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VIA EMAIL

Dear Ms. Ho,

**Re: Canadian Zinc Corporation
Water Licence - MV2019L2-0006
Land Use Permit - MV2019C0011
Request to Adjust Security**

In relation to the above-noted files, the Department of Lands, Government of the Northwest Territories has reviewed and discussed with Department of Environment and Natural Resources staff, the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board's (the Board) August 29, 2019 Reasons for Decision, Nor Zinc / Canadian Zinc Corporation's (CZN) November 27, 2019 letter to the Board, and the Board's December 6, 2019 email. The Department does not have any comments or recommendations at this time. We note that the Reasons for Decision state that the mechanism to seek a change in the land use permit security amount is for the permittee to apply for an amendment to the permit.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Katarina Sebastian at (867) 767-9180 Ext: 24027 or email katarina_sebastian@gov.nt.ca.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Seale
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