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Sent via email: licensing@nwb-oen.ca

Dear Ms. Porter,

Re: Review of Construction Drawing for Water Treatment Unit for Lake H17 Dewatering submitted by Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd., Nunavut Water Board Water Licence No. 2AM-MEL1631

Thank you for your August 31, 2016 request to review the Agnico Eagle Mines Limited's (AEML) response dated August 29, 2016 regarding the above mentioned.

AEML has clarified that the mobile water treatment unit noted in the above submission is only for the dewatering component of Lake H17. According to the Licensee, dewatering of Lake H17 is required to facilitate construction of the proposed dike (DCP1) located on the downstream side of Lake H17.

INAC is satisfied with AEML's response.

Please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone at 867-222-1008 or email at Amjad.Tariq@aadnc-gc.ca for further information.

Sincerely,

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