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## FACTSHEET

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Ministry of Environment  
Ministry of Energy and Mines  
Cariboo Regional District

### Mount Polley tailings pond situation update

WILLIAMS LAKE – Government and Cariboo Regional District (CRD) officials continue to work together to address the breach at the Mount Polley tailings pond, to test the local drinking water to determine if it is safe for locals to drink or bathe in, and to help ensure the safety and well-being of local residents.

This factsheet will be updated daily with the latest information available.

#### New today:

1. The Ministry of Environment received water samples from Polley Lake late last night and have shared them with Interior Health (IH). The health authority is reviewing them closely and is expected to provide an update on water quality and the water advisory in place later today.
2. The Cariboo Chilcotin Coast Tourism Association will highlight the tourism stories of the region in meetings with international travel media next week at the GoMedia Marketplace in Winnipeg. Hosted by the Canadian Tourism Commission, this is the largest annual travel media event in Canada where over 100 Canadian tourism marketers and businesses meet with over 300 international media who focus on travel.

#### Current situation:

- The flow out of the breach has decreased dramatically, but has not completely stopped. Imperial Metals has begun building a temporary dike to stop flow out of the pond.
- Imperial Metals is also now pumping water out of Polley Lake both down Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake and back into Wight and Springer Pits, two open pits on the mine. By controlling this water release as soon as possible, it will significantly lower the potential risk of another breach. An uncontrolled release of the stored water in Polley Lake could cause additional risks to human health and a further delay in possible rescinding of the drinking water advisory currently in place.
- Until further notice, the water quality advisory remains in place for communities that get their water from Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Cariboo Creek and all parts of Quesnel Lake, as well as the Quesnel River south of 6236 Cedar Creek Road. This includes the communities of Winkley Creek, Abbott Creek, Mitchell Bay and the East Arm of Quesnel Lake. IH will continue to evaluate water samples as they arrive and will update the communities as more information becomes available. **\*\*Note: boiling will not help\*\***

- The state of local emergency (SOLE) remains in place, giving the CRD exceptional powers in the interest of ensuring public safety. Under the SOLE, the CRD has issued an Order to Restrict Access to the Mt. Polley mine area to help ensure public safety. Authorized mine employees and government officials are exempt. Mt. Polley staff have said they will use their personnel to secure and control entry into the area. The CRD is having signage made that will be posted to mark the area on the ground.
- Points that help define this area are located at the north end of Polley Lake, on the Bootjack Forest Service Road, on Gavin Lake Road and two points on the Horsefly Likely Road (Ditch Road). In addition, an area on Quesnel Lake near the mouth of the Hazeltine Creek is also restricted.
- There have been no reports of injuries or people getting sick from drinking water. There have been no reports of property damage.
- Portable showers have been installed at the old forestry site at 5989 Cedar Creek Road and are now open for residents and visitors to use.
- The cause of the breach is still unknown at this time. Ministry of Environment conservation officers are investigating the breach. Ministry of Energy and Mines mine inspectors also are investigating.
- The Province has established regular briefings with First Nations to ensure they are getting as much real-time information as possible.
- The Conservation Officer Service (COS) will continue to deliver and post information packages in Likely to update residents on the current situation as new information becomes available.
- Emergency Management BC (EMBC) and the CRD Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) are working together on response to and recovery of this event, including human impacts. Government resource specialists are in the Likely area to support the EOC in Williams Lake. This team will co-ordinate site-level Provincial response and recovery activities in cooperation with Imperial Metals, the party responsible for site management.
- The CRD EOC has offered that Imperial Metals position a liaison in the EOC in Williams Lake to help improve a co-ordinated response.
- Mt. Polley Mine staff are assisting waterfront property owners with debris clean up.
- A support team is available to offer local residents emotional support for their unique impacts and coping needs. These trained volunteers provide services to communities affected by emergencies and disasters. The CRD, EMBC and Provincial Health Services Authority are coordinating this effort and will be making more information available to all impacted communities. All potable water provided to residents affected has been donated and/or provided by Mt. Polley/Imperial Metals.
- All costs associated with the cleanup of the breach are the responsibility of Imperial Metals, and will not be borne by B.C. taxpayers.

#### **Polley Lake water stabilization plan:**

Sediments and debris have created an unstable blockage at Polley Lake that has resulted in a build-up of water that could result in a sudden uncontrolled breach. It's necessary to reduce the excess water in Polley Lake in order to stabilize the situation and to avoid a potential breach and further release of sediments and debris into the surrounding waterways.

The potential for rain could further increase water levels in Polley Lake and outflows from Hazeltine Creek. A controlled release of excess water with a discharge pipe will help to stabilize the area and reduce the risk of a breach and further sediments reaching Quesnel Lake.

Imperial Metals has completed constructing a discharge pipe to Hazeltine Creek downstream from the tailings blockage and is now pumping water from Polley Lake. The pumps are operating at their capacity, pumping approximately 8,000 gallons per minute.

The water will then flow downstream into Quesnel Lake where it will be tested daily. Once the water level is reduced to a safe level, technicians will commence water and sediment sampling in Hazeltine Creek. The map of the discharge pipe route is available at:

<http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

Currently, water is also being pumped out of Polley Lake by a second, smaller system, into Wight and Springer Pits, two open pits on the mine, at a rate of approximately 800 gallons per minute.

#### **Water sampling:**

The Ministry of Environment received water samples from Polley Lake late last night and have shared them with Interior Health (IH). The health authority is reviewing them closely and is expected to provide an update on water quality and the water advisory in place later today.

To date, environmental testing has shown that the vast majority of water samples have come back at safe levels, according to Canadian Drinking Water Guidelines. Water samples taken by Imperial Metals from the shore of Polley Lake on Aug. 7, 2014, have been tested and are very close to historical levels prior to the breach of the tailings pond.

Additionally, Ministry of Environment water samples taken on Aug. 6, 2014, from six locations in Quesnel River and Quesnel Lake have been tested and confirm all samples from these two water sources meet provincial and federal drinking water guidelines.

The Ministry of Environment will continue to provide water sampling results to First Nations, the First Nations Health Authority (FNHA), IH officials and the CRD EOC as they become available. The ministry will continue to conduct water sampling tests daily to determine the impacts on water quality and is also working with Imperial Metals to develop both short- and long-term plans for further water quality testing.

IH will continue to evaluate water samples as they arrive and will update the communities as more information becomes available. There are approximately 100-200 residents within the affected area.

The ministry is posting results on its website, including a map of sampling locations:

<http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

### **Drinking water advisory:**

Despite the encouraging results from the Imperial Metals' tests of Polley Lake that were released on Friday, the **DO NOT USE** Order by IH's Regional Medical Health Officer remains in place until corroborating independent Ministry of Environment sample results from Polley Lake are reviewed by all parties involved. These were received late yesterday and IH is currently reviewing them.

On Aug. 8, 2014, IH lifted the do not use water advisory for communities that get their water from Quesnel River. The water quality advisory remains in place for communities that get their water from Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Cariboo Creek and Quesnel Lake, as well as the Quesnel River south of 6236 Cedar Creek Road. This includes the communities of Winkley Creek, Abbott Creek, Mitchell Bay and Quesnel Lake. It is important to note, in the event of an unplanned large flow of water from Polley Lake, the **DO NOT USE** order will be reinstated on the larger area.

The advisory does not apply to people in Williams Lake, Quesnel or other towns along the Fraser River. Fishing by First Nations along the Fraser is also not affected.

On Aug. 7, 2014, Save-On-Foods, in conjunction with the Canadian Red Cross donated 18,000 500ml bottles of water and 1,440 four-litre bottles of water. These bottles have been distributed to Likely and area residents in need. This donation supplements the work of the CRD, which has organized delivery of water to Likely because the main supplier of bottled water in the area, a small grocery store, could not keep up with the demand.

### **Wildlife:**

Freshwater fish have been collected daily for tissue analysis. The only reported dead fish is a rainbow trout. It was brought to the attention of government on Aug. 6, 2014, following the public meeting in Likely. It was collected by researchers with the University of Northern BC. Ministry of Environment boat crews have been on the water since Aug. 4, 2014, and they have not found nor received any other dead fish.

Generally, tissue analysis takes 40 days to complete however all efforts are being made to expedite the testing. There have been no adverse effects on fish or wildlife observed to date.

FNHA staff, including those from Environmental Health, are developing a sampling program to address the concerns of immediate consumption of fish, and will focus on salmon tissue sampling in the confluence areas of the Quesnel and Fraser River.

Collection of salmon will be co-ordinated with First Nation fisheries departments with analysis co-ordinated through the FNHA Environmental Health Services contracted laboratory. A two-to-three day turnaround time is anticipated following the arrival to the lab.

The Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (FLNRO) has also made its wildlife team available to investigate reported wildlife concerns.

### **On-the-ground provincial support:**

Currently, there are more than 50 provincial government staff on the ground in Williams Lake, Likely and in the surrounding areas. They are all supporting with the investigation of the



incident and recovery of the area.

They include biologists, conservation officers, mine inspectors, emergency management specialists, health protection officers, debris disposal workers, communications officers, and community support and job assistance workers.

Environment Canada has an additional five staff on site in the area. As well, EMBC has activated both its northeast Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centre (PREOC) and the Provincial Emergency Operations Centre (PECC) in support of this incident. There are three staff at the PREOC in Prince George and another seven staff activated at the PECC in Victoria to support all the work being done in the Cariboo.

#### **Pollution abatement order:**

On Aug. 6, 2014, the Ministry of Environment issued a Pollution Abatement Order (PAO) to Mt. Polley Mining Corp. This order required immediate action to stop the further release of mine tailings into nearby waterways and to submit environmental impact assessments and clean-up action plans to the ministry.

It also required the company to submit a written summary of actions taken to stop the release of mine tailings and to undertake preliminary environmental impact assessment and submit an action plan.

Imperial Metals met the Aug. 6, 2014 deadline requirements of the order to submit an Action Plan for the Preliminary Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and initiate environmental monitoring. The Ministry of Environment conditionally approved the submission on Aug. 10, 2014. Imperial Metals has provided, and will be initiating a plan to stop the flow from the tailings impoundment breach as required by item 1 of the PAO.

The company must also submit a detailed action plan by Aug. 15, 2014, and it is required to report weekly on the implementation of action plan measures.

#### **Investigation:**

Ministry of Energy and Mines inspectors continue their investigation and are continuing with interviews of mine staff and a review of all applicable documentation on the mine site.

Ministry of Environment conservation officers are independently investigating the breach. Conservation officers are Special Provincial Constables under the Police Act with a wide suite of powers associated with that designation. Although part of government, the COS is unfettered in its investigations as it has the power to investigate and forward recommendations for charges when warranted directly to provincial crown counsel.

If the public has any information, they are asked to call the Report all Poachers and Polluters (RAPP) line at 1 877 952-7277 or online at: [www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm)

The inspectors of mines and other agencies will undertake a comprehensive investigation to determine causes for the breach. This will take several months. Lessons learned will be applied to other mines in the province as appropriate.

#### **Dike construction at the tailings pond and other infrastructure:**

Work continues on dike construction at the tailings pond breach. The dike is being built in a horseshoe shape just on the inside of the breach to stabilize the tailings material and keep it inside the impoundment when it rains. The company estimates that it will take about three weeks to complete.

Three hundred Imperial Metals employees are working on the dike construction and clean up.

In addition, good progress continues to be made by West Fraser to boom the debris in Quesnel Lake and prevent it from reaching the bridge. The Likely Bridge is not at risk. Most of the large woody debris is now contained within booms and Imperial Metals is working with West Fraser and FLNRO on a disposal plan.

#### **Worker supports:**

Staff from the Ministry of Jobs, Tourism and Skills Training (JTST) are in contact with the company to understand current job impacts and to communicate provincial support services. Initial information from the company suggests that, at this time, most of the mine employees remain working.

The JTST Community Transition Manager is on the ground, co-locating with the United Steelworkers at their local office in Williams Lake, to co-ordinate support and gather intelligence on worker and community impacts and services.

WorkBC Employment Services Centre (ESC) supports help connect people with employment opportunities and skills training. These will be mobilized in the area this week and work is being done to determine the best way to connect with impacted workers. The WorkBC ESC will be available to join in any on the ground services and support in Likely as needed, and will be available to visit Likely early this week.

Workers who need help connecting with skills training or employment opportunities can contact the local WorkBC Employment Services Centre in Williams Lake at 250 398-5133 to request support.

#### **Tourism information:**

All tourism operations in the Cariboo Chilcotin region remain open, operational and ready to welcome guests.

The Cariboo Chilcotin Coast Tourism Association will highlight the tourism stories of the region in meetings with international travel media next week at the GoMedia Marketplace in Winnipeg. Hosted by the Canadian Tourism Commission, this is the largest annual travel media event in Canada where over 100 Canadian tourism marketers and businesses meet with over 300 international media who focus on travel.

In the lead-up to the GoMedia Marketplace, several international tourism media will see the Cariboo Chilcotin Coast as part of a familiarization tour through British Columbia.

People with vacation plans that include travelling to, or through, this area of the Cariboo Chilcotin Coast, the most up-to-date information on the affected area can be found on the CRD EOC Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/CRDEmergencyoperations](https://www.facebook.com/CRDEmergencyoperations), the CRD website [www.cariboord.ca](http://www.cariboord.ca), or by calling 250 398-5581.

### Previous site inspections:

The Mount Polley mine has a valid Mines Act permit and the company has been generally compliant with the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code and their Mines Act permit conditions.

Following reports of a previous breach at the mine, Ministry of Energy and Mines officials investigated an incident on May 24, 2014, and determined this was not a breach. Rather, the height of the tailings pond was above regulation. This occurred in a different area of the tailings pond than the Aug. 4, 2014, dam failure.

At the time of the advisory, the distance between the water elevation and the crest of the dam (freeboard) was less than one meter. The tailings pond level returned to authorized levels and freeboard was approximately 2.4 meters when last measured. Mine records show that the operation was carrying out visual dam inspections and measuring freeboard at an acceptable frequency, including daily measurements following the incident.

The Ministry of Energy and Mines conducted a geotechnical inspection at the mine in September 2013, which resulted in no inspection orders related to the tailings facility.

Here is a list of recent advisories to Mount Polley from the Ministry of Environment, only one of which was related to height of the tailings pond. The Ministry of Environment is responsible to ensure no unauthorized effluent discharge from the tailings pond structure:

- May 24, 2014: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for exceedance of the height of effluent within the tailings impoundment. The effluent level returned to authorized levels commencing June 30, 2014.
- April 18, 2014: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for bypass of authorized treatment works. The site experienced high flows due to spring freshet which caused the pump system to become blocked and resulted in an overflow of effluent to the long ditch. Flow did not reach the creek and was directed into Till Borrow Pit.
- January and April 2012: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for not submitting monitoring data for one of the groundwater monitoring wells.
- Aug. 30, 2012: The ministry issued a warning to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for failure to report exceedance of the height of effluent for the perimeter pond. This perimeter pond overflowed, releasing approximately 150 cubic metres of effluent over 13 hours to ground.

As required by the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, companies must submit Annual Dam Safety Inspection reports to the Chief Inspector on an annual basis. Inspections of dams by ministry geotechnical inspectors are conducted at a frequency informed by the dam consequence classification that is designated by the dam design engineers in accordance with the Canadian Dam Association Dam Safety Guidelines.

Since the Mount Polley mine was permitted in 1995, there have been 16 geotechnical inspections conducted by ministry geotechnical inspectors. One inspection was conducted each year from 1995-2001 and in 2006, 2008 and 2013. Two inspections were conducted in each of

2005, 2007 and 2012.

In summary, seven geotechnical inspections took place before the mine went into care and maintenance in 2001 and nine geotechnical inspections have taken place since it re-opened in March 2005. The last geotechnical inspection was conducted in September 2013 and resulted in no inspection orders related to the tailings facility.

Here is a historical record of the number of all types of inspections (including geotechnical) each year from 1999 to 2014:

- 1999 - 1
- 2000 - 4
- 2001 – 22 (care and maintenance started September 2001)
- 2002 – 4
- 2003 – 2
- 2004 – 5
- 2005 – 15 (mine re-opened March 2005)
- 2006 – 10
- 2007 – 10
- 2008 – 8
- 2009 – 9
- 2010 – 7
- 2011 – 4
- 2012 – 6
- 2013 – 15
- 2014 (to-date) – 8

Monitoring devices, called piezometers, designed to measure the pressure of water in the dam, did not show any changes in the water pressure before the dam breach. The last piezometer readings were taken on Aug. 2, 2014. The investigation will determine if the piezometers were located correctly.

**Incident summary:**

Early in the morning of Aug. 4, 2014, the tailings pond dam at the Mount Polley Mine site breached and released an estimated 10 million cubic metres of water and 4.5 million cubic metres of fine sand into Polley Lake. Hazeltine Creek flows out of Polley Lake and the flow of contaminated water continued into Quesnel Lake.

During the initial breach of the tailings dam the bulk of the original flow created an unstable plug at the base of Polley Lake. The balance of the tailings and water went down Hazeltine Creek and deposited at the confluence of the creek and river. Hazeltine Creek was originally about 1.2 metres wide and is now up to 150 metres wide.

Waterways affected by this event include Quesnel Lake, Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek and Cariboo Creek. Additionally the Horsefly Likely Forest Service (Ditch Road) was washed out at Hazeltine Creek and the Gavin Lake Forest Service Road was washed out closer to the dam breach area.

**Other facts:**

- The Mount Polley Mine is owned by Imperial Metals and is approximately 30 kilometres from the community of Likely.
- The tailings pond at Mount Polley Mine is four kilometres by four kilometres.
- This is a large breach and extremely rare. Officials with the Ministry of Energy and Mines do not recall anything of this magnitude in at least the last 40 years.

#### **Fishery impacts:**

Fisheries and Oceans Canada has issued a precautionary closure on a portion of the Chinook salmon fishery until sample results have come in. See the notice here: [http://www-ops2.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/fns-sap/index-eng.cfm?pg=view\\_notice&DOC\\_ID=161980&ID=all](http://www-ops2.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/fns-sap/index-eng.cfm?pg=view_notice&DOC_ID=161980&ID=all)

#### **For more information:**

A public information line has been set up by the CRD: 250 398-5581

If the public has any information that would be helpful to the investigation into the cause of the tailings pond breach, they are asked to call the Report all Poachers and Polluters (RAPP) line at 1 877 952-7277 or online at: [www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm)

Updates will be posted to the CRD's emergency operations Facebook page, here: <http://www.facebook.com/CRDEmergencyoperations> or on the CRD website at: <http://www.cariboord.ca/>

For a collection of documents from government and partners surrounding the Mount Polley breach, visit: <http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

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Mount Polley Mines

## ANALYSIS CERTIFICATE - MOUNT POLLEY

Job Number: 8000-AUG14

Reference:

Client: Geology

Received Date: 21 August 2014

Report Date: 21 August 2014

SAMPLES	NP Ratio	NP	Carbon %	AP %	Sulfur %
1. MPMC 1A	4.19	9.167	0.110	2.188	0.070
2. MPMC 2A	3.28	13.334	0.160	4.062	0.130
3. MPMC 3A	2.67	6.667	0.080	2.500	0.080
4. MPMC 4A	4.80	7.500	0.090	1.562	0.050
5. MPMC 5A	19.05	41.669	0.500	2.188	0.070
6. MPMC 6A	11.00	27.502	0.330	2.500	0.080
7. Gavin Lk Rd	6.97	28.335	0.340	4.062	0.130

**Bill Smith**  
Laboratory Manager

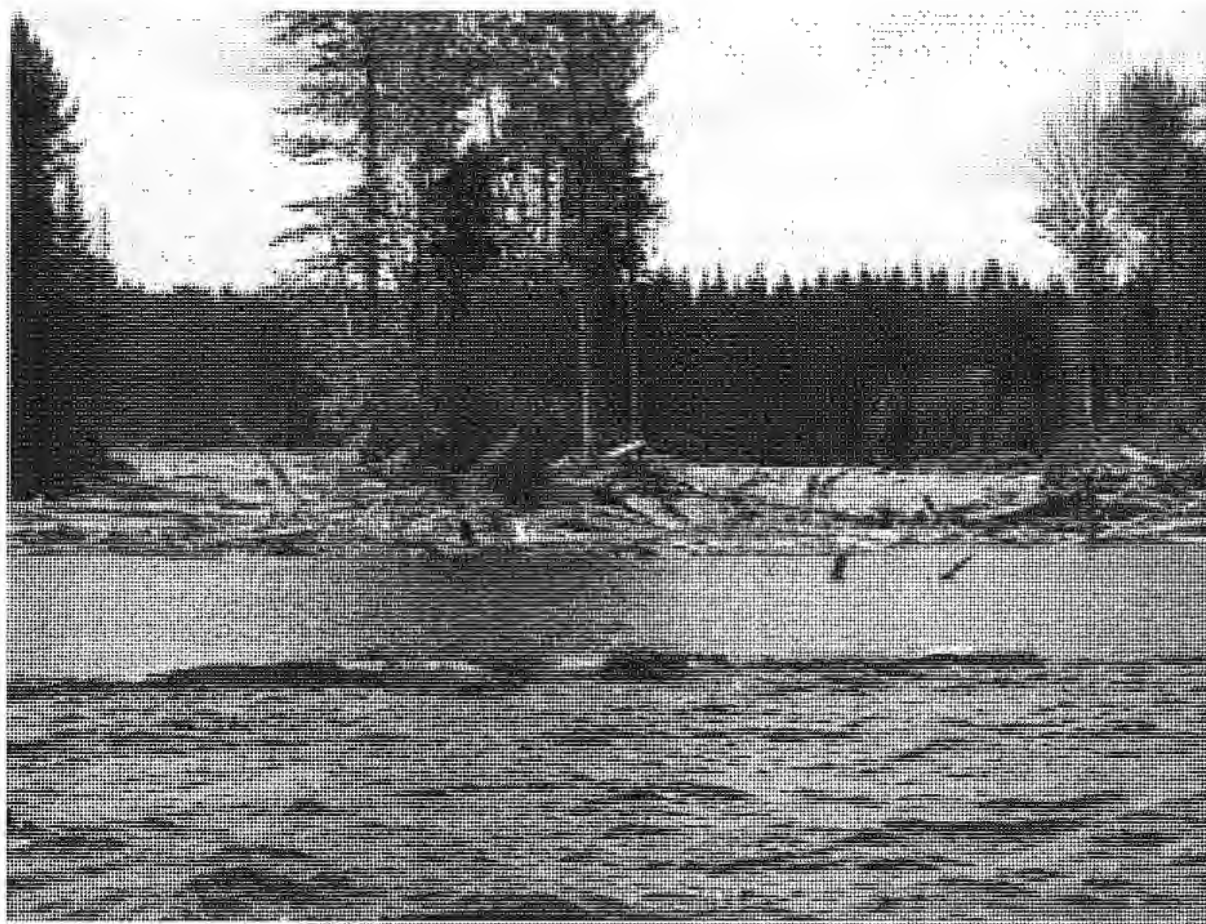


Photo 3: Mouth of Hareline Creek with house in foreground

#### **Recommendations:**

The following recommendations are steps in planning for the design of the ramp works.

1. Provide a report and prescriptions for emergency works.
2. Plans for immediate construction of ramp including environmental monitoring and supervision.
3. Complete hydrotechnical study of lake levels and effects on design.
4. Complete ramp works design based on site information collected.
5. Provide a design summary report for construction.
6. Complete a removal plan for short term installation of ramp.
7. Liason with agencies to achieve all permits and approvals required to complete works.
8. Construction and completion of works including supervision.

