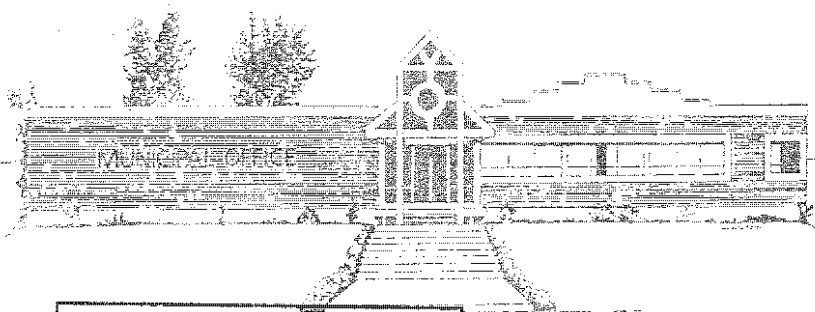


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Ministry of Forests, Land and Natural Resources
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Attention: Honourable Steve Thomson

Dear Minister Thomson:

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Re: Letter of Support - Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co. Ltd. Gething Coal Bulk Sample Project

On behalf of Council please accept this letter of support for Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co. Ltd's proposed Gething Coal Bulk Sample project.

In May, 2011 Council received and reviewed a notice of works package for the aforementioned project and in April we met with Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co. Ltd to address Council's enquiries about the proposed project. Council was satisfied with the responses they received and fully supports the proposed Gething Coal Bulk Sample project. At a Regular Council meeting held on Monday, May 9, 2011 Council unanimously agreed a letters of support be forwarded to respective ministries.

Council recognizes the benefits Hudson's Hope would receive from this project and assuming the sample meets expectations, future mining development in the area. Therefore it is Council's wish that the provincial government work with all parties involved so that the proposed Gething Coal Bulk sample project can move forward in a safe and timely manner.

We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Karen Anderson

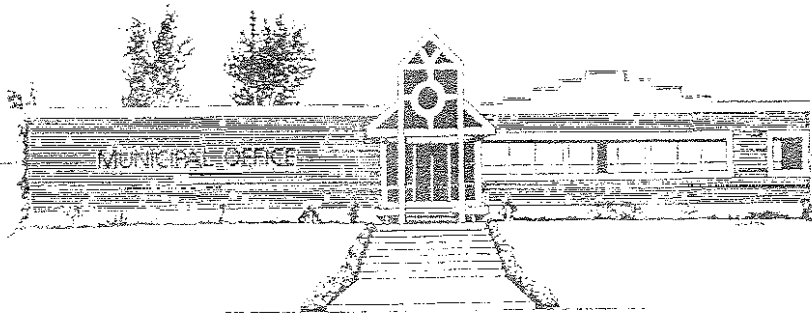
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Mayor

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Cc: Honourable Rich Coleman, Minister of Energy & Mines
Honourable Terry Lake, Minister of Environment
Honourable Stephanie Cadieux, Minister of Labour, Citizens' Services & Open Government
Honourable Blair Lekstrom, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
MLA Pat Pimm, Peace River North
Chair Karen Goodings, Peace River Regional District
Director Tim Caton, PRRD, Electoral Area "C"



JUL 20 2011

Her Worship Karen Anderson
Mayor of the District of Hudson's Hope
PO Box 330
Hudson's Hope, BC V0C 1V0

Dear Mayor Anderson:

Thank you for the copy of your May 10, 2011 letter of support for Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co., Ltd.'s proposed Gething Coal Bulk Sample Project, addressed to Honourable Steve Thomson, Minister of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations. As Minister of Energy and Mines, I am pleased to respond.

British Columbia is in the fortunate position of having abundant mineral resources and an innovative and growing mining sector. In meeting the daily needs of residents and businesses, mining is an important element of British Columbia's economy as an input to industrial and manufacturing processes and in generating jobs, investment and government revenue.

One of my ministry's goals is to create an environment that encourages and supports a thriving and competitive mining sector. We aim to remove barriers to mining investment and create the conditions that encourage investment and development of the Province's mineral resources. Through programs such as the Asia Pacific Initiative, the Province is building economic growth through increased trade and investment opportunities with China. China is now British Columbia's second largest trading partner, with bi-lateral trade totaling \$12.8 billion in 2010.

