Dear Sarah,

As requested by the WLWB, I have reviewed the transcript recording of the May 23 Technical Sessions as posted to the Public Registry. The 1.5 hour recording seems to have ended at the discussion of dust and so it is not clear whether some of the day's discussions did not make it onto the recording (the agenda for the Session lists it as scheduled for 9 to 4:30).

This means that I could not verify the accuracy of EMAB staff notes regarding WLWB staff comments from the Technical Sessions. Therefore, in the absence of such evidence as to what WLWB staff said or didn't say during the Technical Session, EMAB agrees to retract the sentence referencing a perceived WLWB staff opinion that "if an end-of-mine-life license granted, then a final Closure & Reclamation Plan must be prepared rather than the next ICRP version." It should be understood that this opinion, even if not shared by the WLWB, remains EMAB's position as stated in that bullet of the intervention.

Regards,

Tim Byers.