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Subject: RE: Meadowbank in-pit deposition of tailings
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Dear Nunavut Water Board,

As per correspondence on November 26, 2018, the Nunavut Water Board (Board) requested that Fisheries and Oceans Canada provide an update whether there were any subsequent discussions held with Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd (Agnico), and the outcome of such discussions. The Fisheries Protection Program of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO-FPP) would like to inform the Board that DFO-FPP conducted a meeting with Agnico on November 22, 2018, to discuss the proposed modifications, as noted previously to the Board in the letter dated August 24, 2018. At the meeting, Agnico gave a presentation to DFO-FPP regarding the offsetting contingency options. Currently, there is no outcome from the initial meeting with Agnico; however, DFO-FPP is evaluating the information presented by Agnico. DFO-FPP will continue to work with Agnico further to resolve the offsetting issues.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 867-669-4934.

Thank you,

Sally

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Cc: Karén Kharatyan; licensing@nwb-oen.ca

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Dear Parties,

This correspondence is regarding Agnico Eagle Mines' request for a 2AM-MEA1525 Licence modification for in-pit deposition of tailings. While NWB understands that NIRB's recommendations for the activity are under the Minister's review at the moment, we would like to request an update on the parties' discussions with the Licensee.

NRCan: thank you for your submission made on November, 21. While the submitted meeting minutes are useful in understanding the discussion, would you please file a summary outlining NRCan's outstanding information requests?

CIRNAC and DFO: there were several information requests from each Department. Could you please let the Board know if there were any subsequent discussions held with the Licensee? If so, could you please update on the outcome?

KIA: the latest submission from KIA received by the Board was of the intention to review the lease agreement. Could you please update if the review took place and if an agreement with the Licensee was reached?

Licensee: you are welcome to file any submissions / updates you deem beneficial.

All parties: if you find that a verbal discussion is useful, please let us know, and NWB can arrange a teleconference early next week.

Thank you,

Assol Kubeisinova-

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