It is expected that the installation of the ramp will be completed within the next week and will remain in place until fall of 2015. This will allow for additional removal of material in the spring and summer of 2015 after freshet.

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For  
DWB Consulting Services Ltd.





**Historical Information:** Works are planned to begin with the ramp down to the high water mark and then to the present water levels for construction of the causeway ramp. The location was used previously as a log sort and load out and evidence of these operations are still clearly visible.



Photo 2: Load out up lake from present water level

**Field Visit:** The site visit was conducted to determine feasibility of a ramp into Quesnel Lake in order to remove the boomed logs and additional logs waiting to be towed/barged to the load out location. A boat tour was conducted down the lake along the shores to examine the logs and debris that has not been collected yet as well as the material already piled and the material boomed at the mouth of Hazeltime Creek.

**Location of Works:** Along Quesnel Lake, BC, with load out location at 52° 29' 56" Lat and 121° 12' 4". Hazeltime Creek is located west of the load out location approximately 20 km along Quesnel Lake. The ramp location from the current shoreline to the end of the ramp is estimated at 25m long by 12m wide for use by an excavator and trucks.



## SITE INSPECTION REPORT

DATE OF SITE VISIT: August 19, 2014

DATE OF REPORT: August 20, 2014

OWNER: Imperial Metals Corporation  
CONTRACTOR: Eaglecrest  
Project: Quesnel Lake Log Salvage

**Purpose of Site Visit:** Inspection of the log load out location and condition of log salvage operations for the design of the causeway ramp for load out of barged and towed log booms on Quesnel Lake as a result of material brought down Hazelton Creek to Quesnel Lake. Scope includes determining suitability of location for ramp including design for ramp. Photo 1 shows the proposed location and existing logs ready for load out.

Due to the nature of the works and requirements for quick removal of the material from the lake, emergency prescriptions including design requirements for the ramp are to be prepared for use in construction.

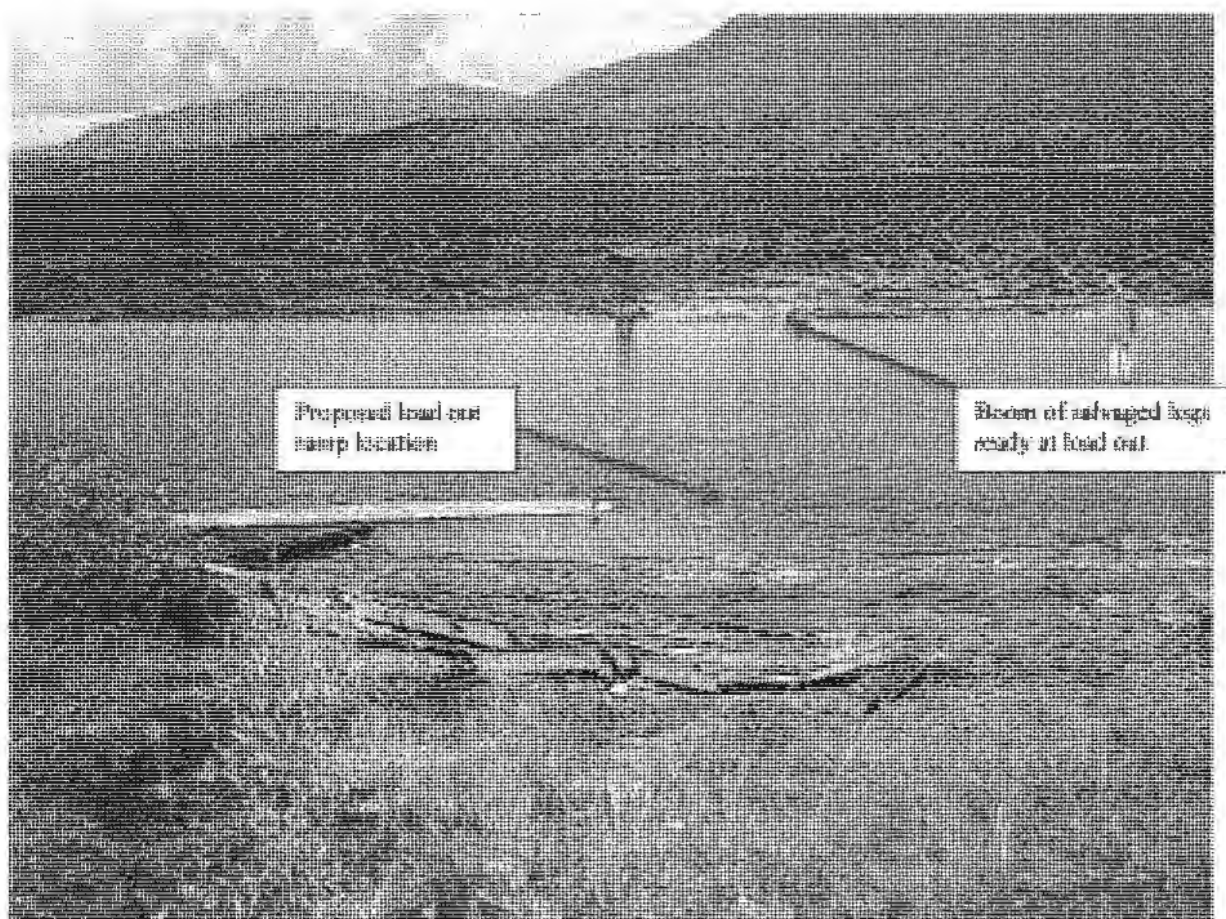
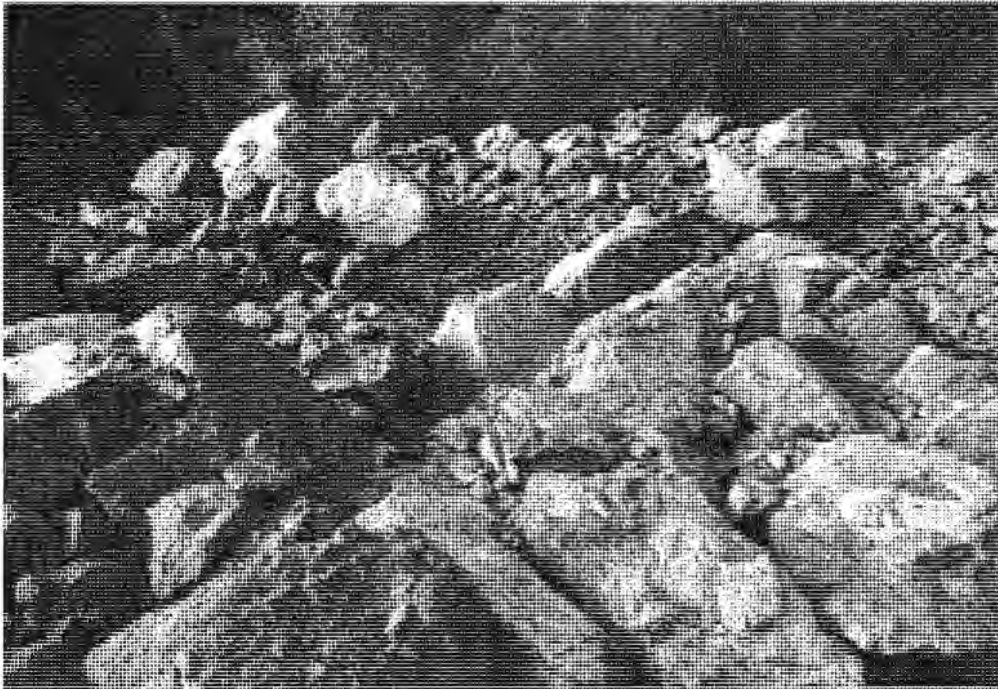


Photo 1: Existing boom of barged logs and proposed load out ramp location



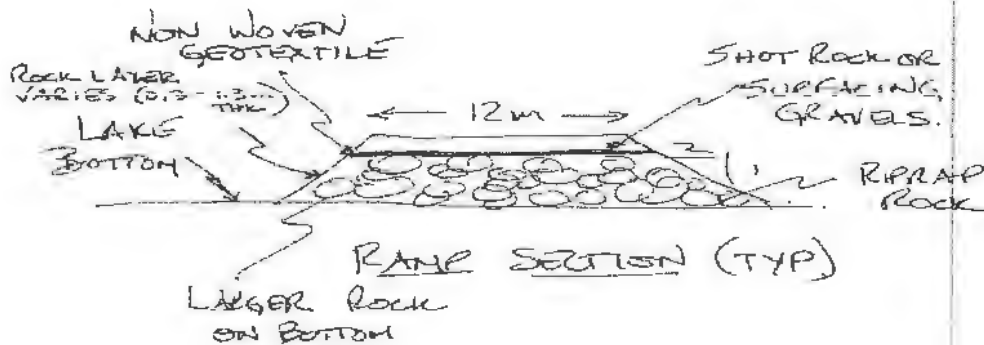
Acceptable well graded rock available at local quarry (pending testing).

**Works to be completed:**

- 1 Upland ramp access along load out access
- 2 Ramp in lake water from present water to approx. 25m
- 3 For detail section of ramp see sketch below
- 4 Side slopes to be constructed at 2:1 (H:V)
- 5 Provide smooth transition from upslope to in lake ramp construction
- 6 Smaller material must be sloped gradually to prevent erosion

**Specifications:**

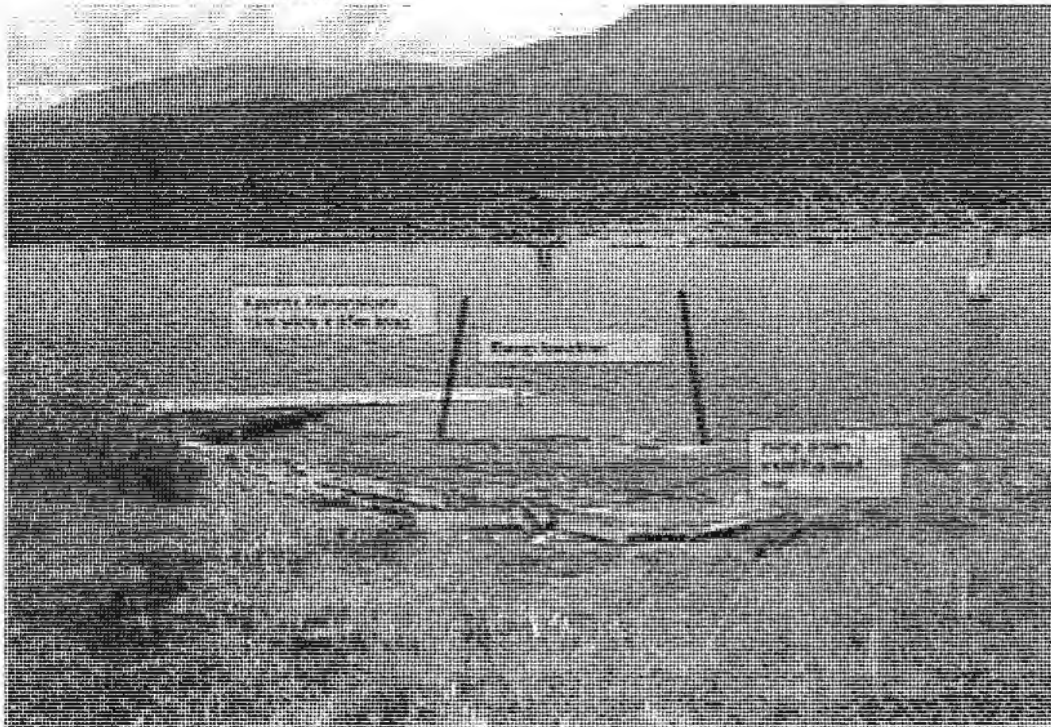
- 1 Riprap rock Class 50kg  
85% avg dimension > 155mm  
50% avg dimension > 330mm  
15% avg dimension > 475mm



Site : Quesnel Lake Load out  
Construction within Lake Water Prescription

Z Road

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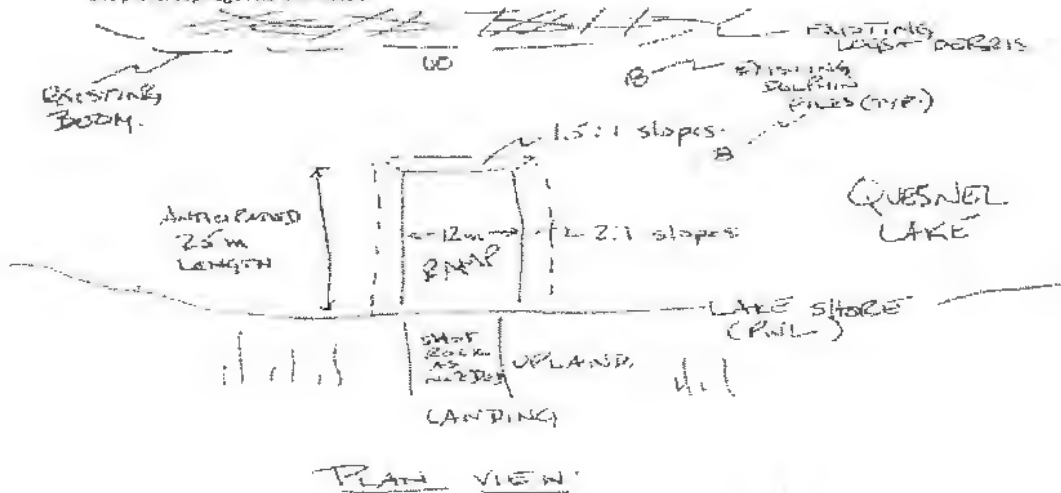


Works to be completed: Within Water Construction

Specifications:

- 1 Rock to be placed from shore side and built up into the lake
- 2 Continue to place rock at minimum 300mm thickness at shoreline
- 3 Gradually build out rock to desired approximate 25m off shore
- 4 Side slopes to be constructed at 2:1 (H:V) outer toe 1.5:1
- 5 Place non-woven geotextile over rock layer
- 6 Cap ramp with clean gravel or shot rock to a minimum 150mm
- 7 Ensure ramp is tracked and packed sufficient to support truck loads and prevent spillage into lake waters

- 1 Clean shot rock for foundation
- 2 Expected max 1.3m deep at toe
- 3 Class 50kg approved riprap rock
- 4 Final ramp top width = 12m
- 5 Larger rock on bottom of ramp
- 6 Armtec 200/Mirafi 160N/Geotex 601 or approved equivalent non woven geotextile





Imperial Metals Corporation  
Emergency Works Prescriptions

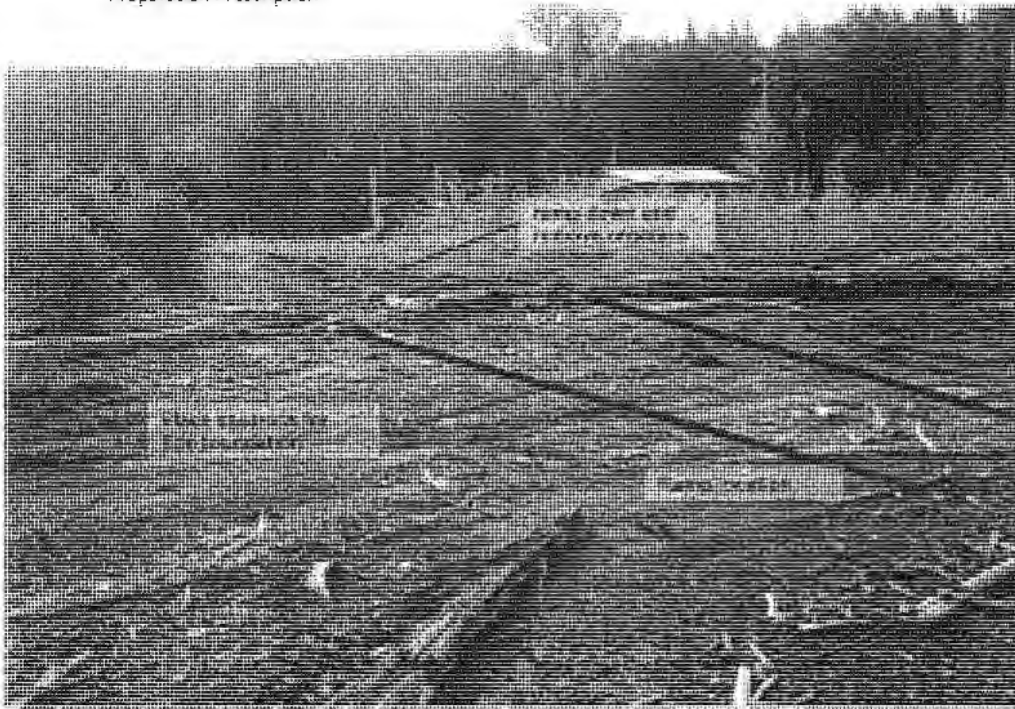
Priority: Immediate

Quesnel Lake, BC

Site : Quesnel Lake Load out  
Preparation Prescription

Z Road

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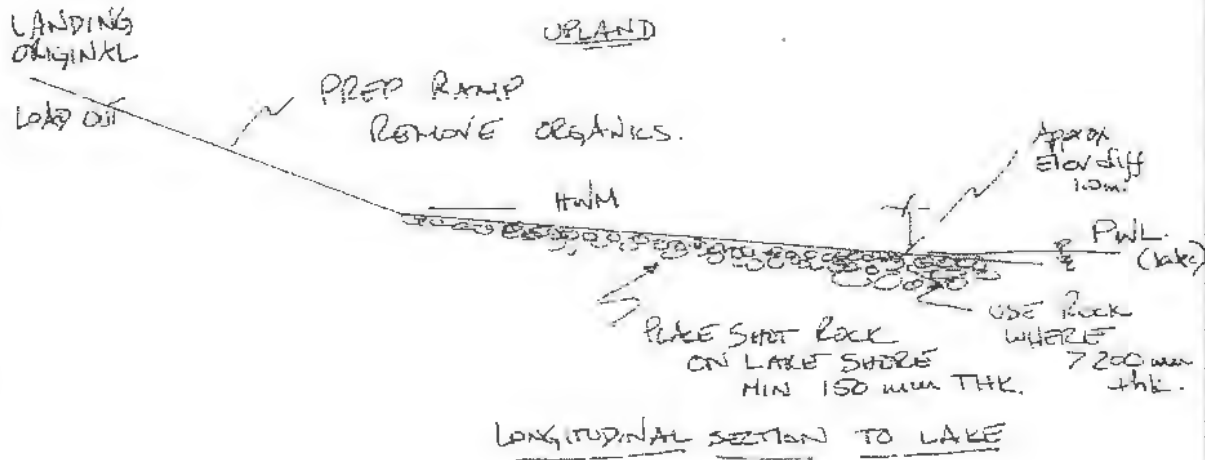


Works to be completed: Upland

Specifications:

- 1 Prepare ramp down to lake level including stripping
- 2 Place shot rock to firm up foundation for access
- 3 Prepare site in accordance with environmental plan for isolation
- 4 Build up land ramp with shot rock and rock to the present water level
- 5 Use of riprap rock and shot rock required where thickness exceeds 200mm

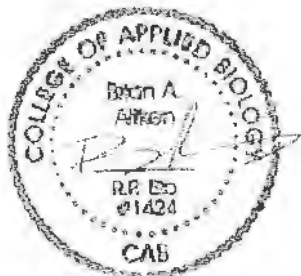
- 1 Clean shot rock for foundation
- 2 Removed organics placed in an approved location
- 3 Minimum 150mm thick shot rock to provide stabilisation
- 4 Class 50kg riprap



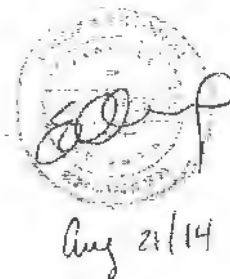


Should you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact either of the undersigned at your convenience.

Sincerely,



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Cc Penny Carpenter (Eaglecrest), Russel Parsons (Imperial Metals), Robin Hoffos (MFLNRO)  
and Lee Williston (MFLNRO)



*project.* Following construction, the EM will prepare a short post construction report with photo documentation of the measures implemented. A component of this report will be an asbuilt with estimated footprint and rock volumes used in construction.

## **Operation Phase**

Once constructed, it is expected that the ramp will immediately be utilized to start removing debris from the water. As with construction, all equipment must be inspected for leaks/drips before being allowed to be used near the water and on the ramp. Should a spill occur, follow the Spill Plan (refer to bullet 12) and report as required. All employees working near the water need to be trained in spill response. An aquatic spill drum with floating spill boom must be present near the ramp location where it can be quickly deployed in the case of a spill. During woody debris removal with the button top, be careful not to lose small wood pieces into the lake. Should this occur, they will need to be collected and removed. All wood removed from the water will be transported and stored in the upland sort area where it will be sorted/graded for future yet to be determined use.

## **Decommissioning Phase**

The ramp will be left in place until the summer of 2015. As previously described, it is expected that additional woody debris will be deposited from Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake during the spring runoff in 2015. This woody debris will also need to be removed next year. Once Imperial is confident that all woody debris has been captured and removed, the load out will be fully decommissioned and returned to its predisturbance condition. This should coincide with low water levels in the lake and appropriate fisheries timing windows to minimize environmental impacts. As with the construction phase, an EM will be present and will aid in deploying the floating silt curtain during the rock removal. Turbidity monitoring will also be conducted. Once all the rock has been removed from the lake, a diversion ditch will be installed at the top of the grade to divert surface runoff from the freshly deactivated foreshore. Also, all exposed soils will be seeded. A final bottom survey will be conducted where the woody debris was stored to ensure that no additional wood has sunken. Once complete, an environmental close-out report will be completed, with photos and estimated total volume of wood removed.

**Decommissioning Plan**

Upon determination through the agencies and Imperial Metals Corp., once the required debris removal operations are completed, the ramp shall be removed. The ramp is to be dismantled by removing the far toe of the ramp furthest in the lake first. If salvage of the rock is required, removal of the capping material should be completed first and then followed by the removal of the geotextile and finally the rock. All materials shall be removed, stored, stockpiled, or disposed of in accordance with Imperial Metals policy and the environmental requirements discussed in this report.

**(C) Environmental considerations for the design, construction, operation and decommissioning of the load out ramp**

The following environmental mitigation will be implemented during the engineered design, construction, operation and decommissioning of the load out.

**Design Phase**

During the design, the location was chosen at an historic existing load out location. The footprint of the new structure will be minimized, along with the rock volume so that it can be used until Oct-Nov, but will likely be partially submerged during spring conditions. This design limits the amount of rock required, but also will reduce the decommissioning at the end of its use. All rock used in the ramp construction planned for placement in or near the lake has been tested for ARD (test results appended). The design also incorporates larger rock on the bottom/base of the ramp separated with geofabric and smaller rock/fines on the running surface. The smaller material on the surface will act as a filter to soak any minor leaks or drips that may occur during operation, rather than using purely coarse material where spills would directly enter the lake if they should occur.

