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# [Licensing] Meadowbank Type A WL Renewal - Reclamation Security - Land vs Water Splitting

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# Phyllis:

Please find attached a letter prepared by the engineering team at Golder Associates who were involved in preparing the cost estimate for the reclamation of the Meadowbank mine site as submitted by AEM to the NWB. The letter is intended to provide their professional opinion on the logic that was used in assigning the proportion of the reclamation liability that was assigned to the reclamation of the Tailings Storage facility for protection of water versus protection of land. As expected the proposed reclamation activities for the TSF are equally designed to protect both the land and water resources in the surrounding environment and one could easily take differing views on whether water or land should be assigned a higher proportion of the split based on the attitude and assumptions taken.

This letter is offered as further evidence to assist the Board in their deliberations regarding the application for renewal of the Meadowbank Type A WL.

#### Regards

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