



Agnico Eagle Meliadine Design Report for SETP Upgrade 2AM-MEL1631

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Hello Richard,

Please see below for our follow-up response to ECCC Comment 1:

Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) raised questions about the process flow diagram provided in Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd (the Proponent) Saline Effluent Treatment Plant (SETP) Upgrade report. To address this, the Proponent provided an amended process flow diagram and responded:

...Also, for clarification, various contact water sources at site – including Underground and Surface Contact Water – are combined, at times, to minimize overall site footprint and to support long term environmental management at site. The strategy of TDS attenuation will be the primary process for managing TDS concentrations. The reference to the “reactor” in the SETP design report has been updated to reflect this clarification.

ECCC still has questions about overall contact water management and treatment flow diagram, and met with the Proponent on August 13, 2020 to ask for clarification. Based on our August 13th discussion, the Proponent has agreed to provide an amended process flow diagram and water balance flow diagram, accompanied by text clarifying the inputs to the SETP for treatment of contact water from non-saline sources.

Thanks,
Lizanne

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On Fri, Jun 19, 2020 at 4:09 PM Richard Dwyer <richard.dwyer@nwb-oen.ca> wrote:

Good afternoon,

The Nunavut Water Board acknowledges receipt June 19, 2020 from Agnico Eagle the design report for the Saline Effluent Treatment Plant (SETP) Upgrade & Operation & Maintenance Manual, they have be found at the link below:

<ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-MEL1631%20Agnico/3%20TECH/D%20CONSTRUCTION/SETP%20Upgrade/>

Parties are invited to submit comments by July 10, 2020.

Regards,

Richard



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