**Construction Phase**

Construction will proceed under appropriate weather conditions and will occur under a compressed timeline of 3-4 days. As machinery will be working around water, all equipment will be inspected for leaks/drips prior to be allowed to work on the project. For the construction phase of the project, an environmental monitor (EM) will be present to conduct these inspections and carry out the balance of the environmental duties described below. Firstly, a construction prework will be held by all parties involved with the construction at which time the EM will go over the conditions of the MFLNRO Order and the mitigation that has been proposed. Then before the ramp is constructed within the lake, a floating silt curtain will be installed around the ramp location. This will prevent any fines from negatively affecting local water quality. The EM will conduct turbidity monitoring inside and outside the floating silt curtain to record its effectiveness. In addition, the EM will conduct fish salvage as required during construction. There will be no stop nets, but the site will be enclosed by the floating silt curtain. An attempt will be made to set minnow traps each night in the isolated area. If fish are caught, they will be recorded and released outside of the enclosed area. The EM will be responsible for implementing/following the Spill Plan (refer to bullet 12) and reporting as required. *It should be noted that some heavy leachate was noted to the right of the proposed ramp which appeared to be draining from an adjacent wet draw seeping from an historic log sort area covered with bark. This was not a result of any activities associated with this*



**Design Specifications**

Specifications for construction consist of the following:

Material	Specification	Approx Quantity
<b>Riprap rock for ramp base material</b>	Class 50 kg rock	600 m3
<b>Maximum rock side slopes at toe</b>	1.5:1 (H:V)	-
<b>Maximum rock side slopes along ramp</b>	2:1 (H:V)	-
<b>Ramp footprint on lake</b>	-	380 m2
<b>Non Woven geotextile</b>	Armtec 200 or approved equivalent	360 m2
<b>Surfacing material or shot rock capping</b>	3" minus clean gravel or pit shot rock	54 m3

Riprap rock shall be clean angular rock that is consistent with the following gradation requirements:

Class 50kg rock - Approx. Average dimension

85% of rock to have average dimension >155mm

50% of rock to have average dimension >330mm

15% of rock to have average dimension >475mm

The rock must be well graded meaning that all dimensions must be represented in the material supplied. This will provide a more stable ramp consisting of smaller and larger rocks that will fit together.

The rock shall be laid on the lake bottom and not keyed in. Due to the nature of the short term usage of the ramp, the rock is expected to withstand normal wave action and not intended for permanent installation or protection. If unusual events are to occur within the period of time that the ramp is in place, repair work may be required.

All quantities provided are for works within the lake and have allowed for waste for supply quantities. These quantities are supplied for the purpose of procurement and are not an indication of maximum or required quantities. Final requirements will be determined by the design engineer or her representative on site. Any variations from the materials specified, must be approved by the design engineer. Material quantities for preparation of upland slope area have not been provided. Quantities are based on the area agreed upon during the site visit to a maximum of 25m extension into the lake; however, this may be altered at the discretion of the Imperial Metals representative. If further length of ramp is required to meet the required depth of 1.0m above the lake bottom, additional volume of these materials will be required.

**Conformance**

All materials shall meet or exceed the specifications as listed in the table. A site supervisor representative from DWB shall determine suitability of materials should there be any variations or substitutions. Documentation by the site supervisor will be provided to the design engineer along with a constructed volume survey for purpose of reporting. Tracking of volumes shall be completed including truck loads delivered for shot rock, capping material, and riprap rock delivered to site.

**General Design**

Design considerations for the causeway ramp have been formulated from the site visit conducted August 19, 2014. No site survey information was available at the time of this report; however, due to the nature of the emergency conditions and the requirement to remove the debris as quickly as possible from the lake, the design has been formulated with the use of prescriptions (3 pages inclusive) that include photographs and diagrams outlining the location, size and specifications for the causeway ramp. A site inspection report is also included for reference. The intention of the ramp is to facilitate the removal of the logs and debris with the use of machinery out of the water. It is expected that the ramp will require 1.3m of height to remain out of the water during activities.

Currently the lake level is estimated to be at 1.0-1.3m below the high water mark and historically has an average yearly maximum daily fluctuation of 2.23m with a historical minimum fluctuation of 1.576m and historical maximum of 3.008m. Lake levels historically continue to fluctuate through August and September but the trend shows levels will continue to drop from August through until spring when levels are expected to rise again typically in April (Water Survey of Canada gauged water level station 08KH011 1956-2012). Due to the short term use and unknown water levels in the upcoming seasons, the ramp is not designed to meet a specific control lake level or return period elevation, but simply to provide clearance from lake elevations for the emergency works operations in the next weeks. Spring removal of logs and debris that may be required in 2015 may not be able to commence until lake levels reach below the constructed ramp surface. Lake depths from the present water level measured during the site visit past the toe of the ramp near the boom was 4m or 13ft. Although this was measured beyond the toe of the ramp, it may indicate that additional rock may be required to achieve operating levels if water surface elevations do not continue to drop.

The access causeway ramp design consists of a rock ramp from the existing load out to approximately 25m into Quesnel Lake. The ramp will be wide enough (12m) to accommodate an excavator and trucks for hauling rock in or debris out of the lake. The ramp is to extend from the existing load out access straight out into the lake. The ramp profile will be constructed from a rock base overlain with non-woven geotextile and capped with surfacing material that will seal preventing spills into the rock base below. Additional details are provided in the design specifications and depicted in the prescriptions attached.

**Construction Procedure**

The upslope existing load out access is to be stripped of organics and sufficient base material preferably shot rock, shall be placed to stabilize the access to the present lake water level. Rock thickness shall taper from a minimum 300mm to required thickness estimated at 1000mm at the toe of the ramp. If additional length is required or depths vary from the assumed depths, additional thickness of rock will be required as depths at this location were not confirmed. Once rock has been placed, a non-woven geotextile shall be overlaid on the rock and a cap of granular or shot rock material placed on top to provide a running surface and prevent any spills from entering into the lake from on top of the ramp.

A rock source has been located approximately 1 km from the load out site and samples have been sent to Imperial Metals laboratory to test for acid leaching potential. This rock has been deemed suitable due to its size and angularity but results from the tests were not available at the time of the report.



- 10) The debris removal around the mouth of Hazeltine Creek will require extensive works; however no works can proceed until the safety concerns at the upslope tailings dam at Mount Polley are addressed. It is hoped that this area will be cleared for work by safety within the next month. If the area around the mouth of Hazeltine Creek cannot be accessed due to safety concerns prior to winter freeze up, it must be secured so that no wood can escape into the lake in the spring. It is fully expected that more woody debris will be deposited into Quesnel Lake from Hazeltine Creek during any flood or heavy rain events due to the instability of the scoured channel. Currently the entire mouth of Hazeltine Creek is contained with a log boom. It is recommended that a second log boom be constructed and left in place until at least next summer for added security during heavy rain events and spring runoff. **It has been requested that all works at the mouth of Hazeltine Creek have a first nation monitor present.**
- 11) Debris storage at the West Fraser load out will be contained fully within a secured boomed area and anchored to the existing dolphin piles until such time as it can be removed from the water. It is important to conduct a bottom survey before additional debris is stored at this location so that the pre-use condition is known. This area has been previously used for many years as a load out and so it is expected that there is woody accumulations already present to some degree. All small woody debris and any sunken debris as a result of the temporary storage at this location must be removed. Once all debris has been removed and the project complete, a comparison bottom survey must also be completed to provide evidence of this.
- 12) Throughout the debris collection, transport and removal process it is very important that all involved in the clean-up follow general spill prevention and response procedures should a spill be encountered. This is especially important around aquatic environments. All equipment must carry stocked spill kits and crews must be trained in their use and the reporting requirements. In addition, several large drum aquatic spill kits should be present in key locations (i.e., on the barge and at the load out at a minimum). If Imperial has a standard spill plan that can be used, then it should be adopted for this project, otherwise it is recommended that a detailed spill plan be prepared for the project.

## **(B) Engineering considerations for the design and construction of a load out ramp**

Once the wood debris has been transported to the West Fraser load out site, it will be temporarily stored in booms secured to the existing dolphin piles. From this storage area it will be pushed to the shallow with a tug where it will be lifted out of the water by a button top log loader. The log loader will deck this material behind the machine where it will be grasped with a front end loader and transported to the upland sort area for sorting and storage until an appropriate use can be determined. As the lake bottom is very soft/shallow and receding at this location, a causeway ramp has been proposed to be constructed in order to be able to reach the wood without having to drive a machine into the water. The temporary ramp will be constructed of rock and will be designed to allow a minimum depth of water at the end during the lowest expected flow so that the wood can be floated to this location for removal.



significant ruts or beach disturbances have been fully recontoured to natural grade before reboarding the barge.

Where the beach has been determined to be too soft for machinery, the barge will nose into the shore and the ramp will be lowered to the foreshore. The excavator will be allowed to drive down and sit on the ramp, but will not leave the ramp (i.e., no tracks on beach). All material will be reached from the barge. Once all debris is removed or the barge is full, the excavator will move back up the ramp and leave with the barge.

- 7) Mitchell Bay has been identified by MFLNRO as an area of special concern due to the presence of shore spawning kokanee. Shore spawning kokanee are present in Quesnel Lake in critical convergence zones near the mouth of creeks and where upwelling or significant subsurface flows are present. They prefer gravel to moderate sized cobble bottom substrate which is present in Mitchell Bay. Hazeltine Creek area has also been identified as one of these shore spawning locations; however, due to the amount of sediments deposited at the mouth of this creek the habitat has been affected and is less of a concern at this time. MFLNRO has identified a critical spawning period for kokanee starting mid-September in this area. A detailed report by the Province of BC in 2003 entitled, 'Summary of Quesnel Lake Kokanee and Rainbow Trout Biology Stock Management Report No 17' identifies a later period for Quesnel Lake shore spawning kokanee between October and November. In any case, all boating/barging activities along the near shore area in Mitchell Bay need to be completed before this time period to ensure that spawning kokanee populations are not affected. This area should be the highest priority for removing the debris piles before any other area.
- 8) While barging woody debris down the lake, all debris will be secured so that it does not fall back into the water. The onboard excavator and tug will have spill kits in them as per bullet 12. It will be transported to the West Fraser load out and preferably off loaded directly onto the load out ramp when it arrives as described later in this document. If this is not possible, then the debris will be offloaded into a contained boom area secured to the existing dolphin piles for later removal. Care must be taken to avoid loss of small woody debris into the lake during this process.
- 9) All floating woody debris that is temporarily contained in booms will be barged down the lake in a large boom (ie rather than on a barge). Care must be taken in removing any floating debris that is embedded in the bottom substrate. If it can be removed easily without significant bottom disturbance and/or is a boat hazard it should be removed, otherwise leave the wood embedded and do not remove. Only remove new debris from the recent event (i.e., do not remove older greyed woody debris that was clearly present before the dam failure which provides important aquatic habitat). Once all the floating debris has been corralled, it will be pushed together and enclosed in a large towing boom which will be transported down the lake. It is important that no small woody debris escape during this transport and a follow up boat may be required to pick up straggler pieces that have broken off. Once the boom arrives at the West Fraser off load site, the boom will be secured to the existing dolphin piles for later removal.





shoreline. At this time the difference between wood that recently came down due to the failure and the older natural occurring wood is very evident.

- 2) All debris possible, both floating and rafted needs to be removed from Quesnel Lake by the end of October.
- 3) All debris accumulation areas along the foreshore which are flat enough to allow access by light tracked equipment via barge and have been mapped and categorized as heavy or medium will be re-visited to determine beach conditions. Any area of beach that is soft and will lead to significant rutting by machinery will be flagged as 'Machine Free Zones'. Any area of these beaches which provide enough ground support that significant rutting will not occur may be accessed by light tracked equipment and debris piled as close to the existing shoreline as possible to allow efficient collection of debris by a barge. Some beaches may not be suitable for tracked machinery at all and may require all hand labour. Only remove new debris from the recent event (ie do not remove older greyed woody debris that was clearly present before the dam failure which provides important aquatic habitat). Each beach should have at least one landing location flagged so that the barge knows where to off-load any equipment during drop off or pick up.
- 4) Any debris accumulation areas along the foreshore that have been mapped and categorized as light or that are too steep for machinery will be removed by hand (no equipment permitted on the beach). This debris will be removed from the foreshore and scattered above the high water mark (HWM) of the lake or picked directly from the water via barge. Any debris which is too large to move by hand will be bucked into manageable pieces before it is placed above the HWM. Only remove new debris from the recent event (ie do not remove older greyed woody debris that was clearly present before the dam failure which provides important aquatic habitat).
- 5) EXCEPTION TO POINTS 3 AND 4 FOR CARIBOO ISLAND. Those affected areas along Cariboo Island will all be hand labour only. No machinery permitted on foreshore. Due to archeological considerations, First Nation monitoring required for any works on the island and all woody debris will be removed even in light density areas as per methodology described in bullet 6, paragraph II.
- 6) Once material has been piled on the beach, it will be removed via barge and tug boat with an excavator (or in the case of Mitchell Bay may be partially accessed from the land with a dump truck). Where the beach has been determined to be stable, the barge will nose into the shore and ramp lowered to the foreshore. The excavator will disembark from the barge and load the debris onto the deck. The debris will be piled carefully onto the barge ensuring that all pieces are secured so that they do not fall off during transport. If the barge is full, the excavator may be left at the beach until the barge arrives back for final pick up. If this should occur, the excavator must be parked as far back from the water as possible, preferably in an area which does not drain directly back into the lake. All equipment in operation within the HWM of the lake will have fully stocked spill kits in them should a spill arise. Refer to spill plan in bullet 12. Once the beach has been fully cleared of debris, the excavator will prepare to leave the beach, ensuring that any



West Fraser log sort/load out (52° 29' 56" Lat and 121° 12' 4" Long) where it has been contained within log booms. Moving forward, DWB has been asked to provide the following scope of services:

- A. Environmental mitigation and monitoring for the debris containment and clean up along the shoreline by both hand/machines and the transport of this material to the West Fraser load out utilizing tugs via barge/boom,
- B. Engineering expertise to design and construct a suitable load out ramp at the West Fraser site that will allow wood debris to be removed from the boomed storage area at least until the end of October under the receding water levels in the lake. Once removed from the water, the woody debris will be sorted and stored upland for uses yet to be determined,
- C. Environmental mitigation and monitoring for the design/construction of the load out ramp described above and also the decommissioning of the ramp in 2015 when it is no longer required.

The following report provides the required engineering and environmental information in the order which it is presented above.

**(A) Environmental mitigation and monitoring requirements for the debris clean up in Quesnel Lake**

Clean up operations are well underway and it appears they have been completed in an environmentally sensitive manner thus far. During the inspection with MFLNRO on August 19<sup>th</sup>, very little floating debris was observed in the lake between the West Fraser load out and Hazeltine Creek that was not already contained within high density debris areas which were enclosed within booms. The largest floating accumulations are in Mitchel Bay and the bay at Hazeltine Creek which is a no work area due to safety constraints concerning the unstable tailings dam at Mount Polley upslope of this location. The majority of the remaining wood debris was rafted along the shoreline due to the receding water levels. A significant portion of this material has been piled along the shoreline via hand labour and small machines. To date, most of the affected shoreline (est 40-50km) has been assessed for debris accumulations and categorized as light, moderate or heavy based on the debris density. Also one load of debris enclosed within a large log boom has been transported to the West Fraser load out location and secured to the existing piles for eventual removal from the lake.

Moving forward, the following Best Management Practices (BMP's) and environmental mitigation will be incorporated into the woody debris clean up and transport to the load out:

- 1) It is recommended that the entire existing shoreline which was affected by debris accumulations be video recorded before and after the clean-up operations. This will not only provide evidence that the shoreline was adequately cleaned up, but will also provide proof in the spring that there was significant older natural woody debris which was present before the dam failure along the



August 20, 2014

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*DWB File No 14274-219*

**Attention: David Weir, PAg – Water Section Head**

**RE: Mount Polley Tailings Pond Failure Debris Clean-Up in Quesnel Lake**

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The Mount Polley mine tailings pond failure occurred on August 4, 2014 when the tailings pond partially breached, releasing water and tailings slurry into downstream waters. The resulting debris torrent caused by the sudden release of water and sediment behind the dam carried felled trees, mud and debris scoured away the banks of Hazeltine Creek which flows out of Polley Lake and continued into the nearby Quesnel Lake. The debris torrent significantly eroded Hazeltine Creek and the associated riparian vegetation causing a large amount of sediment and woody debris to be deposited into Quesnel Lake.

DWB Consulting Services Ltd (DWB) was contacted on August 15<sup>th</sup> by Penny Carpenter (Eaglecrest) and Russel Gibson (Imperial Metals) and requested to attend the site at Quesnel Lake for a meeting and to provide professional recommendations concerning environmental and engineering aspects of the proposed woody debris clean-up operations. Brian Aitken, RPBio and Emily Cheung, PEng of DWB attended the site August 19<sup>th</sup> to meet with Imperial and Ministry of Forest, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (MFLNRO) staff to discuss the scope of the services required. MFLNRO staff in attendance included David Weir - Water Section Head, Robin Hoffos -Section Head Habitat Management and Lee Williston. The clean-up of the woody debris within the lake was already well underway with significant progress made in the clean-up effort prior to DWB's site meeting.

The reason why DWB was retained by Imperial Metals was to provide engineering and environmental expertise to the efforts in support of an extension to the Order originally granted to Imperial Metals by MFLNRO to clean up the woody debris in Quesnel Lake under emergency conditions. This original Order expires August 21<sup>st</sup> and must be extended to allow the clean-up works to continue.

The clean-up of the woody debris in Quesnel Lake is currently being undertaken by a host of local individuals/property owners, machine operators, forests licenses, first nations, consultants and contractors working under the direction of Penny Carpenter (Eaglecrest) and Russel Gibson (Imperial Metals). Clean up of Quesnel Lake to date consisted of: (1) booming the debris along the shoreline in heavy debris areas, (2) using boats to pick up and boom loose floating debris, (3) mapping the shoreline to determine extent and density of the rafted woody debris, (4) piling shoreline woody debris by hand and/or small machinery and (5) using a tug boat and boom sticks to transport some of the woody debris to the exiting

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**From:** Penny Carpenter s.22  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 5, 2014 12:46 PM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Mt Polley

Hi David  
The Mines Gentleman Steve Rothman will be contacting you regarding the breach of the tailing pond. He will be able to fill you in and maybe it will help the work load so things are not getting duplicated.  
Penny Carpenter

**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX [<mailto:David.J.Weir@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** August-05-14 11:41 AM  
**To:** XT:Carpenter, Penny FLNR:IN  
**Subject:** Mt Polley

As per our discussion

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**Attachments:**

August 5<sup>th</sup> 3:15pm order that was sent via Penny Carpenter.

Hello, at this time it is our understanding that Stephen Rothman has the authority under the mines act to order the necessary measures to contain and remove the debris in Quesnel Lake and to authorize the management of the water level on Polley lake.

However: to remove any confusion and to address any shortcoming that might exist between the Mines Act, Water Act and the MOU that guides there coordination I order under Section 85 as follows;

Subject to the requirements of the Mines Act and MOU

[http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/sla\\_mou/mempr\\_mou%202009.pdf](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/sla_mou/mempr_mou%202009.pdf) and as it is in the public interest for the protection of safety and the integrity of Hazeltine Creek, Polley Lake, Quesnel Lake and the Quesnel River, recognizing the Mt Polley Mine's willingness to undergo the required work at their own cost and save the province harmless:

- 1) Under the direction of suitably qualified professionals licenced in the Province of BC the corporation is ordered to collect and remove such debris from Quesnel Lake, as a result of the Mt Polley tailings pond failure, as would threaten road infrastructure and stream channel stability. The manner and nature to be suitable to impacted parties Federal Agencies and the Province.
- 2) Under the direction of suitably qualified and experienced professionals licenced in the Province of BC; maintain the Lake level of Polley Lake in a manner that prevents further mass movement of material from Polley lake and Hazeltine Creek.
- 3) This order does not superseded any other legislation, agency, or government authority nor does it save them harmless.
- 4) This order is not intended to mitigate or limit the future punitive action of government with respect any non compliance by Mt Polley Mine.
- 5) This order is a temporary measure and is subject to cancelation or modification under the authority of the Water Act Mines Act or the MOU.
- 6) This order doe not authorize the entry onto private lands.

If necessary a more formal and document can be provided at a future date and in the absence of any direction to the contrary it should be considered to be expired as of August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2014 if not renewed. In addition to the general protection of public interest the specific purpose is to protect the hridge at Likely and to prevent secondary mass movements of material from the failure.

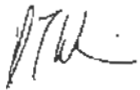
If there are any questions or you feel there is error please contact me. Keeping in mind the rushed nature of this document.

David Weir  
Water Section Head,  
Ministry of Forest Lands and Natural Resource Operations

2. Under the direction of suitably, qualified and experienced professionals, licenced in the Province of British Columbia: maintain the lake level of Polley Lake in a manner that prevents further mass movement of material from Polley Lake and Hazeltine Creek.

By the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 2014.

Dated at Williams Lake, British Columbia, this 20th day of August 2014.



David Weir  
Engineer under the *Water Act*

## **ENGINEER'S ORDER**

### **SECTION 88 OF THE *WATER ACT***

**WHEREAS** **Imperial Metals Corporation** are the registered owners of **Mount Polley Mine**, and

**WHEREAS** **Imperial Metals Corporation** you have, or permitted to have, allowed debris to block the outlet of Polley Lake, enter Hazeltine Creek and enter into Quesnel Lake, and

**WHEREAS** a person commits an offence under **Section 93(2) (p) and Section 94(1) (g)** of the *Water Act* who:

(p) fails to do an act or thing required to be done by the person under this Act or under an order of the comptroller, regional water manager, engineer or officer;

(g) places, maintains or makes use of an obstruction in the channel of a stream without authority, and

**WHEREAS** I, David Weir, Engineer under the *Water Act*, am empowered under **Section 88 (1) (j) and (l)** of the *Water Act* to:

(j) order the release of stored or impounded water that the engineer considers a danger to life and property;

(l) order a person to remove from a stream any substance or thing that the person has put or permitted to get into the stream;

**I HEREBY ORDER Imperial Metals Corporation to:**

1. Under the direction of suitably qualified professionals licenced in the Province of British Columbia: collect and remove such debris from Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake and Polley Lake, as a result of the Mt Polley tailings pond failure; as would threaten public safety, road infrastructure and stream channel stability. Included in this order is approval for the installation and removal of a boat ramp at the West Fraser reload site as discussed during FLNRO joint inspection of August 19<sup>th</sup> 2014. The manner and nature of these activities is to be suitable to impacted parties, Federal Agencies and the Province.

I remind you that embedded debris removal within Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek and at the Mouth of Hazeltine Creek where it enters Quesnel Lake must be approved by the Environmental Protection Division of the Ministry of Environment prior to being completed.

This order is ancillary to the jurisdictions of the Ministry of Mines and Ministry of Environment and it is expected that overlap will occur between the instructions from these Ministries. Works are to be consistent with the instructions from these Ministries and Federal agencies. This order facilitates the activities that will be approved under the Land act and Forest Act.

An appeal to this order may be taken only as directed within Section 92 of the *Water Act*. An appeal shall not act as a stay of execution of the order.

This order does not preclude legal proceedings.

Yours truly,



David Weir  
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Enclosure: August 5<sup>th</sup> Order and August 20<sup>th</sup> order.



August 21, 2014

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Dear **Don Parsons**:

Enclosed is an Order issued under Section 88(1) of the *Water Act*.

This order replaces and extends the time period needed for completion of ongoing work to meet the objectives identified in the August 5<sup>th</sup> 3:15 pm order. In addition it provides for additional clarification regarding works needed to achieve the intention of that order. Progress of the activities will be monitored and the order may be extended, modified or cancelled at any time based upon the monitoring results.

