



On May 14, 2019, the NWB gave interested parties an opportunity to review the submissions and provide comments to the Board by August 15, 2019. The NWB received comments from Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNA),¹ Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC)², and the Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA)³ that focused on the following topics:

- Management Plan, including:
 - Spill Contingency Plan;
 - Quality Assurance Quality Control Plan;
 - Water Management Plan;
- Surveillance Network Program monitoring;
- Aquatic Effects Monitoring Program;
- Waste Rock Management;
- Seepage Surveys and Waste Rock Sampling;
- Mine Water and Load Balance Assessment;
- Construction Monitoring; and
- Posting of Security.

These comments are available on the NWB's ftp site at the following link:

<ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-DOH1335%20TMAC/3%20TECH/B%20GENERAL/4%20ANNUAL%20RPT/2018/>

The NWB requests that the Licensee provide a response to comments within one month, by **September 23, 2019**. While the NWB acknowledges that some of clarification / additional information will be provided within the next 2AM-DOH1323 annual report, the NWB advises TMAC to include if necessary a timeline for the additional information/clarification to address parties' comments.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 360-6338, ext. 32, or by email at derek.donald@nwb-oen.ca.

Sincerely,



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¹ CIRNA comments received August 15, 2019.

² ECCC comments received August 13, 2019.

³ KIA comments received August 9, 2019.