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MV2007L8-0031 – Compensation Claim process information.

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Hi Ian,

Thanks for your inquiry. I am responding on behalf of Shannon as she is away.

The Board is currently finalizing the process that will be in place for submitting and considering applications for water compensation in relation to the Giant Mine Remediation water licence proceeding. To that end, I can provide the following:

1. The May 16 deadline for parties to notify the Board of their intent to submit an application for a claim for water compensation will be extended by at least a month. An email to the distribution list about that should go out early next week. Regarding a party's need to notify the Board about an intent to apply for compensation, the information required at that stage in the process will be quite minimal (e.g., claimant contact information, brief rationale). Guidance on what will be required for the "notification" stage will be provided shortly – we are working on a 2-page overview of claims for water compensation (e.g., legislative references, who qualifies, what might be considered, etc.).
2. A bit later in the proceeding, the Board will issue a Directive with detail about the application process and information requirements for parties making a claim. This will include an application form, due date for complete applications, as well as the procedure the Board expects to follow for considering claims.

Please note that while the above speaks to the compensation piece, the deadline for reviewers to provide comments on the Post-EA Information Package submitted by the Giant Mine Remediation Team (on the MVLWB's [Online Review System \(ORS\)](#)) is still May 16. If the Sailing Club has any comments about the project information currently out for review, we certainly encourage you to submit those via the ORS by the comment deadline.

Board staff will be in touch soon with more information specific to submitting notices of intent to make a claim for compensation. We also expect to have a response soon to your questions regarding the club applying on behalf of its members versus individuals making their own claims.

Kind regards,

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Importance: High

Good afternoon Ms. Allerston

I am the Past-Commodore of the Great Slave Sailing Club and am leading its efforts in dealing with the impact of the Giant Mine Remediation upon our club and members.

The range of possible impacts fall between inconvenience (which has been expected) to considerable loss of assets and even the demise of the Sailing Club and the dereliction of larger sailboats. We are, however, hopeful that the remediation of the property occupied by the sailing club (for over 40 years) may proceed quickly in a staged process which may result in a pause in operations of perhaps only a season. If accommodation can be reached with the planners (and executors) of the remediation, then compensation may not be sought by the club or its members.

Ms. Kathy Racher, Chair of the Giant Mine Oversight Board has suggested I seek guidance from you about how to make application for compensation should it be needed. Hopefully neither club nor members will need compensation and the remediation will be speedily and efficiently concluded; however, I understand that applications may have to be initiated prior to May 16th of this year.

If an applications for compensation are made, should the club make application with respect to the impact on club assets and operations separately from some of the members who may be faced with abandoning their boats. Or can the club make the initial application on the members' behalf as well as its own.

Thank you very much for your assistance

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