The provincial government is committed to working with communities, First Nations, industry and environmental organizations, to ensure that the continued growth, exploration efforts and development of our energy and mining sectors and resources are socially and environmentally responsible.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely yours,

Rich Coleman

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pc: Honourable Dr. Terry Lake
Minister of Environment

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and Natural Resource Operations

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July 7, 2011

Baozhong Nie, General Manager
Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co. Ltd.
812 - 1130 W. Pender Street
Vancouver, BC V6E 4A4

Dear Mr. Nie:

Thank you for your letter regarding your company's proposed Gething coal project.

I appreciate the time that you have taken to write and have forwarded a copy of your letter to the Honourable Rich Coleman, Minister of Energy and Mines. I have asked Minister Coleman to respond to you directly, on my behalf. You will be hearing from Minister Coleman, or his designate, in this regard at the earliest opportunity.

Again, thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

Christy Clark
Premier

pc: Honourable Rich Coleman



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Letter of Support about Gething Project

June 7th 2011

Dear Premier Clark,

It is my great honour to meet with you.

Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co., Ltd. (Abbr. CKD) is developing Gething Coal Mine project in BC. This project will be the first large scale underground coal mine in BC. At the first stage of this project, approximately 700 new jobs will be created. At the second stage of this project, around 3000 employees will work for this project directly, and more spin off jobs will be created.

Currently, CKD is applying for the Bulk Sample Permit for Gething. We have submitted the application on Jan. 24th, 2011 and have invested \$120 million in account for this project. Presently we are waiting for approval from the government. Please kindly help us to obtain the permit, and share with us your opinions and suggestions on this project.

Best Regards

Mr. Baozhong Nie

General Manager of Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co., Ltd.

E-mail: Baozhong.nie@kailuandehua.com

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Mr. Baozhong Nie
General Manager
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Dear Mr. Nie:

The Honourable Christy Clark, Premier, has asked that I respond to your June 7, 2011 letter regarding the Gething Coal Mine Project (Project).

The provincial government welcomes Canadian Kailun Dehua Mines Co. Ltd.'s (CKD) major financial investment in the Project, and recognizes the direct and indirect benefits the Project will provide.

It is encouraging that the CKD would like to extract a bulk sample, as this is an important step to advance its mine development proposal. Staff in my ministry are aware of the CKD's intent to obtain a Bulk Sample Permit. The CKD will need to supply all the necessary information and work with the ministry and other government agencies, before a decision can be made regarding a permit.

Should you wish to discuss this matter further, please contact Mr. Joe Seguin, Regional Director, Health and Safety and Permitting Branch, Mines and Mineral Resources Division, at 250-828-4448 or Joe.Seguin@gov.bc.ca.

Thank you for writing.

Sincerely yours,

Rich Coleman
Minister

pc: Honourable Christy Clark
Premier

Mr. Joe Seguin
Regional Director
Health and Safety and Permitting Branch
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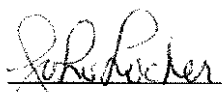
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Re: Canadian Kailuan Dehua International Mines Group Inc. – Gething Geotechnical Investigation 1640554-201103

At a Regular Council meeting held on December 12, 2011 Council reviewed and discussed Canadian Kailuan Dehua International Mines Group Inc.'s application for work relating to their geotechnical investigation of the Gething Creek coal property. In conclusion Council felt the impact of the proposed works appears to be minimal. Please be advised that the District of Hudson's Hope does not have any objections to the geotechnical investigation proposed by Canadian Kailuan Dehua International Mines Group Inc. for the Gething Creek Coal Property Mine Number 1640554-201103.

Yours truly,

DISTRICT OF HUDSON'S HOPE


Electronic Signature

John Locher
Administrator

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CC: Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Company Ltd.

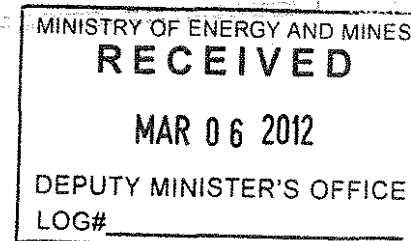


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February 8, 2012

Mr. Zhang Wenxue
Board Chairman
Kailuan Group
No.70 Xinhua East Road
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Dear Chairman Zhang:

Please accept my warmest salutations for health and prosperity in the Year of the Dragon.

I was very pleased that during my recent trade mission I was able to witness the commitment of Kailuan Group, Shougang Group, and Canadian Dehua Mining International to further invest in the Gething Project near Tumbler Ridge, British Columbia. I am confident that the investment will be beneficial for all parties, as well as for the wider mutual advantage of British Columbia and China.