Suitably qualified professionals include but are not limited to Geoscientists, Engineers, Archeaologists, Agrologists and Biologists. Robin Hoffos and I met with your representatives on Quesnel Lake to review the ongoing containment and removal of debris on Quesnel Lake including the proposal to improve the ramp at the West Fraser Log dewatering site. The proposals as described were satisfactory under the supervision of the Professional Biologist who was identified as Brian Aitken RP Bio and Professional Engineer Emily Cheung. We have not received the requested information from them but time is of the essence. We have not received information concerning the Professional oversight of operations on Polley Lake. Please maintain a complete record of the activities relating to this order which are to be supplied to us upon request.

Specific issues identified under during the review included Kokanee Shore Spawning, Cariboo Island, embedded debris at the mouth of Hazeltine Creek, natural debris, the installation of a ramp to remove debris, and the placement of light debris above the high water mark. The Williams Lake Indian band has requested monitoring of the debris removal on Cariboo Island due the potential for the destruction or loss of artifacts exposed below and above the high water mark. A contact has been provided to your representatives for you to address this issue. Brian Aitken indicated the intention to collect video evidence for "before and after" work is completed and we wish to receive a copy of this information upon completion of the work.

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## **Weir, David J FLNR:EX**

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**Sent:** Monday, August 25, 2014 2:15 PM  
**To:** Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: File: 76930-40/Mt Polley  
**Attachments:** Imperial Metals - Order.pdf; Mount Polley Debris Clean Up in Quesnel Lake.pdf

As requested.

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**Sent:** Monday, August 25, 2014 9:03 AM  
**To:** Bellefontaine, Kim MEM:EX; Seabourne, Sean FLNR:IN  
**Subject:** FW: File: 76930-40/Mt Polley

Please find the attached as requested. At the time of the order they had not submitted the Clean Up document.

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**From:** Prediger, Yvonne ENV:EX  
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**Cc:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** File: 76930-40/Mt Polley

Mr. Don Parsons,

Attached will find documents regarding an Order issued under Section 88(1) of the *Water Act*.

There will not be a hard copy mailed out.

Regards,

*Yvonne Prediger*  
*Admin Support*  
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## **Weir, David J FLNR:EX**

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**From:** Cameron, Valerie Z FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 26, 2014 8:47 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

Thanks for following up Dave.  
VZC

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, August 25, 2014 8:56 AM  
**To:** Hamm, Mark FLNR:EX; Cameron, Valerie Z FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

We can discontinue the spot forecasts now.

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**From:** Don Parsons [<mailto:dparsons@imperialmetals.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 23, 2014 11:34 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

David  
Not required.  
Thanks  
Don



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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX [<mailto:David.J.Weir@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 21, 2014 12:19 PM  
**To:** Don Parsons  
**Subject:** FW: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014



Hi Don, do you still want to receive these daily spot forecasts?

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**From:** Cameron, Valerie Z FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 21, 2014 12:00 PM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

Hi Dave,

I participated on the EMBC Mt Polley coordination call today and heard 2 things amongst others:

- Rowena said that the EOC has closed and they are at Level 1
- Michael Higgins advised Environment Canada that there was no need to provide spot forecasts over the weekend.

We have been received these WMB spot forecasts (attached) from Mark Hamm, which would appear to duplicate the Environment Canada forecasts. The WMB spot forecasts are pretty good, but in an earlier email Mark indicated that if they were not needed to let him know as the WMB forecasters are busy enough without having to do the spot forecast. I had responded to Mark that it would be Andrew Morrison's call on whether to continue with the WMB spot forecasts, but I note that with the EOC shut down that Andrew is probably not even at the EOC anymore. Furthermore, if there is no need for Environment Canada to produce spot forecasts over the weekend, would there still be a need for WMB to produce spot forecasts over the weekend? It would be unfortunate if WMB continued to devote resources to this function simply because no one thought to contact them to stop.

My question: are the WMB spot forecasts needed?

If not, I suggest that you contact Mark and advise him to ask WMB to cease the forecasts. Or if there is someone else you need to talk to about whether the forecasts should proceed?

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Valerie

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**From:** Hamm, Mark FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 20, 2014 5:22 PM  
**To:** Ewanyshyn, Ron JAG:EX; Weir, David J FLNR:EX; Rothman, Stephen MEM:EX; Morrison, Andrew JAG:EX  
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**Subject:** FYI: Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

Apologies for the delay in forwarding!

Mark

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**Subject:** Spot forecast for Mt Polley issued 10:45 Wednesday August 20, 2014

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**From:** SG PEP NEA PREOC Operations 1 SG:EX  
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**To:** Woolford, Sonia JAG:EX  
**Subject:** NEA PREOC Situation Report 25 August 2014 1430hrs  
**Attachments:** Aug 25 2014 Sitrep.pdf

Please find attached the situation report for August 25, 2014.

**Debbie Alexander**

**Operations Section Chief  
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## SITUATION REPORT

### Northeast Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centre (NEA PREOC)

SITUATION REPORT August 25, 2014

Update #16

Event: Wildfire and Mt. Polley Dam Failure

Date/Time Issued: August 25, 2014 14:00

EMBC Task #: Wildfire 151505; Mount Polley 152048

Operational Period: 08:30 -16:30

NEA PREOC Level: 1

Overall Regional Situation: Wildfire stable; Mount Polley stable

Activated EMBC Staff: 2

The next Situation Report will be issued: August 26, 2014 14:00

\*\* New information

#### 1. KEY REGIONAL INFORMATION

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##### DGIR: Mount Polley

- \*\* Next Conference Call scheduled for Thursday, August 28 at 1100 hrs.
- \*\*Imperial Metal Corp continues to build rock berm in front of breach; material progress is 45% complete. Polley Lake level 1.44 meters above historic level since pumping began, July 31, 2014. Debris clean-up progressing well around town site, beaches and on lake. Water quality and sediment sampling analysis continues.
- \*\*The CRD SOLE and area restriction remain in place. Today Monday August 25 the CRD will submit a request to extend SOLE as it expires Tuesday August 26.

Total Active RCs: 0

Total Active Alerts: 4

Total Orders: 1

Total States of Local Emergency: 1

Total Band Council Resolutions: 0

#### 2. WEATHER FORECAST – Environment Canada

##### Northeast

[http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/bc-79\\_metric\\_e.html](http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/bc-79_metric_e.html)

- \*\* Upper ridge of high pressure weakening. Westerly zonal flow over northeastern BC. End of dry period, shower activity every day this week. No risk of thundershowers. Winds SW 20 kms per hr ease tonight, winds again Tuesday up to 30 kms per hour. .

#### Likely

[http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/bc-64\\_metric\\_e.html](http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/bc-64_metric_e.html)

- \*\* Today cloudy with showers, minimal precipitation 2mm, Wednesday 5mm precipitation. Minimal shower activity this week. .

### 3. LOCAL AUTHORITIES, EOC LEVEL, STATUS

#### Cariboo Regional District EOC – Level 1

- Incident: Wildfires Task # 151596; Mount Polley Task # 152048
- Alerts: 1
- Orders: 1 (This is an order to restrict an area for Mount Polley incident)
- State of Local Emergency: 1 (SOLE to expire Tuesday, August 26 2014 at 1300 hrs, extension request for SOLE to be submitted today Monday August 25)
- Kluskus/Euchiniko (G40198) Inc # 140179 – evacuation alert recinded August 6th.
- Chelaslie (R10070) Inc # 140232 – evacuation alert remains in place
- DGIR: Mt Polley
- Imperial Metal Corp:
- \*\*Imperial Metal Corp continues to build rock berm in front of breach, 45% of material progress complete. Polley Lake level is 923.07, drop is 260mm, currently 1.44 m above level as of 31 July 2014.
- \*\*Daily potable water available from 2:00- 4:00 and 7:30 – 9pm for residents at Spanish Mtn camp,
- \*\*Installation of second pipeline to Hazeltime Creek will bring pumping capacity to 20,000 gal/min and timeline to approximately 50 day completion, ready to run, geotech writing up safework procedures .
- Debris clean up continues, loose debris has been boomed on Quesnel Lake and focus is on the beaches. Mt Polley is replanking a barge to facilitate an excavator to assist in removing debris from the beaches and moving it to the West Fraser reload site. Water quality sampling offered to residents: sampled seven intakes and results show elevated levels of coliform and ecoli. Continue with lake samples: including water, soil, turbidity. Fish sampling occurred in conjunction with Soda Creek FN on the Fraser River.
- \*\* Protestors are still in place with blockade at the Likely Road turn off leading to Mt. Polley
- CRD:
- \*\*SOLE still in place to maintain the area restriction for the mine site and surrounding area.SOLE extension request to be submitted today Monday, August 25
- \*\*CRD and MOE are holding a public information meeting at the Likely Hall Tuesday August 26 @ 7pm

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## 7. TRANSPORTATION IMPACTED

- **Mode: Roads**
- **Owner:**
- **Details:**
  - Mount Polley closure: Gavin Lake and Ditch Rd are closed (FSRs)

## 8. USEFUL LINKS

- Emergency Info BC
- Online Alerts & Bulletins: <http://www.emergencyinfobc.gov.bc.ca/>
- Wildfires of Note: <http://bcwildfire.ca/hprscripts/wildfirenews/onefire.asp>
- Facebook Pages:
  - <https://www.facebook.com/BCForestFireInfo>
  - <https://www.facebook.com/CRDEmergencyoperations>
- Twitter
  - [@EmergencyInfoBC](#) – Alerts only; Primary operational feed when PECC activated
  - [@EmergencyPrepBC](#) – Emergency preparedness information
  - [@BCGovFireInfo](#) – Updates, news and prevention tips from B.C.'s Wildfire Management Branch
- Hashtags used to date for #BCwildfire
- Fire Bans and Area Restrictions: <http://bcwildfire.ca/hprScripts/WildfireNews/Bans.asp>
- Smoke advisories: <http://www.bcairquality.ca/>
- MOE water sample results: <http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

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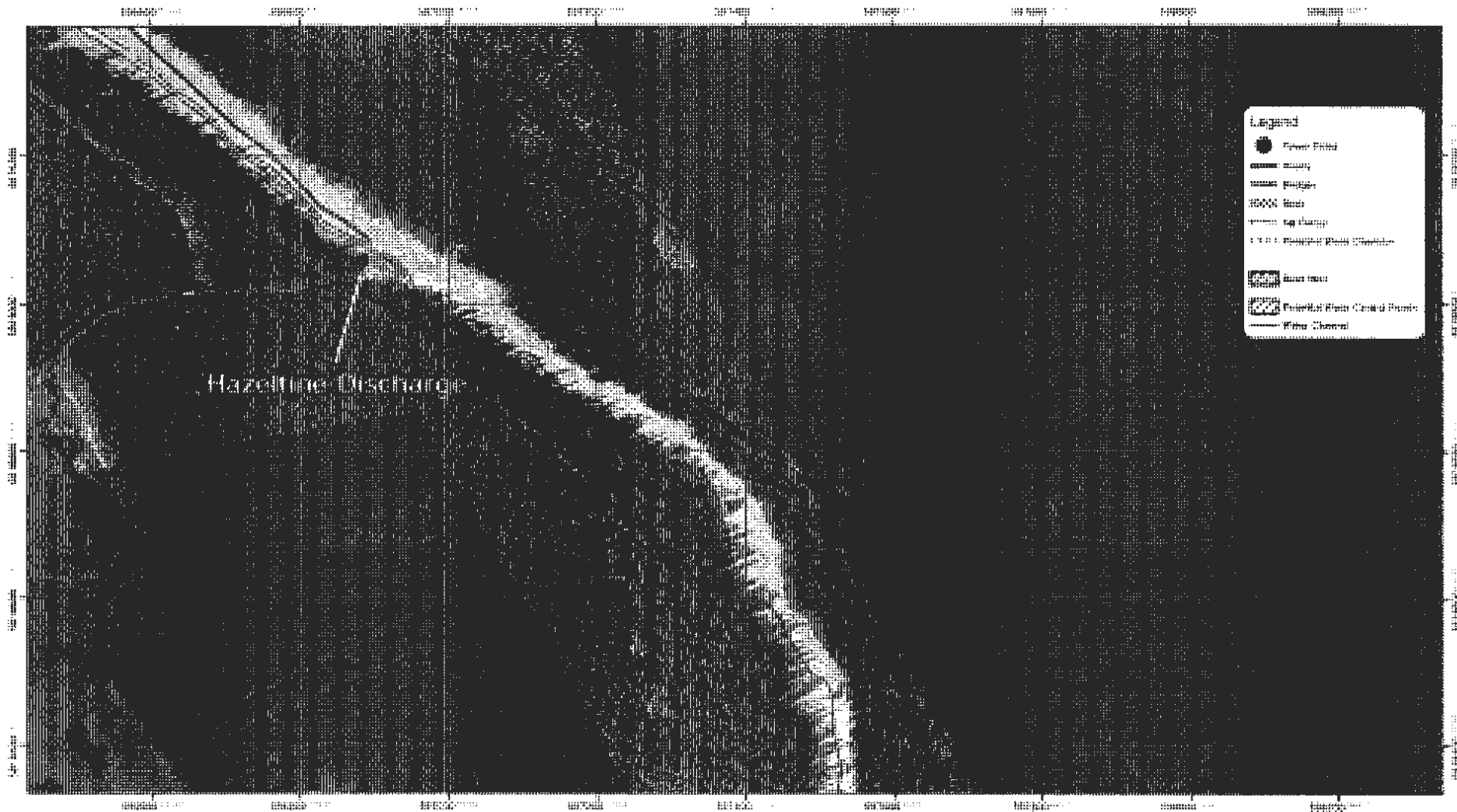
# Mount Polley Tailings Breach

Map # 3

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Projection: Transverse Mercator  
Datum: North American 1983 CSRS

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# Mount Polley

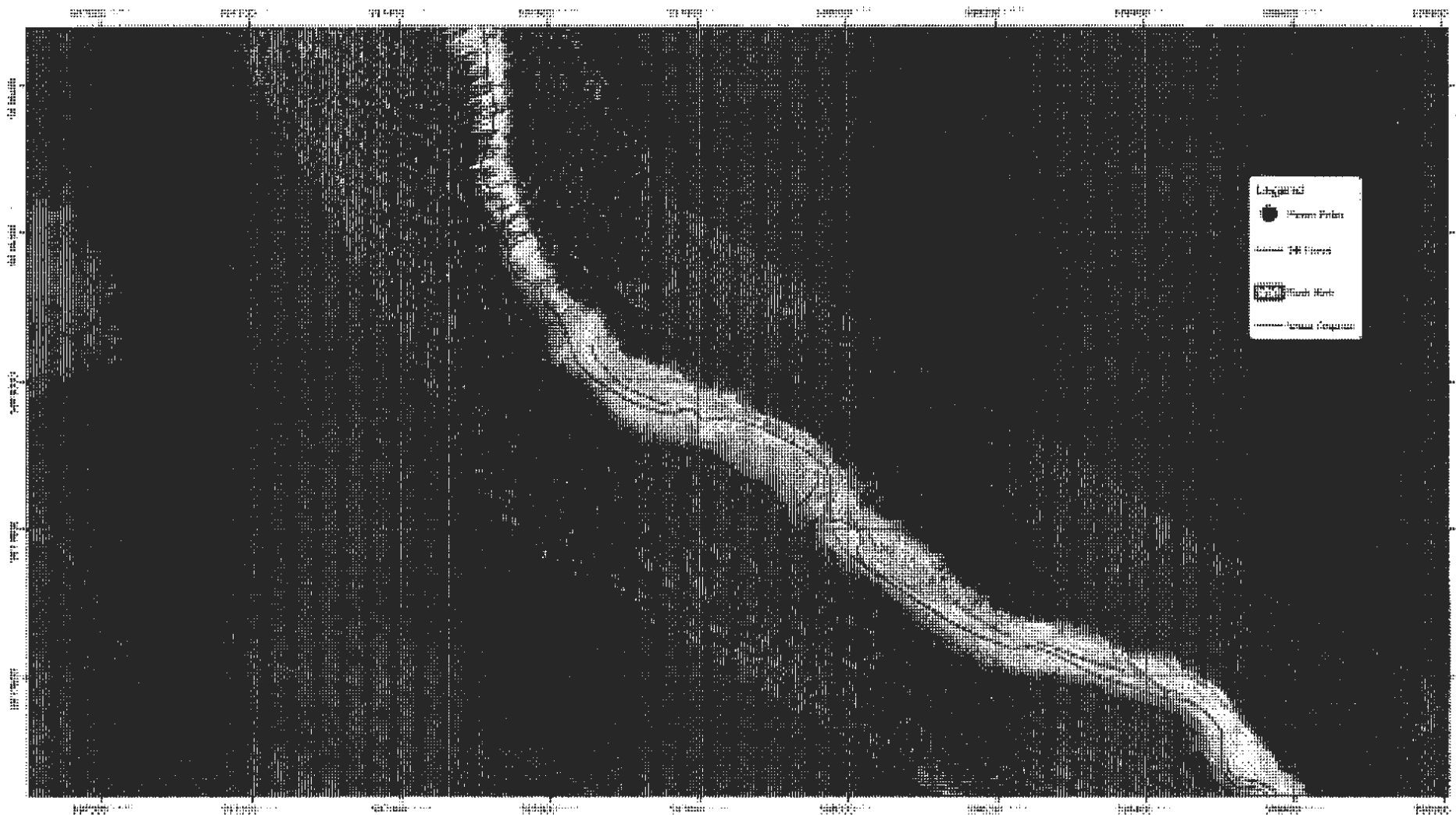
Tailings Breach

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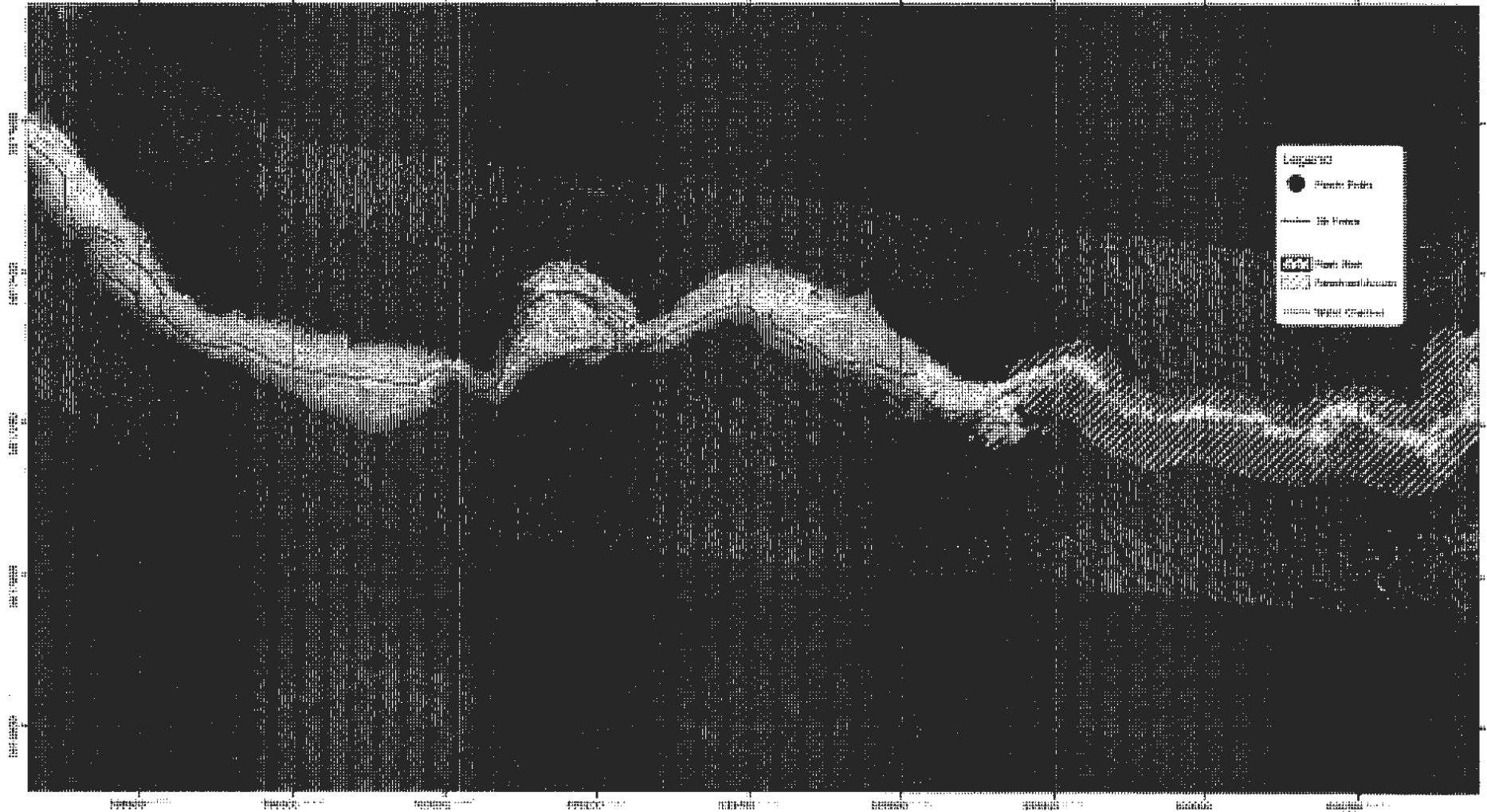
# Mount Polley Tailings Breach

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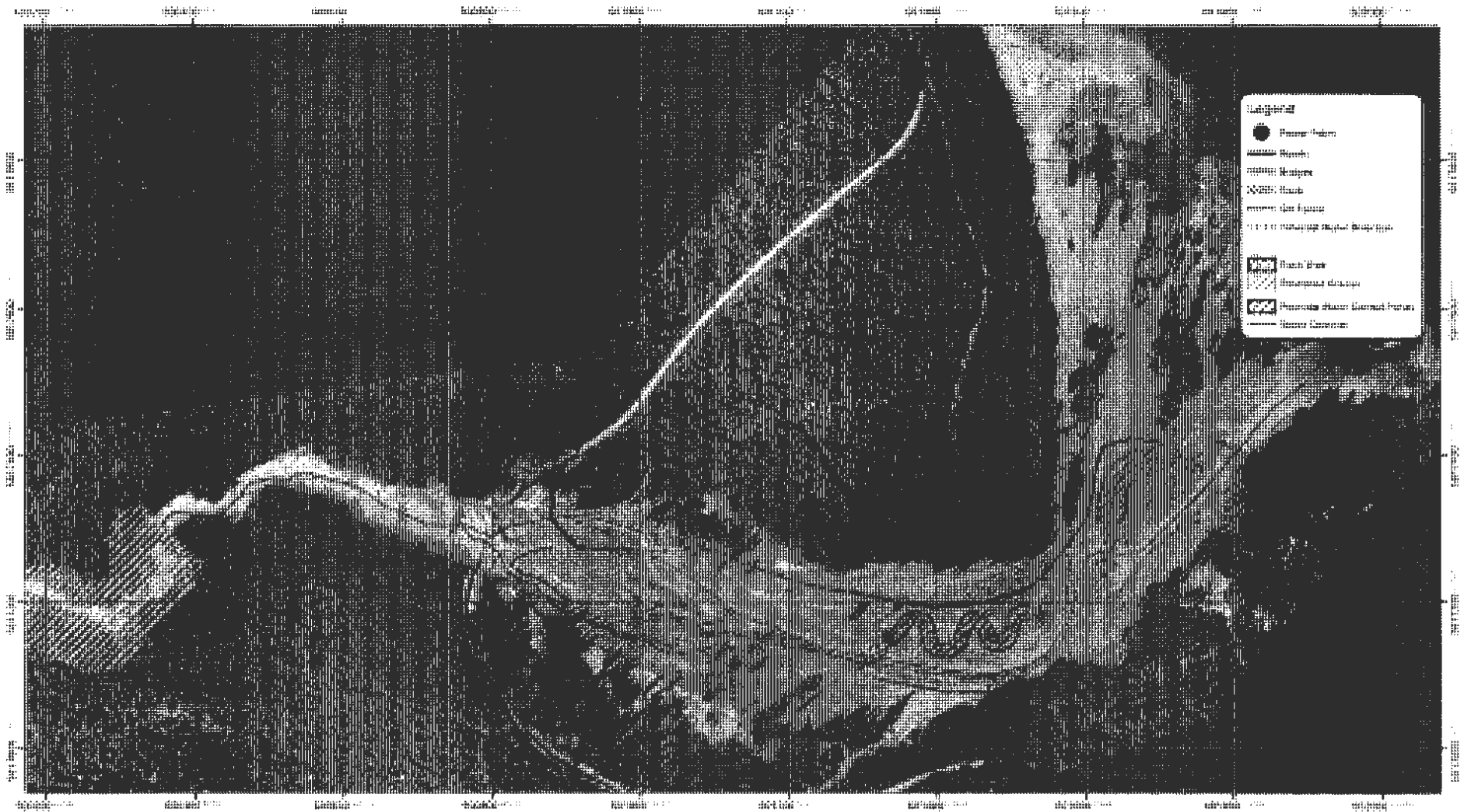




