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**Sent:** September 26, 2019 11:02 AM  
**To:** Anneli Jokela  
**Cc:** Jamie Steele; Boa-Antwi, Kofi (DDMI); Nahum Lee; Kobussen, Alan (G&I); Sinclair, Sean (DDMI)  
**Subject:** RE: RTX Drill Program - Work plan submittal  
**Attachments:** Work Plan - Diavik Brownfields Drilling 2019 Ver 1.pdf

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Good morning Anneli,

As you now know, Rio Tinto Exploration has a current exploration drill program on the Diavik tenure operating under the DDMI Land Use Permit. In my following of the LUP, I missed the 48 hour notification of commencement of the program to Board. While I did submit our work plan to Jamie Steele with Lands and also Fred Bailey the mines inspector, I only gave the 48h notice to the mines inspector. I am deeply sorry for this oversight, and have spoken to Nahum Lee this morning about this. I can assure you, 100%, that this was not intentional and a poor oversight on my part. This is RTX's first exploration program on the Diavik tenure and I have been focusing on making sure that we were doing all things in compliance with the LUP. I did not get it all right and for that I, again, apologize. This will not happen again.

Please find attached the Exploration Work Plan mentioned above that goes through details of the project as well as lists out personnel on site and their contact numbers (p.11) so as to comply with information (names, alternates and contacts) portion on section 7.

Any questions or concerns, please let me know.

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