I hope that this investment between Kailuan Group, Shougang Group, and Canadian Dehua Mining International is the beginning of a long and advantageous relationship.

Sincerely,

Christy Clark
Premier of British Columbia

pc: ✓ Honourable Rich Coleman, Minister of Energy and Mines
Honourable Pat Bell, Minister of Jobs, Tourism and Innovation



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尊敬的张董事长，

请接受我最诚挚的敬意，并祝您在龙年身体健康！生意兴旺发达！

在我贸易使团近期访华期间，我非常高兴地见证了开滦集团、首钢集团和加拿大德华国际矿业集团公司共同承诺，将再投资位于不列颠哥伦比亚省塔布拉岭（Tumbler Ridge）附近的概信（Gething）项目。这项投资将符合各方利益，以及不列颠哥伦比亚省与中国之间的更大互利，我对此充满信心。

我期望，开滦集团、首钢集团和加拿大德华国际矿业集团公司三方共同投资是建立一个长远利好关系的开端。

此致
敬礼！

简惠芝（Christy Clark）
加拿大不列颠哥伦比亚省省长
2012 年 2 月 8 日

抄送：能源矿产厅厅长里奇·科尔曼（Rich Coleman）✓
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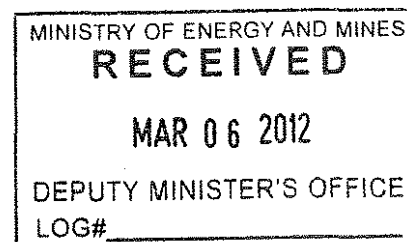


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February 8, 2012

Mr. Zhu Jimin
Board Chairman
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Beijing, China 100041

Fax: +86 010 8829 5578



Dear Chairman Zhu:

Please accept my warmest wishes for health and prosperity in the Year of the Dragon.

I was very pleased that, during my recent trade mission, I was able to witness the commitment of Shougang Group, Kailuan Group, and Canadian Dehua Mining International to further invest in the Gething Project near Tumbler Ridge, British Columbia. I am confident that the investment will be beneficial for all parties, as well as for the wider mutual advantage of B.C. and China.

My government is highly supportive of investment in British Columbia, and, to that end, has established a Major Investments Office that works with companies that have invested in significant projects to coordinate and accelerate government's activities to support them. I would like to encourage you to contact Mr. Kevin Tsui, the Managing Director of my government's Beijing Trade and Investment Office to discuss whether your projects qualify for this new service. Mr. Tsui may be contacted by telephone at +8610 5811-1900 or by email at ktsui@britishcolumbia.ca.

I hope that this partnership between Shougang Group, Kailuan Group and Canadian Dehua Mining International is the beginning of a long and prosperous relationship.

Sincerely,

Christy Clark
Premier of British Columbia

pc: ✓ Honourable Rich Coleman, Minister of Energy and Mines
Honourable Pat Bell, Minister of Jobs, Tourism and Innovation



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尊敬的朱董事长,

请接受我最诚挚的问候, 并祝您在龙年身体健康! 生意兴旺发达!

在我贸易使团近期访华期间, 我非常高兴能够见证了首钢集团、开滦集团和加拿大德华国际矿业集团公司共同承诺, 将再投资位于不列颠哥伦比亚省塔布拉岭 (Tumbler Ridge) 附近的概信 (Gething) 项目。这项投资将符合各方利益, 以及不列颠哥伦比亚省与中国之间的更大互利, 我对此充满信心。

对于来不列颠哥伦比亚省投资的项目, 我政府会给予大力支持。为了实现这个目标, 我们已成立了一个重大投资办公室, 与投资重大项目的公司合作, 协调并加速政府的工作, 为他们提供支持。请您与不列颠哥伦比亚省驻北京贸易和投资办事处总经理徐伟伦 (Kevin Tsui) 联系, 就您的项目是否符合资格获得我们这项新服务等问题进行洽谈, 徐先生的联系电话: +86 10 5811-1900, 或电邮: ktsui@britishcolumbia.ca。

我期望首钢集团、开滦集团和加拿大德华国际矿业集团公司三方共同投资是建立一个长远利好关系的开端。

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简惠芝 (Christy Clark)
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Subject: FW: Letter to Premier Clark - CKD Gething UG coal mine project (EMNG 77604)
Attachments: CKD letter to Premier_April112013.pdf
Importance: High

From: dh2004yk@dehua.ca [<mailto:dh2004yk@dehua.ca>]
Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2013 2:40 PM
To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX
Cc: Naishun Liu
Subject: Letter to Premier Clark - CKD Gething UG coal mine project
Importance: High

Dear Premier Clark,

Could you please find the Letter that I write to you to look for supports and assistants from you and BC provincial government on our CKD Gething underground coal mine development project in north east BC. I know that you are busy with many things, however, we really appreciate that you can have a time to look at our project for bulk sample permit application, which we are looking forward to having your decision on issuing the permit and making our project to move forward.