Map # 6

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## **APPENDIX B**

### **Recommendations for Proper Installation of the Erosion Control Materials**

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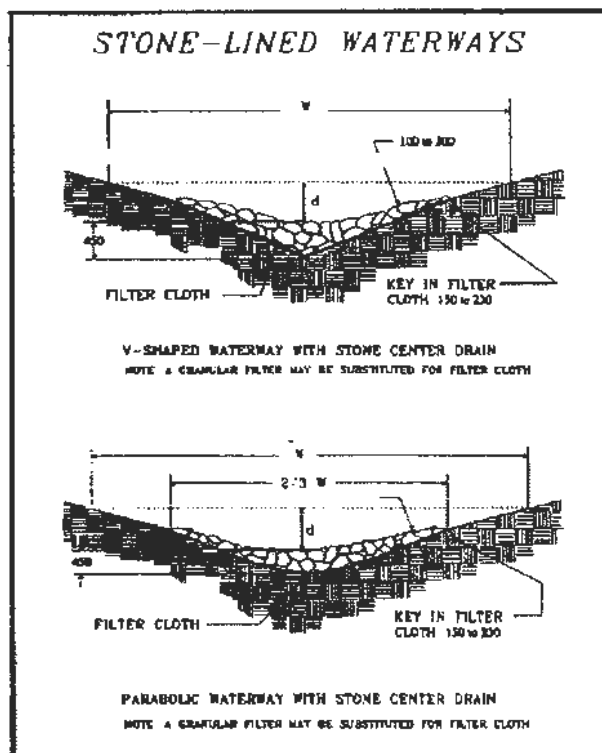
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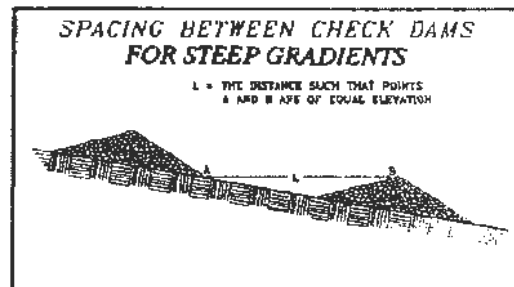
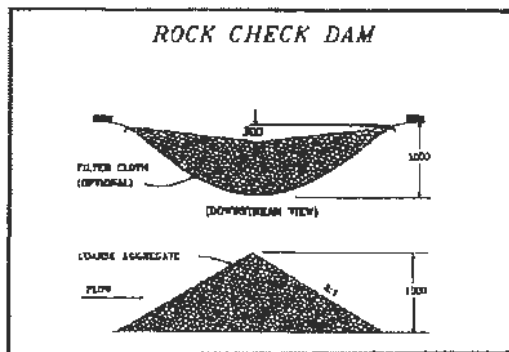


4. BACKFILL AND COMPACT THE EXCAVATED SOIL.

## CONSTRUCTION OF STRAW BALE BARRIER

# Straw Bale Barrier Installation (MoTH, 1997)





### Application

Temporary ditches.

Permanent ditches that have not been stabilized by vegetation.

Ditches in more erodible soil (sand, silt) and those on steeper gradients.

### Design

The centre should be lower than the edges so it acts as a weir.

### Installation

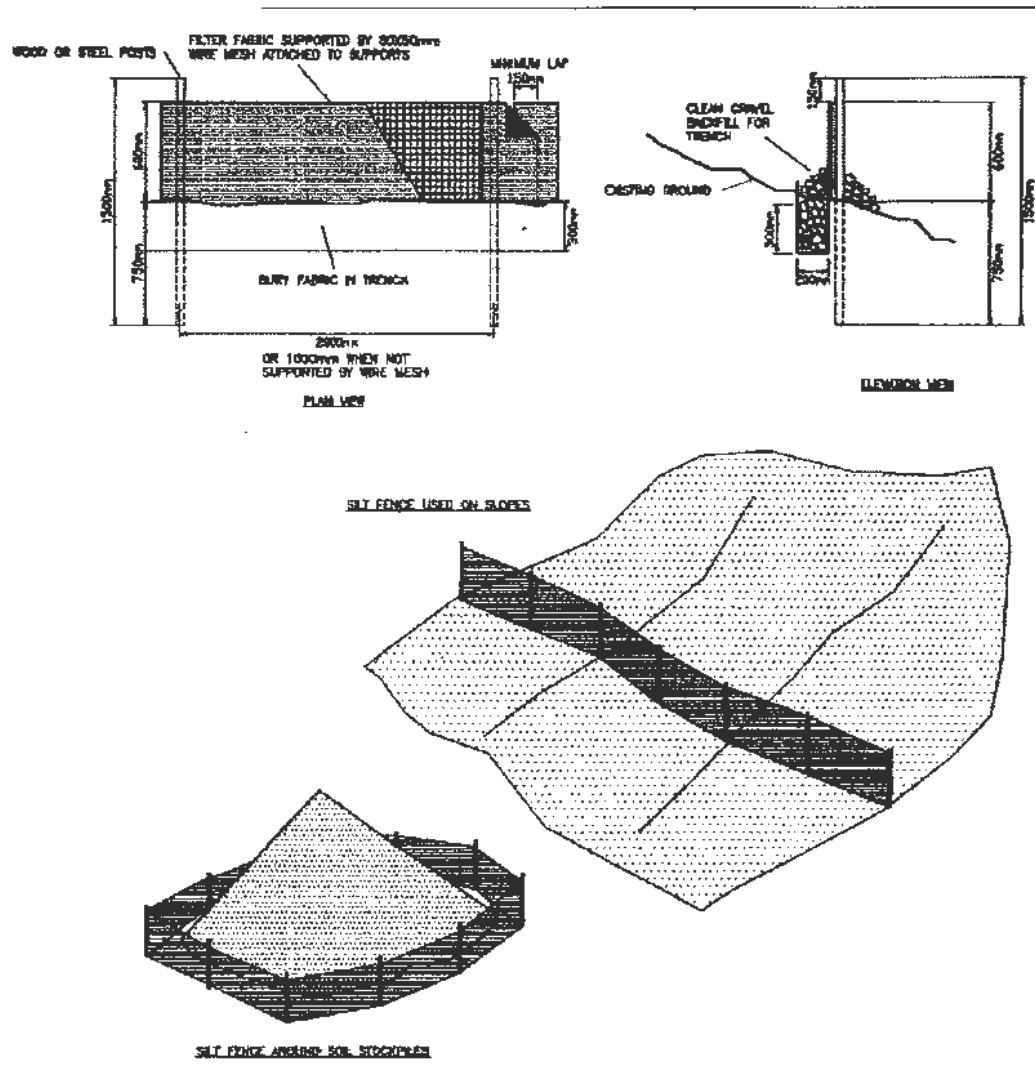
Use stone having a range of sizes to promote filtration and protection of underlying soil.

Maximum size should be about 250 mm.

Maximum height should be less than 1 m.

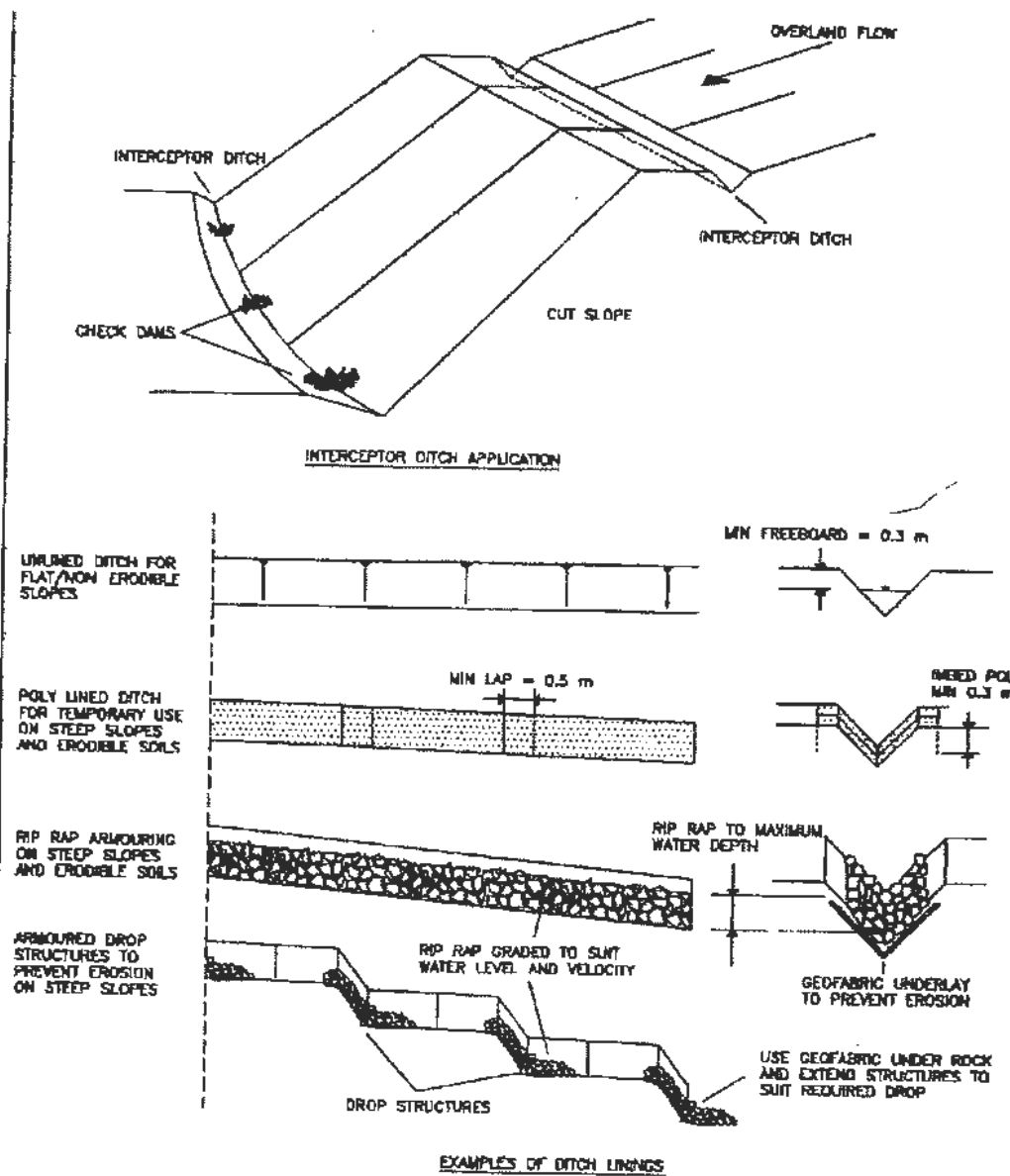
Use side slopes of 2:1 on both sides.

Typical Installations of Rock Check Dams (MoTH, 1997)



Typical Silt Fence Installation (FOC, 1993)



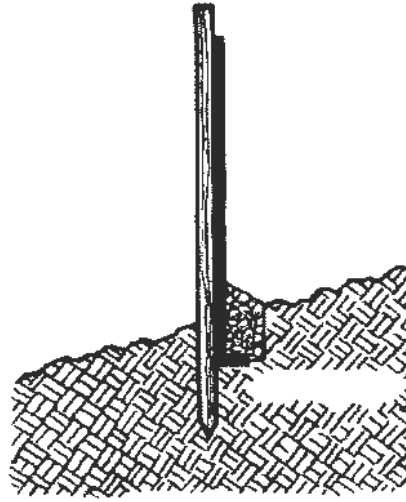


Examples of Ditch Interceptors and Linings (FOC, 1993)

## INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

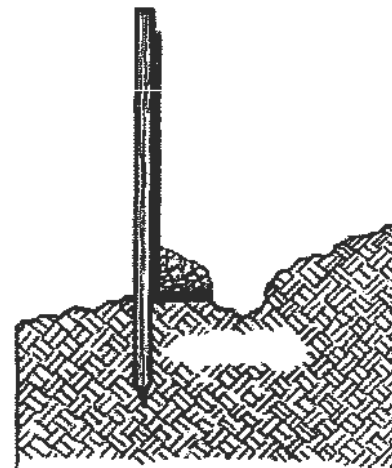
### Option 1 (Preferred)   Option 2

The second option is to pound in the stakes until the fabric is snug on the soil surface. Earth moving equipment should be used to cut and blade at least 6" (15 cm) of fill against the fabric edge. This method of installation is less labour intensive, but may allow water to undercut the silt fence in areas of high runoff.



[http://www.nilex.com/products/sediment\\_control/silt\\_fence](http://www.nilex.com/products/sediment_control/silt_fence)

To ensure optimal performance, silt fence is best installed in an excavated 6" x 6" (15 cm x 15 cm) trench. Stakes should be pounded in until the fabric reaches the bottom of the trench. Always install with the posts facing downhill, so runoff pushes the fabric against the posts, not away from them. The trench should be backfilled by a backhoe or other earth moving equipment.



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## NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release  
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August 18, 2014

Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

### **First Nations and government partner on response to Mt. Polley Mine breach**

**WILLIAMS LAKE** – Williams Lake Indian Band and the Soda Creek Indian Band (Xat'sül First Nation) signed a letter of understanding with the Government of British Columbia to work in partnership to address all aspects of the breach of the tailings storage facility that occurred at the Mount Polley Mine on Aug. 4, 2014.

The agreement has five components that will be conducted in accordance with First Nations traditions and scientific knowledge and recognizes that the health and safety of the public and workers, including members of the First Nations, are paramount:

1. A principals table consisting of the Chiefs of the First Nations and the Ministers of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines will oversee a government-to-government response.
2. A senior officials committee from the three ministries and designates for the First Nations will be responsible for overseeing all of the response activities such as assessing impacts, clean up, remediation planning and decisions related to the future of Mount Polley mine. They will also address long-term funding requirements to respond to all aspects of the Mount Polley Mine incident.
3. \$200,000 to each First Nation (\$400,000 in total) to cover costs already incurred and future costs related to the tailings pond breach.
4. The recognition of the important economic contribution of mining to British Columbia and the commencement of a dialogue about existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the mining sector in British Columbia.
5. Agreement that the entities responsible pay for all costs and damages incurred in relation to the Mount Polley Mine Incident in accordance with applicable legislation.

The provincial government and First Nations have been clear since the breach occurred that finding out exactly what happened, ensuring this never happens again and moving quickly on remediation plans to protect and preserve the environment are top priorities.

Earlier this morning, the provincial government, with the support of the Williams Lake and Soda Creek Indian Bands, announced an independent engineering investigation into the tailings pond breach and steps to ensure all permitted tailings ponds across the province are safe.

The investigation will be led by a panel of experienced geotechnical experts who will have the ability to compel evidence and witness testimony. The Williams Lake and Soda Creek Indian Bands will appoint a liaison to work with the panel.

The panel will provide recommendations through a final report by Jan. 31, 2015. This report will be provided to government and the Williams Lake and Soda Creek Indian Bands at the same

time and will then be made public.

**Quotes:**

**Minister John Rustad, Minister of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation –**

"I am pleased the Province has come together with the Williams Lake and Soda Creek Indian Bands to work in collaboration to oversee the response activities from the tailings pond breach at Mount Polley. There is a great deal of work ahead of us but I know our strong working partnership will help move the process along more quickly so local First Nations in the area can have confidence their natural environment is a safe place for their families."

**Minister Mary Polak, Minister of Environment –**

"I'm confident we will work constructively with the local First Nations to build their trust and to create a forum to establish an ongoing relationship."

**Chief Bev Sellars, Soda Creek Indian Band (Xatsúll First Nation) –**

"Until now, there has not been the level of cooperation and collaboration required between the provincial government and our nations to adequately respond to the Mount Polley mine disaster. Not only does this agreement commit our respective governments to joint oversight and decision-making in regards to all aspects of response to the Mount Polley mine disaster, it also allows First Nations and the provincial government to begin a necessary conversation about the adequacy of existing laws, regulations and policy in regards to the overall mining sector in British Columbia."

**Chief Ann Louie, Williams Lake Indian Band –**

"This letter of understanding is only the beginning of a process for mining reforms in British Columbia. The provincial government bears the responsibility to effectively collaborate with First Nations on a government-to-government basis on meaningful reforms to build confidence with all our communities that mineral exploration and mining is a safe industry. At this point that confidence still needs to be earned."

Letter of Understanding follows as a backgrounder.

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## BACKGROUND

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Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

### Letter of Understanding

Letter of Understanding between

Soda Creek Indian Band, Williams Lake Indian Band  
And  
The Province of British Columbia

#### Guiding principles:

The Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band (collectively, the **"First Nations"**) and the Province of British Columbia (**"British Columbia"**) agree to work in partnership, on a government-to-government basis through shared decision-making wherever possible, to jointly address all aspects of the tailings storage facility breach at the Mount Polley Mine (**"Mount Polley Mine Incident"**).

The First Nations and British Columbia (collectively, the **"Parties"**) agree that the processes for the joint oversight set out below will be conducted in accordance with the First Nations' traditional protocols, having regard to both traditional and scientific knowledge, and as expeditiously as possible.

The Parties agree that the health and safety of the public and workers, including members of the First Nations, are paramount.

#### The Parties therefore agree as follows:

1. The Parties agree to establish a principals table consisting of the Chiefs of the First Nations and the Ministers of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines to oversee a government-to-government response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident (**"Principals Table"**).
2. The Parties agree to establish a senior officials committee consisting of designates of the First Nations, and the Assistant Deputy Ministers of the Ministries of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines, and other ministries as appropriate (**"Committee"**). The Committee shall be responsible for overseeing the following activities in response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident:
  - i. assessing impacts, monitoring, cleanup, remediation planning and implementation, and any decisions related to the future of Mount Polley mine;
  - ii. developing a plan to provide safe access to the impact zone for the purposes of assessing archaeological and environmental impacts;
  - iii. discussing permitting required for future work at the Mount Polley mine;
  - iv. assessing the adequacy of existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the Mount Polley Incident;

- v. addressing the First Nations' immediate and long-term funding requirements to respond to all aspects of the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- vi. identifying economic opportunities for the First Nations to participate in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- vii. reporting back to the Principals Table; and
- viii. addressing any other issues related to the Mount Polley Mine Incident as agreed to by the Committee.

The Parties agree that this letter of understanding does not fetter statutory decision makers in carrying out their duties and responsibilities under the relevant provincial laws and regulations that apply to the Mount Polley Incident.

- 3. British Columbia agrees to provide \$200,000 to each of the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band as soon as possible to cover costs already incurred and to be incurred in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 4. The Parties acknowledge the impact of the Mount Polley Mine Incident on public confidence in mining and recognize the important economic contribution of mining to British Columbia. Accordingly, British Columbia, in partnership with the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band, commits to commencing a dialogue about existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the mining industry in British Columbia. The scope and mechanism for this dialogue will be considered by the Senior Officials Committee and recommendations will be made to the Principals Table. Those future discussions will be informed by the collaborative work between the Parties on the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 5. The Parties agree that the entities responsible, in accordance with applicable legislation, be required to pay for all costs and damages incurred in relation to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.

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Chief Bev Sellars, Soda Creek Indian Band

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Chief Ann C. Louie, Williams Lake Indian Band

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The Honourable John Rustad, Minister of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

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## BACKGROUNDER

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Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

### Letter of Understanding

Letter of Understanding between

Soda Creek Indian Band, Williams Lake Indian Band  
And  
The Province of British Columbia

#### Guiding principles:

The Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band (collectively, the “**First Nations**”) and the Province of British Columbia (“**British Columbia**”) agree to work in partnership, on a government-to-government basis through shared decision-making wherever possible, to jointly address all aspects of the tailings storage facility breach at the Mount Polley Mine (“**Mount Polley Mine Incident**”).

The First Nations and British Columbia (collectively, the “**Parties**”) agree that the processes for the joint oversight set out below will be conducted in accordance with the First Nations’ traditional protocols, having regard to both traditional and scientific knowledge, and as expeditiously as possible.

The Parties agree that the health and safety of the public and workers, including members of the First Nations, are paramount.

#### The Parties therefore agree as follows:

1. The Parties agree to establish a principals table consisting of the Chiefs of the First Nations and the Ministers of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines to oversee a government-to-government response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident (“**Principals Table**”).
2. The Parties agree to establish a senior officials committee consisting of designates of the First Nations, and the Assistant Deputy Ministers of the Ministries of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines, and other ministries as appropriate (“**Committee**”). The Committee shall be responsible for overseeing the following activities in response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident:
  - i. assessing impacts, monitoring, cleanup, remediation planning and implementation, and any decisions related to the future of Mount Polley mine;
  - ii. developing a plan to provide safe access to the impact zone for the purposes of assessing archaeological and environmental impacts;
  - iii. discussing permitting required for future work at the Mount Polley mine;
  - iv. assessing the adequacy of existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the Mount Polley Incident;



- v. addressing the First Nations' immediate and long-term funding requirements to respond to all aspects of the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- vi. identifying economic opportunities for the First Nations to participate in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- vii. reporting back to the Principals Table; and
- viii. addressing any other issues related to the Mount Polley Mine Incident as agreed to by the Committee.

The Parties agree that this letter of understanding does not fetter statutory decision makers in carrying out their duties and responsibilities under the relevant provincial laws and regulations that apply to the Mount Polley Incident.

- 3. British Columbia agrees to provide \$200,000 to each of the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band as soon as possible to cover costs already incurred and to be incurred in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 4. The Parties acknowledge the impact of the Mount Polley Mine Incident on public confidence in mining and recognize the important economic contribution of mining to British Columbia. Accordingly, British Columbia, in partnership with the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band, commits to commencing a dialogue about existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the mining industry in British Columbia. The scope and mechanism for this dialogue will be considered by the Senior Officials Committee and recommendations will be made to the Principals Table. Those future discussions will be informed by the collaborative work between the Parties on the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 5. The Parties agree that the entities responsible, in accordance with applicable legislation, be required to pay for all costs and damages incurred in relation to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.

