



**NIRB File No.: 16MN056**

November 23, 2016

To: Whale Tail Pit Project Distribution List

**Re: Opportunity to Request Copies of the Environmental Impact Statement for Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.'s "Whale Tail Pit" Project Proposal**

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Dear Parties:

On November 10, 2016 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) distributed correspondence noting that the submission by Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.'s (Agnico Eagle or Proponent) for the "Whale Tail Pit" project proposal (the Project) satisfies the minimum Environmental Impact Statement requirements set out under Section 12.5.2 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement and subsection 101(3) of the *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act*.

In preparation for the commencement of the next steps in the Review of the project proposal, the NIRB would like to remind parties that the electronic version of the Whale Tail Pit project proposal can be accessed online from the NIRB's online public registry at [www.nirb.ca](http://www.nirb.ca) by using any of the following search criteria:

- Project Name: Whale Tail Pit Project
- NIRB File No.: 16MN056
- Application No.: 124683

The NIRB would also like to offer parties an opportunity to request copies (either electronic or hard copies) of the document(s). Please advise our office via email at [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) by **November 25, 2016** of the requirement for copies of the document(s).

If you have any questions regarding the NIRB's Review of the Whale Tail Pit project proposal, please contact the undersigned at [sgranchinho@nirb.ca](mailto:sgranchinho@nirb.ca) or by phone at (867) 857-2052.

Sincerely,



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