

Richard Dwyer <richard.dwyer@nwb-oen.ca>

Fwd: 2AM-MEL1631-Meliadine Gold Mine Project; Agnico Eagle Mines Limited; Notice of Modification

Richard Dwyer <richard.dwyer@nwb-oen.ca>

Draft To: Karén Kharatyan <karen.kharatyan@nwb-oen.ca>

Wed, Nov 19, 2025 at 2:37 PM

From: Colleen Prather <colleen.prather@agnicoeagle.com>

Date: Wed, Nov 19, 2025 at 2:10 PM

Subject: 2AM-MEL1631-Meliadine Gold Mine Project; Agnico Eagle Mines Limited; Notice of Modification

To: Karen Kharatyan-NWB <karen.kharatyan@nwb-oen.ca>, Ali Shaikh <ali.shaikh@nwb-oen.ca>

Cc: Jennifer Range <jennifer.range@agnicoeagle.com>

Dear Karen,

Agnico Eagle was provided with final comments from the KivlA and CIRNAC on November 17, 2025 for the Meliadine Modification

Agnico Eagle is writing to provide the NWB with clarity on the Meliadine Modification in response to these final comments

The following are key points for the NWB to consider in the review and determination of the Modification:

- 1. Approximately 2.6 Mm3 of saline water is expected to remain at the end of Operations. The underground void space at the end of operations is approximately 3.0 Mm3. The volume of water remaining can be fully removed by pumping to the Tiriganiag Underground.
- 2. Saline water that will be pumped to the underground does not require treatment.
- 3. The security provided for Meliadine Mine includes three years of pumping (2032 to 2034).
- 4. Additional security is not required
 - a. Pumping of saline water has been considered in the Water Licence and security, and thus it is appropriate to apply contingency for the small additional amount of saline water through this modification.
 - b. The liability for pumping of saline water out of the three pits represents ~2.6% of the overall contingency in Tranche 1.

Agnico Eagle thanks the NWB for their time and discussion on this subject and defer to the Board for a timely decision on the file.

Regards, Colleen



Colleen Prather, Ph.D., P.Biol. Permitting and Regulatory Affairs Superintendent colleen.prather@agnicoeagle.com | Mobile 819.651.2538



Colleen Prather | Superintendent, Permitting and Regulatory Affairs colleen.prather@agnicoeagle.com | Direct 819-759-3555 x4608196 | Mobile 819-651-2538 Agnico Eagle Mines Limited – Home office Nunavut –11600, rue Louis-Bisson, Mirabel, Quebec, Canada J7N 1G9

agnicoeagle.com