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Via Email: info@nirb.ca

Re: Comment Request for Agnico Eagle Mine Ltd.'s Meliadine Gold Mine Project 2017 Annual Monitoring Report

Dear Ms. Thompson,

Thank you for your letter dated April 10, 2018 requesting comments from federal departments regarding Agnico Eagle Mine Ltd.'s Meliadine Gold Mine Project Annual Monitoring Report for 2017. I am responding on behalf of the federal departments including Indigenous and Northern Affairs, Fisheries and Oceans, Environment and Climate Change, Natural Resources, Health and Transport Canada.

After reviewing the 2017 Annual Monitoring Report, Transport, Health and Fisheries and Oceans Canada have confirmed they have no comments.

Natural Resources Canada would like to advise that an explosives manufacturing licence, issued to Dyno Nobel Canada Inc. by the Natural Resources Canada's Explosives Regulatory Division was renewed in 2017. The scope of operations under the Division 1 Factory Licence include two factories; an ANFO plant with garage/shop located south of the mine site and a new emulsion plant with garage/shop and electrical building located northwest of the Tailings Storage Facility. The new emulsion plant is described in Appendix L- Explosives Management Plan of the 2017 Annual Report. The bulk explosives plants must be constructed and operate in compliance with the Explosives Regulations (2013). There was no inspection of the facilities in 2017.



Comments from Indigenous and Northern Affairs and Environment and Climate Change Canada are attached as well as a contact list from federal departments for this file.

We look forward to participating in further stages of the review of this proposed project.

Sincerely,

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CC:

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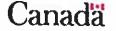
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Shari Currie, Regional Director General. Prairie and Northern Region Transport Canada

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