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**Subject:** RE: Lupin Water Discharge  
**Date:** Thursday, August 13, 2009 4:13:43 PM

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Melissa: We will be collecting samples from the network points on Sunday afternoon and from Pond 2 Monday morning, August 17th. With expedited turn-around times, we expect to have results of the chemical analyses by the end of the week and the rainbow trout and daphnia tests shortly thereafter. I will forward the results as I receive them. Field pH in Pond 2 is currently in the range of 7.1 to 7.6. We have an additional shipment of lime arriving on Saturday and will begin distributing it into the pond then. We expect chemistry and bioassay to be well within discharge criteria when the confirmatory samples are collected on Monday, August 17<sup>th</sup>. I will advise you of our progress when we have obtained the samples.

Regards:

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 13, 2009 4:23 PM  
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**Cc:** Kevin Buck  
**Subject:** Re: Lupin Water Discharge

Hi Andrew,

Please provide the test results for your sampling as soon as available. Please note, without the confirmation of your results, INAC cannot allow a discharge to take place.

Thank you,  
Melissa

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**Subject:** Fwd: Lupin Water Discharge

-----Inline Message Follows-----

Melissa:

Field pH measurements are currently running around 6.7-7.0 in Pond 2. We will be sending another set of samples out for analysis on Monday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, providing the results of the lab tests confirm that we are within the discharge criteria, we expect to be able to start discharging water from the pond around August 21<sup>st</sup>. Attached is a letter giving notice of the potential start date of the discharge. I am working out of the Lupin mine until August 25<sup>th</sup> or so. If you need to call me, the site phone number is 403-313-8528.

Regards:

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