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To the Paramount Distribution List:

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached letter outlining the Undertakings arising from last week's Public Hearing for Paramount's Pointed Mountain Gas Field Remediation Project.

Feel free to contact me with any questions.

Regards,
Erica

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To all Parties,

Re: Paramount Resources Ltd.– Applications for Water Licence and Land Use Permit – Pointed Mountain Gas Field Remediation Project – Public Hearing Undertakings

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water (Board) would like to thank all Parties who participated in the Public Hearing held on April 9-10, 2025 to discuss Paramount Resources Ltd.’s (Paramount) Applications for Water Licence (Licence) MV2023L1-0010¹ and Land Use Permit (Permit) MV2023A0028² for the Pointed Mountain Gas Field Remediation Project (Project).

During the Public Hearing, Parties identified specific additional evidence that is required for the proceeding’s public record to support Parties in developing closing arguments and assist the Board in making an informed decision on the Applications. These additional requirements are set out in the numbered Undertakings below, and in accordance with the Land and Water Board (LWB) [Rules of Procedure](#),³ the Board requests that the identified Parties submit the information by April 24, 2025 at 5:00 pm MDT.

Table 1: Undertakings

#	Subject	Undertaking	Responsible Party
1.	References to guidelines used for determining criteria used	Paramount to provide a formal reference (i.e. link to online document or APA format reference of document) list to the “ <i>Paramount Pointed Mountain Ltd. Pointed Mountain Gas Field – response to interventions regarding a potential onsite landfill</i> ” by Millennium EMA Solutions Ltd dated <i>March 13th, 2025</i> in regard to the list of guidelines used below:	Paramount

¹ See the MVLWB Online Registry www.mvlwb.com for [MV2023L1-0010](#).

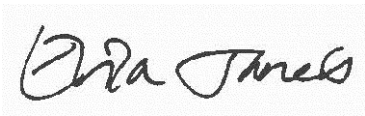
² See the MVLWB Online Registry www.mvlwb.com for [MV2023A0028](#).

³ See the MVLWB Rules of Procedure page to access the LWB [Rules of Procedure](#), Rules 61 and 63.

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	for placement of material in landfill	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. “generic guidelines” referring to NWT hazardous waste on Page 3 2. DW – Protection of Potable Drinking Water guideline on Page 5 3. VI – Vapour inhalation guideline on Page 5 4. HDC – Human direct contact guideline on Page 5 5. FAL – Protection of groundwater flow to aquatic life guideline on Page 5 6. ECO – Ecological direct soil contact guideline on Page 5 7. SFI – Wildlife soil and food ingestion guideline on Page 5 8. Alberta Tier 1 Guideline on Page 5 9. BC CSR standard for DW and FAL (applied in the absence of a CCME guideline) on Page 5 10. Tier 1 soil quality guidelines available from the Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) on Page 3” 	
2.	Distances of contact water discharge locations to surface water	Paramount to provide a list of locations where discharges of contact water to land would be closer than 250m to the nearest body of surface water.	Paramount
3.	EQC for all potential discharges to land	<p>Paramount to provide proposed Effluent Quality Criteria, as per the <i>Boards’ Waste and Wastewater Management Policy</i> with rationale and/or derivations where applicable, for effluent discharges to land, including but not limited to the following sources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the oxidation pond; • ponded water from soil excavations; and • contact water from bioremediation of contaminated soil. <p>Paramount to include proposed discharge locations and/or setbacks where applicable or possible.</p>	Paramount
4.	Options analysis for landfilling contaminated waste	Paramount to provide the standard or guidance they plan to use for the “evaluation of alternative remediation and management options or combinations of options in addition to the onsite landfill” referred to in their response to ADKFN’s Intervention 5.3.1.c.	Paramount
5.	Policy on Security	The Government of the Northwest Territories Department of Environment and Climate Change (GNWT-ECC) to provide the GNWT’s policy or policy statement on security for water licenses.	GNWT-ECC

Please contact Erica Janes via [email](#) or at (867) 766-7466 or Andy Wheeler via [email](#) or at (867) 766-7467 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Erica Janes". The signature is written in a cursive style and is placed on a light grey rectangular background.

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