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Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.  
c/o Jamie Quesnel  
Environmental Superintendent  
145 King Street East, Suite 400  
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Dear Mr. Quesnel:

**Subject: Processing of Application for a Paragraph 35(2)(b) *Fisheries Act* Authorization is Resumed**

Further to our correspondence of August 15, 2014, the Fisheries Protection Program (the Program) of Fisheries and Oceans Canada is notifying you that the processing of your application for a Paragraph 35(2)(b) *Fisheries Act* authorization has resumed on July 27, 2016 upon confirmation of a letter of acceptance from the Minister of Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) to the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) to allow the project to proceed subject to Project Certificate No.004 Terms and Conditions.

The Program will inform you by October 27, 2016 of the decision to issue the authorization or inform you of its refusal to do so.

If your plans have changed, or the description of your proposal is incomplete - or changes during the review of your application, you should contact this office to avoid any unnecessary delays in the review of your application.

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If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth Patreau at (204)983-2361, or by email at [Elizabeth.Patreau@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:Elizabeth.Patreau@dfo-mpo.gc.ca). Please refer to the file number referenced above when corresponding with the Program.

Yours sincerely,

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