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Dave, I passed on the inquiry from Red Bluff to Julia Banks of SCIB as it's my understanding that SCIB/WLIB are to co-ordinate dissemination of data to other First Nations. Julia said she would followup with Red Bluff.

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The water act order appears to be consistent with the LOU. Under the order the Mine has to address Mines and MOE concerns which under the LOU are the Ministries charged with coordinating the FN engagement. They might want to consider having us on the "committee". Also, I called the Soda Creek, Williams Lake and the Lhtako Dene Nation to explain myself before issuing the new order. I wasn't able to talk to Soda Creek, Williams Lake was aware of the issue and expressed no concerns and the Dene just called me today and I gave you the contact to provide them with the water sampling data.

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**Mount Polley Mine Tailings Storage Facility Breach**

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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Background**

The Mount Polley Mining Corporation (MPMC) owns and operates the Mount Polley copper-gold mine located 56 kilometres (km) northeast of Williams Lake, British Columbia (BC). Early on August 4, 2014 a breach of the TSF tailings dyke occurred that resulted in approximately 10M m<sup>3</sup> of water and approximately 4M m<sup>3</sup> of million tailings being released over a hillside into Polley Lake, along Hazeltine Creek and into Quesnel Lake. This release resulted in the following physical impacts to the downstream environment:

- Erosion and scour of the embankment separating the TSF from Polley Lake, as well as the riparian zone along Hazeltine Creek
- Deposition of trees and debris in Polley Lake, along the sides of the erosion scar associated with Hazeltine Creek, and in the confluence of Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake
- Deposition of tailings and scoured earth within Polley Lake, portions of Hazeltine Creek, and the confluence of Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake

The Province of British Columbia issued Pollution Abatement Order No. 107461, dated August 6, 2014, to MPMC (the Order). The Order requires MPMC to implement measures and submit documentation describing its response and to communicate to the Ministry of Environment (MOE) regarding response progress. These discussions have included a request from the MOE to MPMC to develop a plan for controlling erosion and sediments associated with the incident, which is the subject of this report.

### **1.2 Objectives and Scope**

This report presents MPMC's conceptual plan for mitigating ongoing erosion and sediment transport within impacted areas downstream of the breach. Specific objectives of the Plan are summarized as follows:

- provide water management structures to improve the quality of water flowing into Quesnel Lake
- reduce the potential for re-mobilization of tailings and sediments that were deposited or exposed by the TSP breach
- minimize and control flows from the TSF and re-direct these flows to the Springer Pit

Three high priority areas have been identified where in-stream controls are planned to mitigate potential future erosion and/or sediment transport, as follows:

- within and down-gradient of the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF)
- where the water pumped from Polley Lake is transferred into Hazeltine Creek
- up-stream of the mouth of Hazeltine Creek, prior to draining into Quesnel Lake

Equipment access will need to be established to provide construction activities to occur in these priority areas. Accordingly, this Plan also addresses the preferred access locations and the



principles that will be implemented in establishing access while minimizing disturbance and the potential for further erosion and sediment transport. Best Management Practices (BMPs) will be implemented over the remaining areas of impact to reduce potential for erosion and sediment migration outside of the Hazeltine Creek water course.

The Plan is conceptual in nature and will be implemented as described, subject to completing more detailed designs and site inspections to confirm details and design standards. It may be necessary to modify the locations and methods to be deployed in this regard. At the time of preparing this Plan, safe access to Hazeltine Creek was not available. Access to complete physical works in and around Hazeltine Creek is dependent on obtaining safe access to the area down-gradient of Polley Lake, which is also addressed in this Plan.

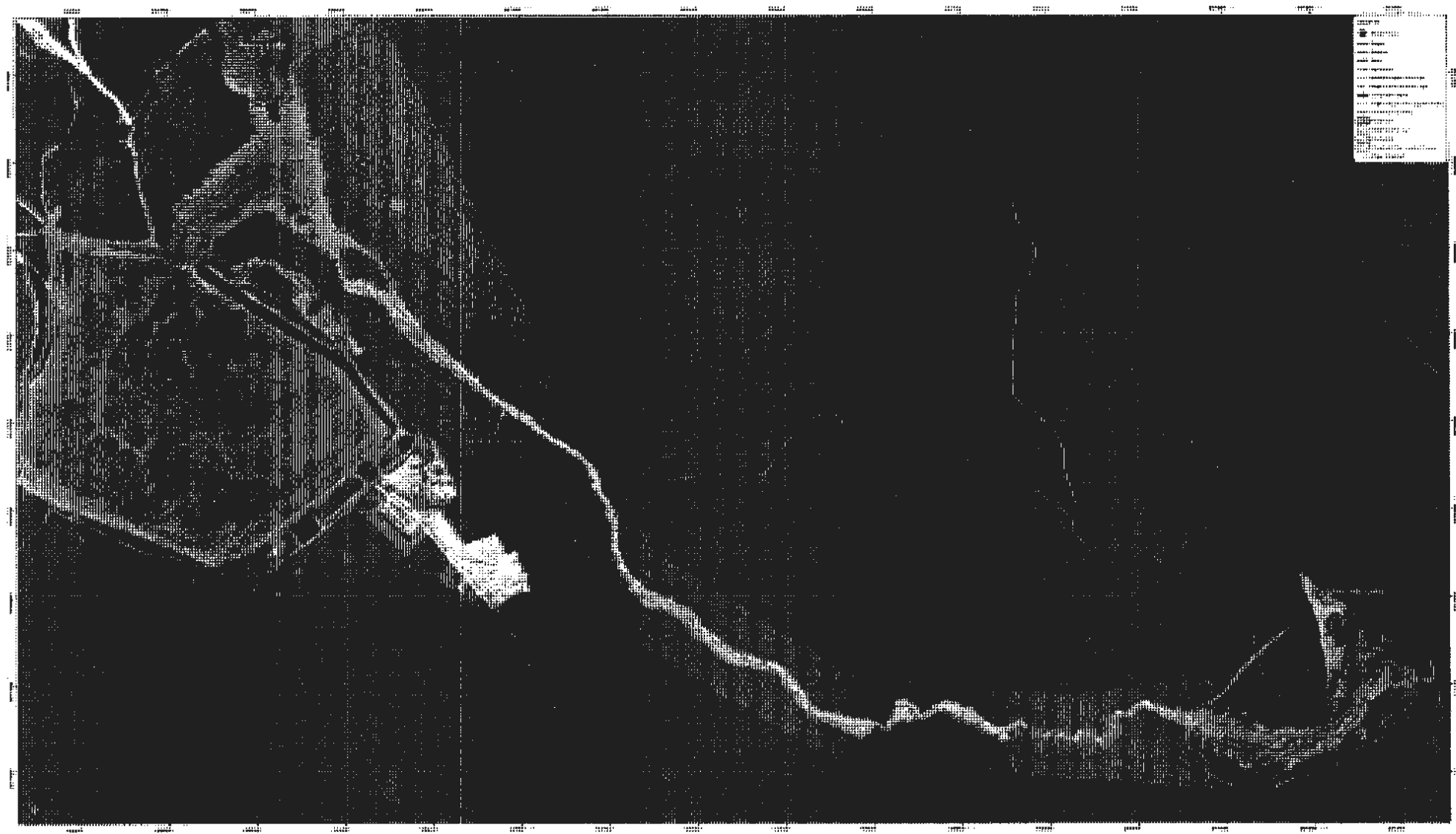
### **1.3 Related Documents**

MPMC has implemented a number of measures to mitigate potential future release of tailings and tailings water to the environment that are described in MPMC's submission to the Ministry of Environment that is dated August 13, 2014.

SNC Lavalin Inc. (SLI) prepared a Comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment and Action Plan that describes MPMC's overall incident response, which was submitted to the MOE on August 15, 2014.



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## **2.0 EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN**

### **2.1 General**

The Erosion and Sediment Control Plan consists of in-stream controls and Best Management Practices (BMP's) to mitigate erosion and/or sediment transport. In-stream controls will be constructed at the following locations:

- within and down-gradient of the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF)
- where the water pumped from Polley Lake is transferred into Hazeltine Creek
- up-stream of the mouth of Hazeltine Creek, prior to draining into Quesnel Lake

BMP's will be implemented in the area impacted by the TSF breach, along Hazeltine Creek, to reduce the potential for re-mobilization of sediments deposits or exposed as a result of the TSF breach.

The following sub-sections provide descriptions of each of these aspects of work. Appendix A illustrates these components of the conceptual plan. Modifications may be made during the engineering of in-stream works and/or the implementation of BMP's to account for the results of field inspections and design analyses.

### **2.2 TSF Controls**

A control weir and containment pond will be constructed downstream of the breach and original TSF embankment (Page 1 of Appendix A) to mitigate the potential for further release of tailings and tailings water, after the interim rock berm has been construction (see MPMC submission of August 13, 2014). All water that accumulates behind the weir will be transferred to the Springer Pit of the Mount Polley Mine. The flows from the breach will be directed to the Perimeter Embankment Collection Pond and till borrow in the meantime. Any tailings that accumulate in the containment pond will be transferred back to the TSF as soon as the infrastructure has been completed.

The containment pond will be sized to contain the water of water associated with a minimum 48 hours of seepage flowing through the interim rock berm. This volume will be determined by field observations and estimates.

### **2.3 Water Transfer Discharge Location**

A sediment trap will be constructed upstream of the discharge point of the water diversion from Polley Lake to Hazeltine Creek (see Page 3 of Appendix A). This sediment trap will allow settlement of any sediment and suspended tailings that may be carried by creek flow upstream of this point. The sediment trap will be sized to provide 12 hour retention of the estimated flow (downstream of Polley Lake) that is associated with the one in 5 years runoff event that is relevant to the September to January timeframe.



## **2.4 Hazeltine Creek Discharge to Quesnel Lake**

A series of sediment traps will be constructed upstream of the discharge point of Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake (see Page 6 of Appendix A). These sediment traps will allow settlement of any sediment and suspended tailings that otherwise may be discharged into Quesnel Lake. The series of sediment traps will be designed to accommodate the flow downstream of Polley Lake that is associated with the one in 5 years runoff event that is relevant to the September to January timeframe. The retention period of the sedimentation traps will be contingent on working conditions and available space.

## **2.5 Best Management Practices**

### ***General***

This section describes BMP's that will be implemented along the Hazeltine Creek channel to control potential erosion and sediment transport. The breach resulted in deposition and exposure of tailings, native soils and TSF embankment fill along the Hazeltine Creek channel to Quesnel Lake. These materials and erodible soils can be mobilized by rainfall and runoff events, resulting in additional sediment loading to Hazeltine Creek and Quesnel Lake.

Efforts will be made to minimize additional ground and vegetation disturbance. Any vegetation that must be moved to provide access can be set aside and keyed-in to adjacent disturbed ground to help stabilize this ground. In areas where trees are removed but no earthwork is required, efforts will be made to leave as much of the roots in place to help maintain the soil stability.

Isolation/ interception and management of runoff are the keys to erosion and sediment control. These limit the potential for soils to be eroded, and for suspended sediments to be transported by surface or groundwater. General principles of erosion and sediment control include:

- schedule work to minimize risk (if possible, work during dry periods)
- retain existing vegetation where possible
- re-vegetate or protect bare soils
- divert runoff away from bare soils
- minimize slope lengths, grades and areas
- minimize runoff velocities
- retain eroded sediments (traps, fences, clean-outs)
- inspect and maintain control features

### ***Bank Slope Stability***

The TSF beach resulting in creek bank erosion that has exposed steep, potentially unstable slopes. These exposed slopes will be assessed and stabilized using one or more of the following techniques:

- constructing toe berms or placing supporting objects such as straw bales to stabilize the slopes
- reducing slope angles in a controlled manner using cut and fill techniques
- installation of surface protection (mulches, erosion control blankets),



- installation of other erosion control measures such as vegetation, rainfall capture systems, and rip-rap

The duration of exposure, the grade of the bank slope, and the nature of the exposed surface soils that may be susceptible to instability and/or erosion are important factors that will be assessed in support of selecting a mitigation.

All temporary supports and erosion controls will be subject to regular monitoring and maintenance until such time that more permanent creek rehabilitation is completed.

### ***Surface Erosion Protection***

Exposed mineral soils and mine-affected materials present a potential source of sediment transport. Techniques for protecting these exposed materials include absorption of raindrop impact, reduction of runoff velocity, increase in infiltration and increase in soil particle binding. BMP's that will be implemented to reduce the potential for surface erosion may include, but are not necessarily limited to, the following:

- straw/ wood fibre mulch
- netting and seeding
- broadcast seeding
- erosion control blankets and matting
- plastic sheeting or tarps

Any exposed soils from excavation shall be stabilized to prevent erosion and sediment transport. Stock piled material must be covered with tarps or plastic sheeting until used as backfill, redistributed around the area (and re-vegetated) or transported off-site. Other exposed surfaces can be temporarily covered with tarps until seeded or covered with mulch. The site need to be periodically monitored, especially after storm events, to ensure that surface protection measures are working properly.

### ***Flow Interception***

Where possible and practical to do so, surface runoff will be intercepted and directed away from areas susceptible to erosion, thereby reducing potential surface erosion and limiting the need for further treatment. Alternatively, runoff containing high concentrations of suspended solids can be intercepted and directed to a treatment site. There are several choices available for interception designs dependent on the severity of erosion, amount of suspended sediment, sensitivity of receiving environment and workspace.

Techniques for surface interception can include both temporary and permanent devices such as interceptor/ infiltration ditches, diversion berms, benching, and select material blankets that act as French drains. Sediment trapping systems can also be created to allow for suspended sediments to settle out prior discharging to infiltration areas. Temporary detention techniques include filter-fabric barriers, straw bale barriers, sand bags, silt fences, gravel berms, check dams and drop inlet sediment barriers. A combination of these techniques will be applicable to this site. Silt fences and straw bales are likely to be the most practical options for reducing sediment transport into Hazeltine Creek. Appendix A illustrates the locations where these measure are currently planned. Monitoring and maintenance will be maintained throughout the period of creek rehabilitation to ensure their appropriate function



### **3.0 ACCESS DEVELOPMENT**

#### **3.1 Safe Work Procedures**

Implementation of this Plan requires personnel to access the Hazeltine Creek channel downstream of the sediment plug at the outlet of Polley Lake. This plug was formed as a result of the TSF breach, is approximately 500 m long, and consists of deposited tailings sand, TSF embankment fill, eroded overburden and vegetation (Figure 1). The following potential hazards to individuals working downstream of this plug have been identified:

- a sudden release of tailings water and/or fluidized tailings
- a sudden release of water from Polley Lake

A rock berm as described in MPMC's submission of August 13<sup>th</sup> is being constructed to mitigate the risk associated with the sudden release of tailings water and/or fluidized tailings. The water level in Polley Lake is being drawn down with pumps and being discharged downstream of the sediment plug to mitigate the risk associated with the sudden release of water from Polley Lake.

**Figure 1: Plug Located Downstream of Polley Lake**



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Safe work procedures to allow personnel to access Hazeltine Creek downstream of the sediment plug will include the following (see Figure 2):

- stopping inflows from the dam breach and long ditch from reporting to the sediment plug
- monitoring potential seepage through the sediment plug (an increase of seepage through the plug could be indicative of a weakening plug), which will include)
  - regular inspections by a qualified person (minimum 3 times per day when personnel are within the creek channel)
  - a weir to monitor outflow from the sediment plug and to measure potential increase in seepage
  - monitoring of the plug outlet by a spotter is currently required when personnel are in the creek channel.
- Check-in and Check-out procedures
- inspection and communication protocols
- hazard assessment of each entry into the downstream creek bed to determine entry and exit points and evacuation limits
- identification of "no entry zones" where personnel cannot egress in a timely manner
- no entry during period of heavy rainfall and runoff



**Figure 2: Hazard Mitigations Downstream of Polley Lake**

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### 3.2 Access Construction

Three key access points have been identified:

- 1) Horsefly-Likely FSR (Ditch Road)
- 2) Hazeltine Discharge Location Road Access
- 3) Downstream of the breach outside of the investigation area

Access to the area of the mouth of Hazeltine Creek will be gained from near Likely, BC via the Horsefly-Likely Forest Service Road (FSR). Access from the FSR to Hazeltine Creek will be constructed to support conventional earthworks equipment that is capable of working on soft ground. Some coarse woody debris will need to be moved to facilitate access construction. The preferred access alignment will be finalized in the field to minimize disturbance, while taking advantage of firm ground where it exists. Access will be constructed to the standard required to maintain stability and safety for trafficking heavy equipment.

Access to the area where the water line from Polley Lake discharges into Hazeltine Creek will be established immediately upstream of the discharge pipe. This access requires only widening



of the existing access and construction of an access ramp to the channel. This access would also be construction to a standard suitable for supporting conventional earthworks equipment.

Access to the area immediately downstream of the breach is already available using the rock berm constructed in response to the breach.

#### **4.0 SCHEDULE**

At this point scheduling is dependant on the safety review of the Hazeltine Plug, the success of the pump down program and the condition on the ground when safe access is established. MPMC will keep regulatory agencies apprised of schedules and ongoing progress as updates become available.

#### **5.0 CLOSURE**

This plan presents conceptual ideas in order to archives the objectives of reducing the potential on uncontrolled releases into Quesnel Lake. It is highly likely that these plans will be modified as addition information is collected and the interim plans are field fit based on ground conditions. If there are significant modifications to the approach presented here the Ministry of Environment and the Ministry of Energy and Mines will be informed of the modifications.





## APPENDIX A

Conceptual Works 11x 17 figures



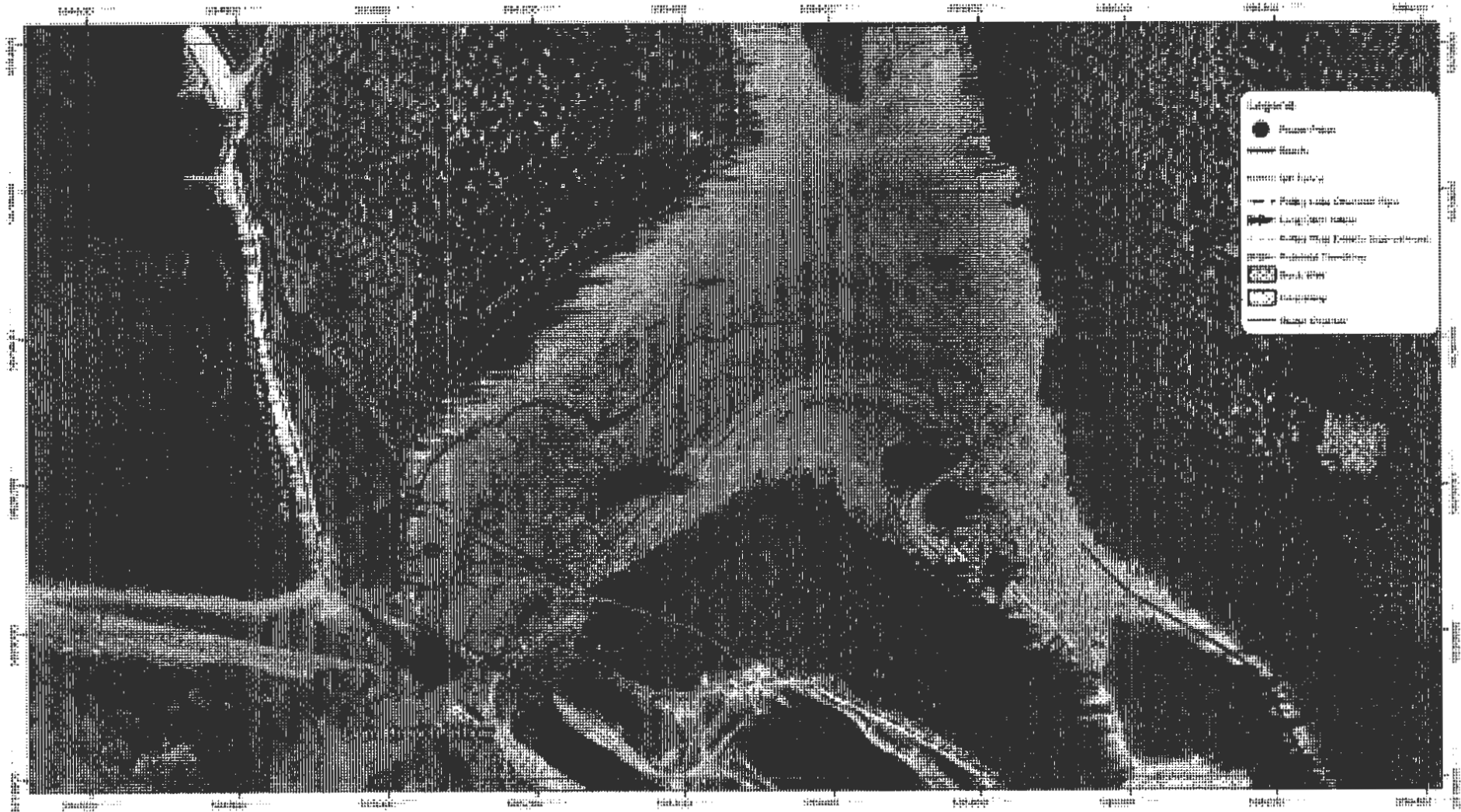
# Mount Polley Tailings Breach

Map # 1

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Coordinate System: NAD83 CSRS UTM Zone 10N  
Projection: Transverse Mercator  
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Hi all,

As follow up from yesterday's 3pm call:

1. Water quality data will be appended to this week's weekly report.
2. The bulk sediment sample taken at the mouth of Hazeltine Creek was taken to a depth of 5cm with the goal of characterizing the more mobile sediment fractions that are more likely to flow beyond the depositional area of the Hazeltine Creek mouth.
3. With regards to monitoring potential impacts of starting up a second discharge line pumping from Polley Lake into Hazeltine Creek, the proposed monitoring plan is to:
  - a. Prior to discharge:
    - i. Take in situ parameters (including turbidity and specific conductance) at HAC-01 (Hazeltine Creek before the single channel disperses into multiple channels in the fan area).
    - ii. Take in situ parameters at near field Quesnel Lake sites (just out of the log booms) QUL-23 (very shallow – surface only) and QUL-66 (surface and at depth).
    - iii. Note: these sites are being sampled daily (HAC-01, QUL-23) or every second day (QUL-66) prior to starting up the second discharge.
  - b. Post-discharge (short-term):
    - i. Approximately 1 hour after discharge begins, check for visual evidence of increased flow at HAC-01 (i.e. that the water has reached the creek mouth). Continue to check back on hour intervals until discharge water observed.
    - ii. When discharge has reached the creek, take field parameters at HAC-01, QUL-23, and QUL-66 and note visual observations of the increased plume or effects of the discharge.
    - iii. At the end of the sampling day, note visual observations of an increased plume, and take field parameters and full suite samples at HAC-01, QUL-23, QUL-66 (surface and depth).
  - c. Post-discharge (long-term):
    - i. Continue daily monitoring (in situ parameters/full suite samples) at HAC-01, QUL-23 (surface).
    - ii. Monitor QUL-66 (surface and depth, including in situ parameter profile) the following day, and reduce to every second day if results are stable.

Some slight adjustments may have to be made day of depending on access. A key discussion point will be what is an acceptable level of change with respect to turbidity and the plume. We can expect the turbidity to decrease somewhat over time as the creek erodes the thin layer of mobile material down to gravel, like we see in many areas of the creek now. Obviously, a lot of this material will be mobilized on rainy days over the next week or so regardless of our second discharge, and lowering the level of Polley Lake is an important priority to balance with potential environmental impacts. Chris – does you or part of your team wish to be involved in this program still? This can be discussed with Colleen at the 3pm meeting today.

