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Subject: WRSF Instrumentation Design; Type “A” Water Licence No: 2AM-WTP1830, Whale Tail Pit Project; Agnico Eagle Mines Limited

Dear Marie-Pier Marcil and Jamie Quesnel:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB or Board) received from Agnico Eagle Mines Limited (Agnico Eagle or Licensee) on May 13, 2020, the document entitled “Whale Tail Mine WRSF Instrumentation Design Conceptual Drawings” (Drawings) as a requirement of Part D, Items 1 and 4 of Water Licence No: 2AM-WTP1830 (Licence). The Drawings were dated April 30, 2020.

The Drawings were distributed for interested parties’ review with a deadline for submissions set for May 21, 2020. The Kivalliq Inuit Association (KivIA) provided its comments on May 21, 2020. The KivIA inquired of the correct overburden thickness and its impact on thermistor placement.

On May 29, 2020, Agnico Eagle responded to the comments, and, after several rounds of further information exchange, the KivIA confirmed that all concerns were resolved on June 24, 2020.

The Board acknowledges that the Drawings address the requirements of Part D, Items 1 and 4 of Licence No: 2AM-WTP1830 and has accepted the Whale Tail Mine WRSF Instrumentation Design Conceptual Drawings as required by Part D, Item 1 of Licence. The Licensee is advised that the Board’s review of this document is a verification that the proposed activity is consistent with the existing terms and conditions of the Licence and more specifically with Part D, Item 1 and may proceed in accordance with the Drawings provided. It should be noted that the Board’s acceptance is NOT intended or offered as any representation regarding the suitability of the plans nor third-party verification of the design, construction, planning or engineering discussed in the document.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 360-6338 or assol.kubeisinova@nwb-oen.ca at your earliest convenience.

Regards,

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