As well, I appreciate that you can confirm if you receive my letter via this email. I can be contacted through email at dh200401@dehua.ca or phone at 604-765-9168.

Best regards,

Naishun Liu
Director of CKD
President of Canadian Dehua



Ministry of
Energy, Mines
and Natural Gas

April 16, 2013

Naishun Liu
Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co., Ltd
812 - 1130 West Pender St.
Vancouver, BC, V6E 4A4

Dear Mr. Liu,

RE: Gething Bulk Sample Review Process

Further to the meeting that the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Natural Gas (MEMNG) and the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (FLNRO) had with representatives from Canadian Kailuan Dehua (CKD) on April 11, 2013, I would like to provide the following to explain the Provincial government's collective process for the proposed Gething Bulk Sample Project going forward. Please note that your project is a top priority for both our office and the Province.

On April 11, 2013, the FLNRO First Nations Consultation team finished the consultation report for the project and has since forwarded it to the Ministry of Justice for legal review. Currently the consultation report indicates that there may be some outstanding procedural aspects that the Province needs to cover in order to complete consultation on this project. After their review, Provincial solicitors will forward their recommendations to the Statutory Decision Maker (SDM) of MEMNG for their consideration. If the SDM determines that consultation is not sufficient, they may ask the FLNRO consultation team to engage in further focused consultation with First Nations to resolve any outstanding issues. After consultation is deemed sufficient, the SDM will adjudicate the Notice of Work applications.

I am aware that you have recently written to the Premier asking for a decision by April 2013. Providing you with specific timelines are difficult given the Province holds the legal obligation to

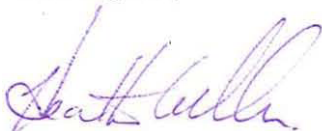
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consult with First Nations and must take on that duty until fully discharged and a sound and durable decision can be made. I assure you again that this project is a priority, and all reasonable attempts will be made to make a decision as soon as possible.

Best Regards,



Heather Cullen,
Regional Director
Omineca-Northeast Region
Ministry of Energy, Mines and Natural Gas

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April 11, 2013

Dear Premier Clark,

We would like to take this opportunity to express to you our concerns on our coal mine development projects in north east BC.

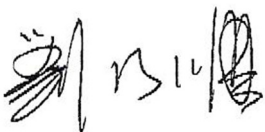
Canadian Dehua International Mines Group Inc. (Dehua) and Canadian Kailuan Dehua Mines Co., Ltd. (CKD) has conducted Gething underground coal mine exploration and bulk sample permit application since 2005. CKD had conducted coal drilling program before 2010. Initial application for the bulk sample Notice of Work was submitted in January, 2011.

In the past years, you and members from BC provincial government met project investors from Kailuan Group and Shougang Group of China for welcoming and supporting investors to come to BC to invest and develop BC coal mine. We would like to thank you and BC provincial government to support and assist project investors to develop Gething underground coal mine project. However, after 27 months, we still do not have government approval on the Gething bulk sample Notice of Work and we cannot move the project forward.

Investors of Kailuan Group and Hebei Iron Steel Group Co. have declared to stop investment on Bullmoose underground coal mine exploration and development in NE BC as that the approval of Gething bulk sample permit is uncertain. Also, Kailuan Group and Shougang Group have expressed to stop Gething project investment if the bulk sample Notice of Work will be not issued in April 2013. If all become true, it will makes a significant negative impact on BC, even Canada mining industry, and it will makes Dehua enormous economic losses.

We would like you and BC provincial government to have a decision on issuing the Gething project permit and continue to support the project further.

Thank you very much.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Naishun Liu'.

Naishun Liu
Director of CKD
President of Dehua

Incl.: Minister Bennett's Letter to Mr. Liu on December 08, 2006