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Dear Sirs:

Application # MV2017C0024

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RE: Pine Point Mining Ltd. Application for LUP Amendment MV2017C0024

We are in receipt of a press release dated September 20, 2017 from Pine Point Mining Ltd. ("PPML"), stating that PPML "has begun a ground gravity survey over several underexplored portions" of PPML property. The press release includes a map showing a 100 m grid for geophysical exploration including around the former townsite and former mill. Presumably this ground gravity survey will include line cutting and/or other land disturbance activities.

We wish to raise a number of concerns regarding PPML's planned activities.

It is our understanding that the areas identified for these activities on PPML's map are not covered under PPML's current permits. Rather, they are subject to the application to amend Darnley Bay's Land Use Permit (MV2017C0024) for exploration activities in the Pine Point area to cover additional recently-staked claims. This amendment application states that the requested amendment would "simply allow the currently permitted activities to occur on additional lands in the project area." (our emphasis). However, we note that PPML's application is silent on ground based gravity survey activities.

As this application MV2017C0024 is still under review, we request that Land Use inspectors confirm that no activities will be allowed to occur on the "additional lands" until such time as proper permits are issued; and additionally, that the MV2017C0024 permit application include a screening of all anticipated exploration activities including geophysical ground gravity surveys.

Sincerely,

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