Best regards,

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As you noted on the call today I believe your Order already allows for the proposed bridge installation (2<sup>nd</sup> attachment) but thought you should see what MPMC is proposing regardless

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Hello Hubert and Cassandra,

Find attached two memorandums. The first attachment provides some additional details around the option and alternatives associated with:

- Water management around Hazeltine creek
- The turbidity plume in Quesnel lake
- Fisheries assessments and considerations as well as
- Rehabilitation timings.

The second attachment provides some details around the methodologies to build the temporary accesses for initiation of the mitigation works.

Should you have any questions I am available on my mobile phone or contact Don Parsons or Luke Moger at the Mine Site.

Regards,

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## 1. Introduction

Mount Polley Mining Corporation (MPMC) has submitted a Conceptual Interim Erosion and Sediment Control Plan for mitigating ongoing erosion and sediment transport within impacted areas downstream of the breach. Specific objectives of the Plan include the following:

- reduce the suspended sediment loading of water flowing into Quesnel Lake
- reduce the potential for re-mobilization of tailings and sediments that were deposited or exposed by the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF) breach
- control ongoing flows from the TSF and re-direct these flows to the Springer Pit
- ensure safety of all workers conducting the mitigation works

The Plan identifies three high priority locations for implementation of in-stream controls to mitigate ongoing potential for erosion and/or sediment migration, as follows:

- within and down-gradient of the TSF
- the area from Polley lake downstream to the Gavin Lake Road crossing
- the channel section immediately up-stream of the mouth of Hazeltine Creek prior to draining into Quesnel Lake

Based on discussions with the Ministry of Environment (MOE), MPMC has been requested to consider and assess options for addressing the following additional issues that are related to this Plan:

- water management options for Hazeltine Creek and the advantages and disadvantages associated with directing water either into (or away) from the Creek while the impact assessment and creek rehabilitation program is occurring
- accommodating returning spawning fish that are destined to Hazeltine and Edney Creeks
- the preferred season and timing for rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek
- characterizing and assessing potential risk associated with the deep turbidity plume that is currently being observed in Quesnel Lake; including options for mitigating potential impacts to residential drinking water intakes

This memorandum frames the initial evaluation of these issues and is prepared to support discussion with regulatory representatives, Aboriginal Groups and stakeholders with the goal of selecting a preferred approach for implementation moving forward.





## 2. Hazeltine Creek Water Management Options

Water was impounded in Polley Lake by a sediment plug that deposited across the lake's outlet during the TSF breach. To stabilize the plug, water is currently being pumped from Polley Lake into Hazeltine Creek. The goal of the diversion is to reduce water levels in Polley Lake to pre-incident levels. The water is currently extracted from Polley Lake and discharged just below the point where the TSF breach flowed into the creek channel. The current pumping rate is approximately 0.6 m<sup>3</sup>/sec, which is higher than the mean annual discharge (MAD) flow of Hazeltine Creek (Minnow, 2014). To reduce the risk of high flows during the 2015 freshet it is necessary to draw the level of Polley Lake down to or below its pre-incident level. Considerations for water management include the following:

- maintaining the current water management strategy, making adjustments as required to support rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek
- constructing a permanent or temporary outlet to Polley Lake and allowing water to flow out of this outlet to match the inflow into Polley Lake
- pumping water out of Polley Lake into an adjacent watershed to minimize flow in Hazeltine Creek
- pumping water directly from Polley Lake to Quesnel Lake to minimize flow into Hazeltine Creek

The current water management strategy has successfully reduced the water level in Polley Lake by over 0.3 m, and continues to reduce the water level at a rate of approximately 0.2 m per week. As a result, the risk associated with plug overtopping, plug failure and run-off surge in Hazeltine Creek continues to be reduced. The diversion of water into Hazeltine Creek also causes re-suspension of sediments deposited by the TSF breach, which increases suspended sediment loading into Quesnel Lake from Hazeltine Creek.

A temporary or permanent outlet from Polley Lake can be reconstructed to maintain pre-incident lake levels. Preferably, the outlet be situated near its original location and would be designed to maintain pre-incident flows conditions and to control flow rates during periods of high run-off. This option would naturalize flows to be coupled with incoming precipitation and snow melt, and eliminates the need to pump water and the related issues with the intake and outlet. The naturalization of flow would likely increase the number of larger discharge events, and the associated remobilization of sediment.

Diverting water from Polley Lake into an adjacent watershed will minimize the flows in Hazeltine Creek, which would:

- decrease the potential for erosion/remobilization of sediment
- ease the collection of data for the impact assessment and rehabilitation design
- improve access to the creek channel for rehabilitation activities
- decrease sediment transport into Quesnel Lake



This option would also alter flows, water chemistry and potentially the ecological function of the receiving water body. While the level of flow and impacts to chemistry are quantifiable, the potential ecological impacts associated with watershed transfer are more difficult to predict.

Diverting water directly from Polley Lake into Quesnel Lake will also minimize the flows in Hazeltine Creek and achieve the benefits listed above. This option would not alter flows and water chemistry in the receiving watershed because this water naturally flows from Polley Lake through Hazeltine Creek into Quesnel Lake. This option does involve much greater engineering challenge, would require significant time to implement, and would result in more significant land disturbance, particularly if the pipeline were to take a more direct, overland route to Quesnel Lake.

Table 1 provides a summary of the advantages and disadvantages of each of these options. The preferred strategy is to maintain the current water management program until such time that a more permanent outlet can be constructed out of Polley Lake. This requires the in-stream sediment controls being implemented as part of the Conceptual Interim Erosion and Sediment Control Plan to be proven effective. If these in-stream controls are not effective, then MPMC should consider diverting water directly from Polley Lake to Quesnel Lake to decrease the sediment loading to Quesnel Lake and provide better access into the creek channel for assessment and rehabilitation.

The natural flow will be returned to Hazeltine Creek following its assessment and rehabilitation.



Table 1: Water Management in Hazeltine Creek

Option	Advantage	Disadvantage	Mitigation
Pump water from Polley Lake to Hazeltine Creek	Maintains impacted water in the current watershed	Re-mobilizes sediments associated with TSF breach	Construct settlement basins upstream of Quesnel Lake.
	Water management measure is already in place	Requires active pumping, potentially during at least the first part of winter	Turn off pumping during sensitive in-stream work
	Flow in Hazeltine Creek can be controlled	Increases sediment loading to Quesnel Lake	Control pumping rate to reduce sediment loading in creek
	Water level in Polley Lake can be controlled	Base flow in Hazeltine Creek during creek rehabilitation work	Maintain pumping rate to mirror stream flow
Construct temporary outlet from Polley Lake to Hazeltine Creek	Allows natural flow to occur	Risk of high flow event prior to or during creek rehabilitation	Construct settlement basins upstream of Quesnel Lake.
	Active pumping, intake and discharge avoided	Risk of sedimentation loading associated with outlet	Construct a weir to control flows during high runoff events
		Potential for fish passage into Hazeltine Creek during the rehabilitation work	Construct fish barrier
Pump water from Polley Lake into a different watershed	Minimizes flow in Hazeltine Creek.	Water quality and quantity impacts to receiving watershed	Monitor water prior to pumping
	Allows rehabilitation work to proceed with minimal flow	Large scale pumping and active monitoring of discharge	Monitor receiving watershed
	Minimizes sediment loading to Quesnel Lake	Ecological impacts associated with transfer difficult to predict	
Pump water from Polley Lake into Quesnel Lake	Minimizes flow in Hazeltine Creek.	Larger volumes of water need to be pumped during freshet	Size pumps for freshet flows
	Minimizes sediment loading to Quesnel Lake	Large scale pumping and active monitoring of discharge	
	Allows rehabilitation work to proceed with minimal flow	Significant engineering challenge and potential for surface disturbance	



### 3. Accommodating Spawning Salmon

In its current state, Hazeltine Creek does not provide adequate spawning habitat for returning (spawning) salmon to complete their reproductive process; however, there is a high probability that salmon species will be returning to both Hazeltine and Edney creeks. Review of available information suggests that the returning numbers for coho salmon may be low (n=4 Hazeltine Creek; n=12 Edney Creek; Holmes et al. 2008). Accordingly, the importance of each watercourse in supporting a self-sustaining population of coho salmon, and the significance of this year's reproductive event, is unknown. There is also insufficient information at this time to understand the ecological importance of Hazeltine and Edney creeks to sockeye salmon spawning and rearing.

The following options are being considered for accommodating spawning salmon destined for Hazeltine and/or Edney creeks:

- establish or leave existing upstream migratory obstruction(s) to Hazeltine and Edney creeks as-is and rely on natural recruitment once Hazeltine Creek has been rehabilitated
- provide (i.e., physically create) upstream migration access to Edney Creek; which would be open to all returning spawning fish
- capture spawning fish congregating at the Hazeltine Creek/Quesnel Lake confluence and physically transfer those fish upstream into Edney Creek
- build a temporary hatchery facility in the vicinity of Hazeltine & Edney creeks that can provide egg incubation and juvenile rearing capacity for key spawning species (e.g., coho, sockeye) returning to these two watercourses

Maintaining the current obstruction to fish access to Hazeltine Creek (or manufacturing an obstruction) may result in returning fish seeking alternative spawning locations. It may also result in these fish failing to spawn. In either event, the spawning year will be lost in the two creeks and re-population would be contingent on seeding the creeks in the future or natural recruitment.

Constructing an access route to Edney Creek would potentially provide passive upstream migration opportunity for returning adults to spawn as they otherwise would. Assuming Edney Creek flows would still merge with Hazeltine Creek prior to entering Quesnel Lake, the flows leaving Edney Creek should be higher (than those in Hazeltine) to ensure greater chance of attracting returning fish into Edney Creek. This option does not distinguish between fish returning to Hazeltine Creek, which would be blocked, and those returning to Edney Creek. Given the available information, the numbers of returning spawning salmon (i.e. coho) are expected to be low; hence, the potential consequences of 'mixing' stocks are considered to be low.

Capturing returning spawning fish at the Hazeltine Creek/Quesnel Lake confluence and transferring those individuals upstream into Edney Creek maintains the spawning run in Edney Creek while minimizing the risk of stranding fish in Hazeltine Creek. Again, this option would not distinguish between fish returning to Hazeltine Creek, which would be blocked, and those



returning to Edney Creek. This option employs a different mechanism for directing spawning fish into Edney Creek.

Capturing a select number of spawning male and female salmon at the Hazeltine Cr/Quesnel Lake confluence and manually spawning the individuals in a hatchery environment would allow maintenance of the Hazeltine and Edney Creek runs. The goal would be to raise fish to the appropriate life stage and release back to Hazeltine/Edney creeks or Quesnel Lake, when appropriate. This option could allow for conservation of the local broodstock(s) while rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek is implemented. MPMC could potentially develop its own temporary hatchery in the vicinity of Hazeltine/Edney creeks (on the ground or on a barge in Quesnel Lake), or investigate options for utilizing space at an existing hatchery.

Table 2 provides a summary of the advantages and disadvantages of these options. The preferred option would appear to be to collect returning spawning fish, incubate the eggs and return the fry to the creeks once rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek has been completed.



Table 2: Options under Consideration for Accommodating Spawning Salmon

Option	Advantage	Disadvantage	Mitigation
<b>No Passage and rely on Natural Recruitment post-rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek</b>	Numbers of spawning salmon historically utilizing Hazeltine and Edney Creek are reported to be low and may not be self-sustaining.	May take years to naturally recruit sufficient numbers of fish to become self sustaining.	Natural recruitment only post-Hazeltine Creek rehabilitation.
		2014 spawning runs in Edney and Hazeltine Creek are lost.	Artificially re-populate Hazeltine and Edney Creeks once rehabilitation is completed.
<b>Construct migration corridor or capturing and transferring fish to Edney Creek.</b>	Access to potential spawning habitat in Edney Creek.	Unknown whether spawning fish will successfully reproduce in Edney Creek.	Conduct a field reconnaissance to rapidly characterize available spawning habitat quality (and conditions) in Edney Creek.
	Transferring fish upstream may be most effective given potential low numbers of spawning fish expected.	Construction of access to be costly for potentially low numbers of spawning fish.	Design effective method for capturing and releasing spawning fish.
	Passive access allows fish to move as they come in under preferred conditions.	Designing and constructing an effective access channel is time constrained given upcoming spawning of key species (sockeye, coho).	Construct fish blockage to prevent re-access to Hazeltine Creek once the fish have arrived or been transferred to Edney Creek.
	'Mixing' of Hazeltine and Edney stocks is expected to have low effect.	Unable to decipher whether returning fish are from Hazeltine or Edney Creeks. Uncertain whether 'mixing' of Hazeltine and Edney stocks will be detrimental.	
<b>Temporary Hatchery Facility to conserve key salmon broodstock.</b>	Preserve important broodstock for a spawning species listed under federal SARA (Interior Coho Salmon populations).	Set-up of a temporary hatching and rearing facility is time-constrained.	Investigate opportunities for obtaining space in existing hatcheries.
	Edney and Hazeltine Creek individuals are likely inter-dependent, thus combining fish is acceptable.	Uncertain at this time whether coho salmon in Hazeltine and Edney Creek are self sustaining populations and reproductively isolated/different from one another; uncertain on importance of watercourses to sockeye salmon productivity.	Expedite design of temporary hatching and rearing facilities.
		Unable to decipher whether returning fish are from Hazeltine or Edney Creek. These returning fish will be mixed.	



#### 4. Timing of Hazeltine Creek Rehabilitation

The preferred timing of the rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek is fundamental to planning and implementing the Comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment and Action Plan (SLI, 2014). Work in stream channels is typically implemented during summer fish windows that coincide with periods of low discharge and lowest ecological consequence. It may be more beneficial to rehabilitate Hazeltine Creek outside of this window given the high level of impact to Hazeltine Creek and its associated riparian zone that occurred as a result of the TSF breach. Accelerating rehabilitation of the creek and riparian habitat should be given consideration in this light. The following timing options are considered reasonable:

- December, 2014 to March, 2015
- July to October, 2015
- December, 2015 to March, 2016

MPMC should initiate discussions with Ministry of Forests Lands and Natural Resources Operations and Fisheries and Oceans Canada to identify the best options for in-stream work to return the impacted streams to provide productive capacity to the relevant fish populations.

Implementation of the earliest rehabilitation program would expedite the rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek and would allow the reclamation of the riparian habitat to commence before the growing season of 2015. The rapid implementation would likely require work to occur in parallel with impact assessment activities, and with a coordinated and incremental design, approval and implementation process. It is possible that specific decisions would need to be made without the benefit of all of the results of the comprehensive EIA process. Implementation would also be challenged and benefit from certain aspects of winter construction (e.g. low flow, freezing conditions, short days).

Execution of the creek rehabilitation in the summer of 2015 would allow the design of the rehabilitation to fully benefit from the results of the CEIA and associated regulatory review, as well as summer construction. Implementation could be challenged by high rainfall and related runoff, should these events occur. The reclamation of riparian vegetation would be delayed one full growing season. Rehabilitation of fish habitat would be delayed approximately 6 months, which could negatively impact 2015 salmon spawning success.

Execution of the creek rehabilitation from December, 2015 to March 2016 would also allow the design of the rehabilitation to fully benefit from the results of the CEIA and associated regulatory review. It would also be challenged and benefit from winter implementation. Reclamation of riparian habitat would be delayed until 2016 and mitigation strategies would need to be implemented to address the fall, 2015 salmon run.

Review of the advantages and disadvantages of these options is provided in Table 3. It is SLI's preliminary opinion that implementation of the rehabilitation work from December, 2014 through



March, 2015 is ultimately preferable. This will involve initiating rehabilitation work as soon as is practical, understanding that the time to complete this work cannot be predicted at this time.

The advantages of earlier start to riparian habitat reclamation and creek rehabilitation to support a fishery outweigh the disadvantages associated with completing the assessment and rehabilitation design activities in parallel. The design and construction of the channel will be completed in stages, reconstructing the lower channel that connects Quesnel Lake to Edney Creek first due to the importance of returning access of salmon to the system. Subsequently, upstream sections will be designed and constructed. Parallel construction programs can also be implemented to expedite execution.

Table 3: Timing of rehabilitation of Hazeltine Creek			
Option	Advantage	Disadvantage	Mitigation
December, 2014 to March, 2015	2015 Growing season for riparian vegetation and habitat.	Not all results of CEIA will be available for review and integration into design.	Coordinated and incremental design, approval and implementation process.
	Low flow and frozen ground for vehicle support.	Winter construction involves short days and sometimes challenging conditions.	Separate, parallel construction activities to expedite completion.
	More rapid execution and completion.	Execution, design and regulatory feedback must occur in parallel.	
	Hazeltine Creek is rehabilitated for the 2015 freshet.		
July to October, 2015	Design of rehabilitation to fully benefit from the results of the CEIA and regulatory feedback.	Potential for high rainfall and associated discharge event in Hazeltine Creek.	Active controls placed on flows from Hazeltine Creek.
	Summer construction with long days and lower risk of challenging conditions.	Riparian vegetation recovery delayed until 2016.	2014 fish conservation strategies can be continued in 2015.
		Negative impact to 2015 salmon spawning success.	
December, 2015 to March, 2016	Design of rehabilitation to fully benefit from the results of the CEIA and regulatory feedback.	Hazeltine Creek remains in management mode for a full year.	Conceptual Interim Erosion and Sediment Control Plan continued through 2015.
	Low flow and frozen ground for vehicle support.	Winter construction involves short days and sometimes challenging conditions.	2014 fish conservation strategies can be continued in 2015.





## 5. Turbidity Assessment

A turbidity plume has been observed at depth in Quesnel Lake. The source of this turbidity plume is likely attributable to one or more of the following:

- suspended tailings that originate from the tailings pond upstream of the TSF breach
- suspended sediments that are remobilized in Hazeltine Creek as a result of the water transfer from Polley Lake
- residual turbidity associated with the disturbance of sediments in Quesnel Lake that occurred during the TSF breach
- turbidity associated with lake currents and over-steepening of the Hazeltine Creek Delta from rapid deposition of the tailings and eroded soils on the delta front

The composition of the suspended sediment has yet to be determined. Further characterization will be completed to better understand the nature and extent of the sediment plume, and the potential risks to ecological receptors and water users. The Current Monitoring Program will be continued and adjusted as required to better understand the dynamics, location and extent of the plume. High volume samples will be collected for characterization of the suspended and dissolved loads within the plume. The results of these analyses will be compared to knowledge of the composition of the tailings, soils and natural sediments of Quesnel Lake to determine the likely origin of the sediment that is associated with the elevated turbidity. This will assist in understanding the source of the turbidity as well as evaluating the potential risks associated with this plume. Sedimentation tests will also be completed to determine whether this turbidity presents a longer term risk to lake water quality, or whether it is expected to decrease as a result of the deposition of solids. Toxicity testing will also be completed using larger volume water samples collected in zones of elevated turbidity.

Detailed bathymetric surveys, monitoring and modeling of the sediment plume is being initiated to better understand the fate and transport mechanisms of the sediment, including potential behavior of the sediment plume in the fall when the lake thermo-cline typically reverses. This program will be described in the work plans to be submitted on August 29<sup>th</sup> and will further inform our assessment of potential for impacts to lake water users and ecological systems.

The following options will be analyzed for mitigating potential impacts associated with this plume, once there is greater knowledge regarding its composition and anticipated behaviour and migration pattern:

- filtration systems for water users on Quesnel Lake and River
- erosion controls in Hazeltine Creek
- decrease discharge into Hazeltine Creek to decrease erosive potential
- plume mitigation and treatment alternatives



Filtration systems can be provided to water users on Quesnel Lake if the turbidity plume persists and is viewed to present a health risk.

The Conceptual Interim Erosion and Sediment Control Plan will be implemented to reduce sediment loading to Quesnel Lake. Monitoring of the effectiveness of this Plan will be implemented to determine whether additional controls are required to reduce sediment loading to the lake. If required, pumping of water into Hazeltine Creek can be decreased to further reduce the erosive potential of the Creek and therefore the concentration and mass of suspended sediment loading to Quesnel Lake.

The feasibility and anticipated effectiveness of collecting and treating water in the plume can be evaluated as an extension of the plume mapping and modeling program. The practicality of this option will be challenged by the location and distribution of the turbidity plume. This type of mitigation should be considered only if the turbidity plume is demonstrated to present a significant risk to lake water users or the lake environment.

#### References:

Holmes J and R Holmes. 2008. The 2007 Adult Coho Assessment of Tributaries of Quesnel Lake WSC 160 Waterbody ID 00431QUES. Prepared for Tolko Industries Ltd., January 23, 2008. 11pp. + appendices.



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Attention: Hubert Bunce., Director Environmental Management Act

Re: Conceptual Gavin Lake/Horsefly Forest Service Road temporary access plan for initiation of interim mitigation works.

In order to establish temporary access across the Gavin Lake Road and the Horsefly, Mount Polley Mining Corporation (MPMC) proposes the following works and construction sequence. The access is to support the sediment and erosion control measures described in the Conceptual Interim Sediment and Erosion Control Plan (August 21, 2014).

The temporary crossing will be in place until a suitable permanent resource bridge can be constructed. This bridge will be designed by a qualified bridge engineer. It is the intention to retain a bridge engineer to initiate the survey and design for installation suitable permanent structure. The design would start late August early September in order to re-establish permanent access as soon as conditions allow in spring of 2015

As a temporary measure we propose to use (2) 1200 mm culverts placed somewhat elevated over the existing stream channel. The 1200 mm culverts would be perched to allow some settling in behind the coarse rock base. The outlets of the culverts would not exceed 500 mm above the outlet water elevation. This would allow adult fish migration should mitigation and restoration activities proceed to the point to re-establish fish use.

The culvert capacity would be assessed by a qualified water resource engineer to ensure they would accommodate the potential freshet flows for fall and spring.

**Construction sequencing and details**

- 1) Establish a rock ramp access down to the edge of the flowing water in the Hazeltine channel.
- 2) Place a 500mm base of 25 mm to 300 mm well graded coarse rock (with fines removed) across the base of the channel dewatered channel
- 3) Place a bed 25 mm minus material around the culvert locations to secure and embed the culverts
- 4) Anchor the culvert with some 10 to 30 kg size class rip-rip
- 5) Place rip-rap on the face of the base material to reduce erosion potential.
- 6) Re-establish flows through the two installed and anchored culverts
- 7) Place a well graded coarse rock material to the needed elevation

- 8) Decommission once the permanent access is completed
  - a. Removal of erodible material and settled fines behind the rock coffer dam
  - b. Reestablish stream channel through the temporary and permanent crossing locations

This letter provides additional details to support the upcoming reclamation and mitigation works and advises the regulatory and First Nations Representatives on plans and approaches.

