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Sent by email

Dear David Harpley,

Re: Prairie Creek Mine All-Season Road – Request to Change Submission Deadline and Administrative Updates to PC2014L8-0006 and PC2014F0013

Parks Canada had considered Canadian Zinc Corporation's (CZN) request to change the submission deadline of the Closure and Reclamation Plan required under Part H, condition 1 of Water Licence PC2014L8-0006, and condition 108 of Land Use Permit PC2014F0013.

Parks Canada approves the request to change the submission deadline of the Closure and Reclamation plan to a minimum of 90-days prior to the commencement of phase 1 activities. Additionally, administrative updates to Annex A of Water Licence PC2014L8-0006 have been made to clarify Surveillance Network Program (SNP) sampling requirements. Mercury was omitted from draft Water Licence PC2014L8-0006 that was distributed as part of the public review, but has been included in the updated Water Licence PC2014L8-0006 to be consistent with the original issuance. The updated authorizations are posted on the Board's Public Registry.¹

¹ See MVLWB Online Registry www.mvlwb.com for PC2014L8-0006 and PC2014F0013



It is recommended that CZN carefully review all terms and conditions for phase I activities. The terms and conditions are clear about plans that must be approved before activities can occur. The approval of plans will require time for internal review, Indigenous engagement, public comment and proponent responses. Detailed information and time of submission will influence approval processes. Therefore, Parks Canada encourages CZN to consider this when planning submissions and advises CZN to make submissions as early as possible.

Please contact Allison Stoddart at (819) 661-0283 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Tsetso
Superintendent, Nahanni National Park Reserve