

June 29, 2017

Hi Cynthia,

Nice to chat with you this afternoon. With regards to the relationship between Meliadine Gold Ltd. (MGL) and NxGold Ltd. (NxGold), please refer to the info below and attached. Note that NxGold has renamed the project (formerly known as Peter Lake Project) to the Kuulu Project to reduce confusion with AEM's Peter Lake Project:

- Glen Dickson and MGL hold an MEA with NTI (R12-00). This is in the process of being assigned to NxGold.
- MGL held 2 land use licences with the KivIA, KV311B01 and KVRW12E01. These have been assigned to NxGold.
- NxGold has been working with the KivIA over the last 3 months to renew the existing land use licences. Materials required to support the renewal were provided to the KivIA in April 2017. Discussions are ongoing and it is believed that renewal/extension of the LULs is imminent.
- NxGold has posted additional security with the KivIA to support the planned program and has entered into a security management agreement with the KivIA.
- NxGold has committed to assuming responsibility for the fuel cache and burn pit on the property that were associated with 2BE-PET1114. Through conversations with the INAC inspector and the NWB, it is understood that a close out inspection of 2BE-PET1114 is not necessary, nor would it preclude NxGold obtaining a new licence if NxGold assumes responsibility for the outstanding reclamation items identified under the last water licence inspection. NxGold has been in discussion with both the INAC inspector (C. Wilson) and the KivIA inspector (J. Tulugak) regarding clean-up of this site. It is understood that both inspectors are in agreement with NxGold's measures which include temporary stabilization of the fuel berm, installation of rain drains and removal of burn pit ash. These activities have already taken place. Once sufficient resources are on site to safely do so, the entire fuel berm and contents will be demobilized.

Further, as mentioned on the phone, the scope of the application submitted to the NPC and the NIRB was for a 5 year seasonal exploration program including seasonal camp use for up to 60 people and 6 drills, potentially operating March -October each year. When I input this into the respective online systems, there was an administrative error made when calculating the person days. This is highlighted in the NIRB reasons for decision wherein a 100 day program is referenced; the NIRB terms and conditions, however are activity-based and discussion with the NIRB staff (T. Arko) indicates that a 5 year seasonal exploration program is addressed by the T&C as written.

Should you need anything else in order to process the Approval Without a Licence, don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,
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