

September 19, 2012

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Re: Doris North Project 2012 Incinerator Stack Testing Compliance Report

Dear Mr. Sorensen,

Please find included with this letter a hard copy and CD of Hope Bay Mining Ltd.'s Doris North Incinerator Stack Testing Compliance Report. This is being submitted to you as part of the requirements set out in Section 4 Item 30 of the Doris North Project Certificate. It is also a requirement of the Type A water licence 2AM-DOH0713, as per Part G Item 6.

Results from the 2012 stack test show that Hope Bay Mining Ltd. was successful in meeting the Canada-wide standards for dioxins and furans and the Canada-wide standards for mercury emissions.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me at chris.hanks@newmont.com.

Sincerely,

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