scheduled hours, if additional time is required to discuss the issues raised during the TM.

Copies of all presentations received from the respective parties intending to make representation to the Board at the Teleconference, were placed in the Board's Public Registry and made available through the NWB's FTP site using the following link:

<ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-BRP1831%20Sabina/2%20ADMIN/3%20SUBMISSIONS/>

The NWB takes this opportunity to thank all who have participated in the amendment process for the Application thus far and encourages their continued participation in the remaining stages of the process.

If you have any technical questions or require clarification with respect to the above information, please contact Sergey Kuflevskiy, Technical Advisor, by email at sergey.kuflevskiy@nwb-oen.ca. For

procedural and administrative inquiries, please contact Richard Dwyer, Manager of Licensing, by e-mail at licensing@nwb-oen.ca.

Sincerely,

Richard Dwyer
Manager of Licensing
NUNAVUT WATER BOARD

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Attachment: TM/PHC Agenda

Cc: Back River Distribution List



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FINAL AGENDA

TECHNICAL MEETING AND PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

BACK RIVER PROJECT – SABINA GOLD & SILVER CORP

WATER LICENCE (TYPE “A” LICENCE No: 2AM-BRP1831)

Technical Meeting

Date: March 26, 2021

Time: 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM (MT)

Teleconference Call-In Information: Phone: +1 587 328 1099; Meeting ID: 956 9728 5642

Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/95697285642>

1. Introduction
2. Opening remarks/Application to the Board (15 Minutes)
 - a. Overview of scope and procedural history of the Application
3. Purpose of the Technical Meeting and Pre-Hearing Conference
4. Technical Review of the Application
 - a. Introduction of Participants
 - b. Presentation by Applicant (Sabina) (up to 45 minutes, excluding time for questions and answers)
 - i. Questions from Parties, other conference call participants and the NWB regarding the Applicant's Presentation
 - c. Identification of interested parties
 - d. Presentations by interested parties (up to 30 minutes, excluding time for questions and answers)
 - e. Formulation of outstanding issues
 - f. Identification of the parties' commitments to resolve relevant technical issues, service of documents to parties (deadline, public registry, form)
5. Closing of Technical Meeting



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Pre-Hearing Conference

Date: March 26, 2021

Time: 3:00 PM – 5:30 PM (MT)

Teleconference Call-In Information: Phone: +1 587 328 1099; Meeting ID: 956 9728 5642

Zoom link: <https://zoom.us/j/95697285642>

1. Pre-Hearing Conference

- a. Identify issues that may prevent the Application from proceeding to a Public Hearing
- b. Discuss form, timing, and location of a potential Public Hearing for the Application
- c. Establish timetable for the pre-hearing exchange of information including:
 - i. preparation and filing of additional documents by the parties (deadlines, form, public registry)
 - ii. document-translation requirements
 - iii. documentation to be included in the Public Hearing Record
- d. Finalize list of issues to be addressed at the Public Hearing
- e. Identify interested parties in the Public Hearing
- f. Identify any changes required to the Application for the purposes of clarification
- g. Final procedures to be followed at the Public Hearing including:
 - i. requested modifications to the applicable NWB Rules of Practice and Procedure for Public Hearings (May 2005)
 - ii. language requirements at the Hearing
- h. Consideration of any other matters that may aid in the simplification and disposition of the Application at the Public Hearing

2. Other issues

3. Closing of the meetings.