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Meliadine Mine Design Reports for water licence 2AM-MEL1631

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Hi Richard,

Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) has reviewed the November 2021 design report for the CP2, CP2 Thermal Berm, Channel 9, and Channel 10 and Waste Rock Storage Facility 3.

It is our understanding that the construction of the proposed structures will not occur in fish habitat but will change the local runoff patterns to direct meltwater and precipitation from existing mine infrastructure and planned Waste Rock Storage areas to mine wastewater treatment ponds as required in the June 2021 Type A Water Licence Amendment 2AM-MEL-1631 and subject to conditions of the Water Licence.

With regard to the Design Reports and Drawings (Version 2), DFO has no further comments.

Cheers,

Paul Harper

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