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File: MV2020C0017
MV2020L8-0012

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Sent via Email

Dear Rick Walbourne:

**Re: Undertakings Resulting from Public Hearing – Responses Required
Type A Water Licence Application and Type A Land Use Permit Application
Pine Point Mining Limited – Confirmation and Exploration Program**

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB or the Board) thanks Government of the Northwest Territories – Department of Environment and Natural Resources (GNWT-ENR) for participating in the Public Hearing held June 15-17, 2021 to discuss Pine Point Mining Limited's (PPML) applications for the Confirmation and Exploration Program (Water Licence MV2020L8-0012 and Land Use Permit MV2020C0017). Undertaking #1 for GNWT-ENR arose from the Public Hearing and is presented in Appendix 1.

Responses should be submitted to the Board by **July 12, 2021**. The Board and Parties will use this information in evaluation of the Applications.

Please contact [Jacqueline Ho](#) at (867) 766 7455 or [Kim Murray](#) at (867) 766 7458 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J Ho", written over a horizontal line.

Jacqueline Ho
Regulatory Specialist

BCC to: Pine Point Mining Limited Distribution List

Attached: Appendix 1: Undertakings

APPENDIX 1: UNDERTAKINGS

From the June 15-17, 2021 Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board's Public Hearing for
Pine Point Mining Limited – Confirmation and Exploration Program
MV2020C0017 MV2020L8-0012

Table 1: Undertakings

#	Subject	Information Request
1	Water Use – Dust Control	<p>Regarding the use of pit water for dust control, Pine Point Mining Limited (PPML) has indicated that the 2013 GNWT Guidelines for Dust Suppression will be followed. In Section 3 of the GNWT Guidelines for Dust Suppression, it states that projects that have not been approved by the Environment Division must undergo an assessment before being approved for use as a dust suppressant.</p> <p>GNWT has agreed to clarify whether PPML is required to seek approval from the Environment Division for the use of pit water for dust suppression. If approval is required, GNWT will describe that approvals process including timelines and indicate what implications such approval requirements might have for Water Licence conditions related to dust suppression.</p>