

SAHTU Land and Water Board
BOX 1
Fort Good Hope, NT
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Dear Bonnie Bergsma,

Selwyn Chihong Mining Ltd. (SCML) is requesting a five-year renewal of the Land Use Permit S16C-002 for the exact mineral activities described in the 2016 application and issued permits.

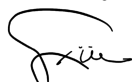
SCML is applying for a preliminary screening exemption as, in accordance with the Preliminary Screening Regulations and Exemption List Regulations, the project has not been modified. Please note that the management plans have been revised to reflect the stringent stance SCML has taken in regard to environmental management. As well, the revision captures the deficiencies identified in the in 2016 application.

After the issuance of permit S16C-002 a request was made to the board to have revisions made to several clauses in the issued permit, however, due to the timing of the submitted request, the Board could not consider the appeal.

SCML, would like to pursue changes to conditions 17, 29, 32 and 33 which required SCML to maintain a minimum of a 100 m setback from the ordinary high-water mark of any watercourse when performing the land use activities described in the application. SCML is requesting the board to reduce the 100 m ordinary high-water mark of any watercourse to 30 m from ordinary high-water mark of any watercourse in the Land Use Permit renewal.

If you have any questions, comments and/or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me via email at gxue@chihongmining.com.

Thank you



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