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RE: Sabina's Responses to the NWB Technical Review Comments on 2019 Annual Report for the Back River Project; Water Licence No: 2AM-BRP1831

Dear Mr. Keefe and Mr. Pickard:

This correspondence is to confirm that the information Sabina Gold & Silver Corp. (Sabina) provided to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB or Board) on October 16, 2020 in response to the NWB's technical review comments¹ pertaining to Sabina's 2019 Annual Report addresses all NWB's questions.

Additionally, the NWB has reviewed the Plan entitled *Back River Project Incineration Management Plan, dated July 2019*, which Sabina submitted on October 21, 2020 in response to the Board's request to include the information on the routine follow-up stack testing, and found this Plan functional and generally satisfying the requirements of Water Licence No: 2AM-BRP1831.

Copies of all relevant documents can be accessed through the following FTP link:

ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-BRP1831%20Sabina/3%20TECH/B%20GENERAL/2%20ANNUAL%20RPT/2019/

¹ S. Kuflevskiy (NWB) to M. Keefe (Sabina) Letter, RE: NWB Technical Review of the 2019 Annual Report for the Back River Project; Water Licence No: 2AM-BRP1831; dated August 24, 2020

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 360-6338 (extension 29) or sergey.kuflevskiy@nwb-oen.ca, at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Sergey Kuflevskiy Technical Advisor

NUNAVUT WATER BOARD

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