



Mary River Project - Modification No. 8 WRF Pond - Response to Comments

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Hello Assol,

Thanks for giving us the opportunity to confirm if the concerns QIA expressed with respect to Baffinland's Modification Request #8 were addressed in their response to interveners' comments.

QIA is concerned with the following responses:

1. QIA-ID8: QIA would like to ensure that it is necessary for the relevant requirements in Section 3 of the CDA Dam Safety Guidelines to be included in the OMS manual.
2. QIA-ID9: QIA is seeking NWB clarification if construction QA/QC specifications are the sole responsibility of Baffinland to commission and implement, and are not a requirement of the Type A Water Licence 2AM-MRY1325 or the Commercial Lease Q13C301. QIA and Baffinland have recently approved an operational plan for As-Built required by the Commercial Production Lease. This includes quality assurance testing results and validating these results with construction/design requirements to ensure performance of the infrastructure or facilities. This indicates that QA/QC construction specifications would be provided in a For Construction report to ensure appropriate QA/QC is performed to be detailed in the As-Built. The same logic could be applied to Schedule D. 1. J) of the Water Licence that requires data collected from instrumentation used to monitor earthworks and the interpretation of that data. Does the NWB share the same understanding? Additionally, can NWB provide further guidance on the requirements of construction specifications for modification requests?
3. QIA-ID11: QIA acknowledges Baffinland is providing one of the two documents requested. In addition, QIA is seeking NWB guidance on whether referenced design documents that relate to the design in question should be considered for review. Baffinland is of the opinion that they should not be.

Thanks for your time and looking forward to the NWB's response.

Best Regards,

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Good afternoon:

Attached please find BIMC's response to the interveners' comments on the request for modification #8. "Attachment 2" and "Attachment 3" are searchable versions of the documents provided in the "20180827 BIMC Response" file. Could you please confirm if the issues for concern have been addressed on or before September, 6?

A communication from NWB Licensing is to follow.

Regards,



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Hello Assol,

Please find attached Baffinland Iron Mines Corporation's response to comments received on Modification No. 8 regarding the Waste Rock Facility Pond at the Mary River Mine Site, under Type 'A' Water Licence 2AM-MRY1325.

We anticipate that the attached provides satisfactory responses to comments received. Should you have any further questions or concerns please feel free to contact me to discuss.

Thank you,

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