Sincerely,

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Attention: Hubert Bunce., Director Environmental Management Act

Re: Preliminary Response to Pollution Abatement Order File: 107461

In the early morning of August 4th, 2014 the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF) was breached at Mount Polley Mine, releasing an undetermined amount of water and tailings. The cause of the breach remains unknown at this time. On August 5th, 2014 the Ministry of Environment issues a Pollution Abatement Order on the grounds that pollution is being caused by the discharge from the TSF. The Pollution Abatement Order outlined a series of orders pursuant to section 83 of the Environmental Management Act (EMA). This memorandum is intended to provide the initial deliverables due August 6th, 2014 outlined in the memo and listed below:

- A) *Immediately retain a suitably qualified professional to initiate a preliminary Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and provide the name of the qualified professional to the Director for approval by August 6, 2014.*
- B) *Based on the preliminary EIA, develop and submit to the Director by August 6, 2014 for approval, an Action Plan detailing measures relative to the preliminary EIA to be taken to:*
  - a. *Characterize the materials that were released into the receiving environment (including their expected behaviour in the receiving environment, settling rates, etc.);*
  - b. *Recover or otherwise manage mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment;*
  - c. *Mitigate residual risks to the environment;*
  - d. *Assess and monitor the impacts and risks posed by the mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment, as well as from the recovery and management efforts themselves; and*
  - e. *Report on the implementation of Action Plan measures on a weekly basis to regulatory agencies and stakeholders.*



The remaining portion of the memorandum presents the point by point actions to the order as well as the preliminary Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and monitoring programs.

### **Qualified Professionals**

Mount Polley Mining Corporation has assembled the following team of qualified persons with more than 60 years' experience in Environmental Impact Assessments:

- Jack Love B.Sc., R.P.Bio Imperial Metals (resume attached to memo)
- Pierre Stecko, M.Sc., EP, R.P.Bio Minnow Environnemental Inc. (resume attached to memo)
- Norm Zirnheit, Environmental Quality Inc. (resume forth coming)

Mount Polley is also in discussions with additional Qualified Professional to support the EIA and will provide additional qualifications, roles and responsibilities as the team develops.

### **Characterize the materials**

Following the memo are a series of tables that characterize the tailings supernatant and the tailings sands that migrated through the breach. Mount Polley mining will work toward fully characterizing the materials including fate and effects in the receiving environment.

### **Recover or otherwise manage mine-affected materials and sediments**

The Recovery and management of the materials is currently unsafe due to the potential instabilities associated with the tailings dam, the exposed tailings, and the plug of debris and tails in Polley Lake. This information and safety concerns were provided to MoE on a conference call on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

### **Mitigation Plan**

The flowing plan was presented to make the area safe for access to initiate monitoring of the impacts and initiate additional mitigation and restoration activities (see Figure 1: Preliminary Mitigation and Stabilization Plan)

The plan includes two key aspects:

- 1) Stabilization of the breach area exposed tailings to additional slumping and migration. This includes construction of an upstream tailings dyke to hold back the tails and filter any effluent discharging from the TMF. Photo 1 below shows the breach of the dam and the proposed dyke would be in the foreground.
- 2) A clean water diversion (Yellow Line in Figure 1) to reduce the water impounded in Polley Lake (see photo 2). There is a safety and environmental risk should the water pressures behind this material not be reduced and an uncontrolled release occur.

**Figure 1: Preliminary Mitigation and Stabilization Plan**



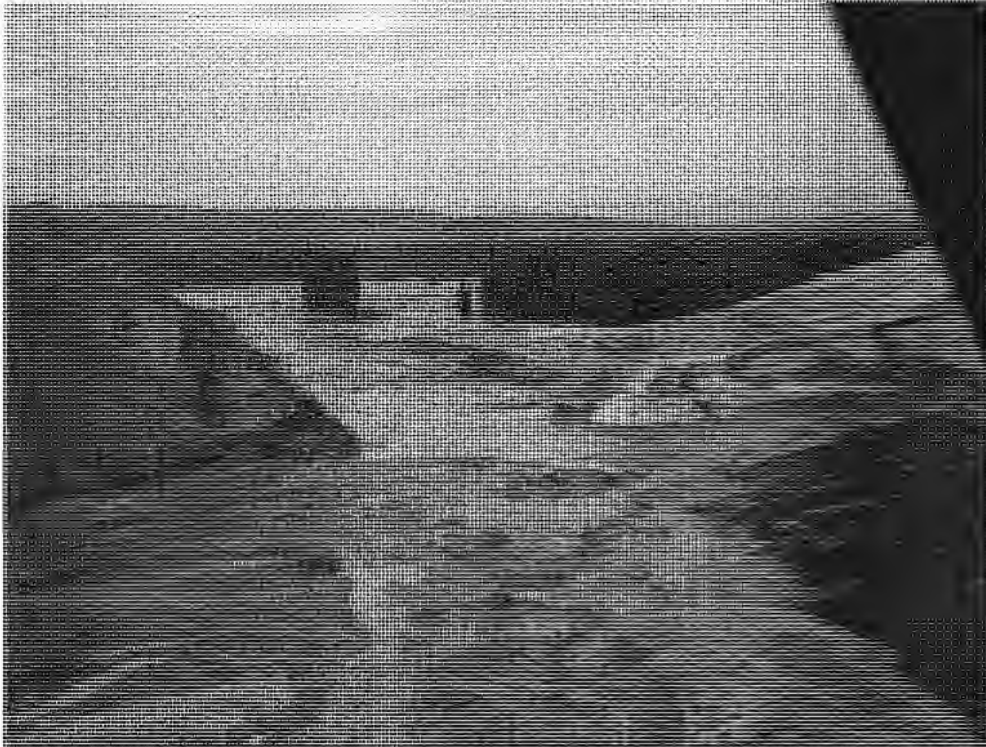


Photo 1: Dam breach looking downstream

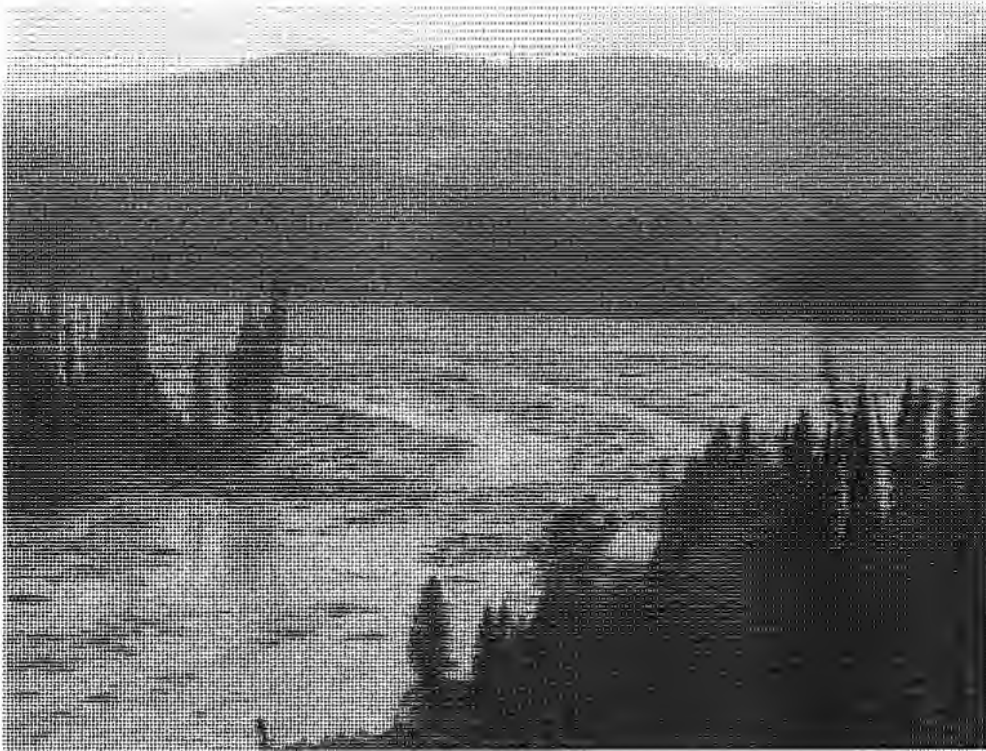


Photo 2: Tails plug impounding Polley Lake

## **Assess and monitor the impacts**

A preliminary Aquatic Environmental Impact Assessment Monitoring Program is included in this memo for review. We have also prepared table of contents (TOC) for further defining the higher level concepts for the EIA. Implementation of the initial EIA commenced on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014. The EIA and monitoring approaches are presented in draft format for further refinement as information is gathered

### **TOC for the Preliminary EIA**

- 1) Introduction
- 2) Monitoring Approach
  - a. Weight of Evidence Approach
  - b. Before After Control Impact (BACI) design
  - c. Consultation with scientists experienced with research that has been conducted on Quesnel Lake
  - d. Short term & long term monitoring consideration
  - e. Stratification of the various eco-types downstream of the mine
- 3) Initial Results & Revision of Program
- 4) Study Design
  - a. Develop detailed study designs to ensure adequate sampling intensities and consistent methodologies
- 5) Statistical analysis
- 6) Action Plan:
  - Characterization of released materials and refinement of predicted impacts
  - Recovery & management of mine-affected materials in the receiving environment
  - Identification of risks to the Receiving Environment
  - Mitigation of residual risks
  - Monitoring Program
  - Prospects for restoration of affected aquatic ecosystems e.g., Hazeltine Cr.
  - Reporting to regulatory agencies & stakeholders will be weekly via a one page summary of major activities undertaken by Mt. Polley over the past week. Key stakeholders need to be identified: reports, businesses, residents , First Nations, MOE
- 7) Adaptive Management Plan
  - a. Preliminary findings will allow the evolution and adaption of monitoring tools to characterize the potential effects to the receiving environment
  - b. This may also allow feedback to operational activities mitigate additional environmental risks

### **Report on the implementation of Action Plan Measures**

Based on the conference call on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014 it was decided that daily conference calls with MoE agencies and other stakeholders at 15:00 each day until the group decides mutually to reduce frequency.

Sincerely,

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Table 1: Tailings Supernatant Water Quality

Sample Point	Date	Cond (n situ) (µS/cm)	pH (n situ) (pH)	Temp (n situ) (Deg Celsius)	Hardness (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	Chloride (Cl) (mg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Ammonia (as N) (mg/L)	Nitrite (as N) (mg/L)	Nitrate and Nitrite (as N) (mg/L)	Nitrate (as N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (mg/L)	Phosphorus (P) Total (mg/L)	Aluminum (Al) Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron (Fe) Dissolved (mg/L)	Cadmium (Cd) Total (mg/L)	Copper (Cu) Total (mg/L)	Iron (Fe)-Total (mg/L)	Molybdenum (Mo)-Total (mg/L)	Selenium (Se)-Total (mg/L)	Dissolved Organic Carbon (mg/L)
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	5-Aug-09	993	8.26	20.1	333	7.3	22.5	397	0.0076	1.58	0.0813	5.39	0.0082	0.0547	<0.03	0.000186	0.0182	0.101	0.31	0.0165	2.87	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	15-Aug-09	1070	8.47	19.6	340	8.7	23.4	442	0.0055	3.62	0.018	4.37	0.0036	0.0397	<0.03	<0.00061	0.00714	0.084	0.216	0.0187	2.45	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	2-Sep-09	1104	8.18	1.9	360	8.3	27.6	481	0.0348	3.74	0.055	3.67	0.0093	0.0199	<0.03	0.000195	0.0157	0.109	0.248	0.0197	2.64	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	6-Oct-09	1643	8.75	8.1	828	8.4	29.6	830	0.007	3.58	0.106	4.79	0.0325	0.0284	<0.03	<0.001	0.0193	0.192	0.238	0.02	2.59	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	29-Oct-09	756	8.64	8.3	750	18.9	29.8	827	0.146	3.42	0.111	5.95	0.0118	0.0118	<0.03	0.000246	0.0325	0.403	0.24	0.02	3.16	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	16-Nov-09	1685	8.98	3.5	741	33	30.4	839	0.225	3.68	0.117	4.6	0.0449	0.0105	<0.03	<0.00085	0.0183	0.69	0.235	0.0197	4.36	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	9-Dec-09	1899	9.41	2.6	847	<1.0	33.5	829	0.2	3.57	0.145	5.49	0.0179	0.0179	<0.03	<0.00085	0.00517	0.695	0.239	0.02	5.53	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	18-Jan-10	1899	9.41	2.6	847	<1.0	33.5	829	0.2	3.57	0.145	5.49	0.0179	0.0179	<0.03	<0.00085	0.00517	0.695	0.239	0.02	5.53	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	10-Feb-10	1636	9.94	3.8	835	3.8	34	790	0.565	4.02	0.027	4.53	0.0778	0.0147	<0.03	0.000093	0.00548	0.068	0.24	0.0239	6.89	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Mar-10	1470	9.71	4.6	544	<5.0	33.3	689	0.715	4.1	0.109	5.87	0.0622	0.015	<0.03	<0.00085	0.00502	0.089	0.203	0.0232	8.38	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	7-Apr-10	1273	9.35	4.4	690	1.1	30.8	588	0.479	3.88	0.248	4.82	0.043	0.017	<0.03	<0.00051	0.0285	0.47	0.191	0.024	8	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	12-May-10	1358	8.24	13.1	517	22	36	813	0.707	4.46	0.65	6.67	0.044	0.0123	<0.03	<0.00061	0.04	0.627	0.27	0.0243	7.12	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Jun-10	7.8	13.7	352	8	35.3	874	0.073	4.91	5.04	0.131	7.96	0.0163	0.0218	<0.03	<0.0009	0.0133	0.179	0.219	0.0269	7.52	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	8-Jul-10	1643	7.87	21.3	740	<3	38	835	0.143	5.67	0.097	6.26	0.0071	0.0127	<0.03	<0.00085	0.0101	0.057	0.25	0.0276	6.19	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	2-Aug-10	1767	7.94	20.9	783	<3	38.8	835	0.083	4.35	0.06	7.61	0.0059	0.0059	<0.03	0.000093	<0.035	0.078	0.273	0.0303	5.77	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-Sep-10	1848	11.8	773	5.5	44	755	0.172	6.59	7.08	0.108	10.1	0.0108	0.0108	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0135	0.195	0.287	0.0184	5.73	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	7-Oct-10	2301	7.78	10.5	598	14.2	38	1090	0.285	6.95	0.175	7.42	0.0215	0.0215	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0471	0.427	0.273	0.0297	8.92	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	4-Nov-10	1887	8.08	5.2	888	21.1	39.2	945	0.353	7.29	0.48	7.88	0.0278	0.012	<0.03	<0.00015	0.0441	0.547	0.245	0.0284	8.26	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-Dec-10	1992	8.35	3.8	870	2.3	38.8	1100	0.408	8.15	0.33	8.15	0.019	0.0081	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0387	0.633	0.261	0.0273	8.26	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	10-Jan-11	1902	8.42	2.8	879	<3	37.6	994	0.46	7.9	0.05	8.5	0.0162	0.0082	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0083	0.043	0.274	0.035	9.58	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Feb-11	769	13.3	35.5	859	0.054	7.7	785	0.151	10.1	0.015	10.1	0.015	0.0092	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0158	0.318	0.273	0.0249	10.7	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	7-Mar-11	1671	9.42	3.7	883	6.8	33	829	0.617	7.33	0.48	0.155	7.97	0.0142	0.0108	<0.03	0.000023	0.0052	0.08	0.174	0.0273	10.6
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	6-Apr-11	1439	8.33	3.3	585	9.6	28.2	607	0.719	5.94	0.185	6.13	0.0185	0.0185	<0.03	0.000027	0.0139	0.504	0.178	0.0187	9.4	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	12-May-11	1652	7.94	13.6	499	13.8	18.7	474	0.407	4.57	0.092	6.33	0.0382	0.015	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0275	0.667	0.125	0.0158	5.87	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	9-Jun-11	1076	8.31	17.2	433	8.7	17.7	525	0.196	4.92	0.04	7.33	0.0094	0.0129	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00407	0.092	0.152	0.0195	5.8	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	14-Jul-11	1105	8.32	1.7	496	3.5	17.7	508	0.0619	7.21	0.03	7.52	0.0073	0.0073	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0107	0.118	0.167	0.0273	4.67	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	4-Aug-11	1174	8.12	1.8	474	<3	40.3	547	0.129	9.88	0.76	0.073	7.14	0.015	0.0048	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0057	0.086	0.175	0.0203	5.75
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	8-Sep-11	1215	8.58	17.3	670	3.7	23	973	0.0899	5.48	0.47	0.087	8.16	0.0447	0.0295	<0.03	0.000091	0.00554	0.081	0.189	0.0218	4.1
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	5-Oct-11	1280	8.43	9.4	472	24.2	22.2	575	0.126	5.4	0.5	0.1	8.79	0.0281	0.0154	<0.03	0.000023	0.0224	0.333	0.188	0.0223	4.03
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	31-Oct-11	1311	8.9	4.4																		
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-Nov-11	1339	8.35	2.5	479	18.9	23.3	586	0.179	8.02	0.037	8.6	0.0512	0.0145	<0.03	0.00005	0.0275	1.05	0.204	0.0218	4.38	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	5-Dec-11	1327	9.47	3.3	452	5.3	24.5	587	0.348	5.89	0.83	0.195	8.77	0.0114	0.0155	<0.03	0.000027	0.00403	0.069	0.207	0.0201	6.16
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	4-Jan-12	1337	9.18	3.2	649	<3.0	28	596	0.723	5.76	0.145	5.9	0.008	0.0148	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0024	0.061	0.219	0.0205	6.02	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Feb-12	1234	8.13	3.7	442	<3.0	28	586	0.484	5.89	0.201	10.5	0.0056	0.0137	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00272	0.06	0.204	0.021	6.72	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	14-Mar-12	1331	7.36	3.5	438	3.3	27.9	580	0.478	6.27	0.48	0.225	8.69	0.009	0.0175	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00326	0.013	0.204	0.0205	7.76
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Apr-12	1297	7.8	434	7.7	27.3	560	0.487	5.75	5.92	0.177	7.11	0.0187	0.03	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00746	0.234	0.199	0.0201	7.94	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	2-May-12	1084	8.475	9.6	371	19.9	20.7	485	0.401	4.93	0.38	0.127	6.52	0.0149	0.0185	<0.03	0.0252	0.685	0.159	0.0205	7.7	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	7-Jun-12	1129	8.2	12.9	409	15.2	22.2	454	0.126	6.86	0.075	6.99	0.0197	0.0251	<0.03	0.00005	0.0184	0.682	0.177	0.0219	5.78	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	5-Jul-12	1331	8.08	16.5	402	<3.0	22.2	497	0.105	5.6	0.58	0.075	6.36	0.0069	0.0271	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0067	0.059	0.141	0.0212	5.36
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-Aug-12	1191	8.23	20.1	424	3.6	21.9	521	0.186	5.85	0.92	0.061	7.16	0.0047	0.0254	<0.03	<0.00018	0.00548	0.08	0.188	0.0267	4.52
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	6-Sep-12	1225	8.545	10.7	411	3.1	23.7	545	0.187	6.2	0.075	7.45	0.0033	0.0203	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0055	0.13	0.185	0.0274	4.08	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Oct-12	1271	8	3.2	465	8.3	28	542	0.179	6.32	0.4	7.7	0.01	0.0191	<0.03	<0.00067	0.005	0.115	0.188	0.0274	4.71	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	15-Nov-12	1284	8.608	1.8	500	7.9	35	574	0.178	6.66	0.76	7.52	0.0073	0.017	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0111	0.19	0.187	0.0208	4.88	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	6-Dec-12	1283	8.267	2.6	458	3.8	24	579	0.327	6.81	0.92	7.5	0.0097	0.0133	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00413	0.183	0.195	0.0208	7.16	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	3-Jan-13	1273	8.003	3.4	460	5.6	23.4	563	0.353	7.42	0.755	0.125	7.23	0.0079	0.0108	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00476	0.086	0.0284	5.43	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-Feb-13	1273	8.084	3.5	489	<3.0	24.1	575	0.356	7.66	0.138	7.17	0.0067	0.0067	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00397	0.047	0.157	0.0276	5.97	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	1-May-13	1072	8.069	8.4	403	11.8	19.5	477	0.25	6.26	0.38	0.125	6.67	0.0148	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00828	0.327	0.193	0.0272	7.31	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	8-Aug-13	1193	8.061	21.8	480	19.6	21.4	549	0.219	7.32	0.41	0.091	7.79	0.015	<0.03	<0.00067	0.0149	0.43	0.181	0.03	4.15	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	5-Nov-13	1283	8.393	1.2	474	54.9	25.6	576	0.168	7.48	0.57	0.088	7.53	0.0062	<0.03	<0.00067	0.00609	1.47	0.2	0.0213	2.57	
E1 - Tailings Impoundment	11-Feb-14	1267	8.777	2																		

Table 2 Tailings Impoundment Supernatant (Sampling Point E1) Water Quality (August 2009 - May 2014) Compared to BC Aquatic Life and Drinking Water Guideline

Date/Time	Summary Statistics			BCWQG		Drinking Water Quality Guidelines (BC/Canada)
	Mean	Maximum	Minimum	acute	30 day/chronic	
Comment						
<b>Physical Parameters</b>						
Conductivity (in situ) (µs/cm)	1352	2001	766			
pH (in situ) (pH)	8.54	9.94	7.30			
Temperature (in situ) (Degrees Celcius)	9.0	21.8	1.2			
Hardness (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> ) (mg/L)	543	970	313			
Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	9.5	54.9	1.5			
Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	1080	2450	730			500
<b>Anions and Nutrients</b>						
Chloride (Cl) (mg/L)	27.7	44.0	17.7	600	150	250
Sulphate (mg/L)	647	1100	397		218	500 (aesthetic)
Ammonia (as N) (mg/L)	0.284	0.719	0.0348	Temperature dependent		
Nitrate (as N) (mg/L)	5.68	8.15	3.42	31.3	3	10
Nitrate and Nitrite (as N) (mg/L)	6.29	8.33	4.44			
Nitrite (as N) (mg/L)	0.140	0.917	0.016	0.06	0.02	1
Total Nitrogen (mg/L)	7.05	10.50	3.62			
Phosphorus (P) Total (mg/L)	0.0236	0.0850	0.0035	0.0005 - 0.015 (lakes)		
<b>Dissolved Metals</b>						
Aluminum (Al)-Dissolved (mg/L)	0.0191	0.0547	0.0082	0.1	0.05	0.2
Iron (Fe)-Dissolved (mg/L)	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.35		
<b>Total Metals</b>						
Antimony (Sb) - Total (mg/L)	0.00222	0.00516	0.00087	0.02		0.006
Arsenic (As) - Total (mg/L)	0.00223	0.00377	0.00125	0.005		0.01
Barium (Ba) - Total (mg/L)	0.0780	0.108	0.0392	5	1	1
Cadmium (Cd)-Total (mg/L)	8.970E-05	0.0005	0.00001	0.00002526		0.005
Copper (Cu)-Total (mg/L)	0.0137	0.0641	0.0020	0.008862	0.00292	0.5
Chromium (Cr)-Total (mg/L)	0.0005386	0.00209	0.0003	0.001 Cr(VI), 0.0089 Cr(III)		0.05
Iron (Fe)-Total (mg/L)	0.266	1.69	0.033	1		3 (aesthetic)
Lead (Pb)-Total (mg/L)	0.00018	0.00115	0.000025	54	5.4	0.01
Mercury (Hg)-Total (mg/L)	1.7857E-05	0.000025	0.000005			0.001
Manganese (Mn)-Total (mg/L)	0.0350	0.1160	0.0063	1.344	0.9262	0.05 (aesthetic)
Molybdenum (Mo)-Total (mg/L)	0.205	0.287	0.125	2	1	0.25
Nickel (Ni)-Total (mg/L)	0.00062	0.00165	0.00025	0.065		
Silver (Ag)-Total (mg/L)	0.0000126	0.000049	0.000005	0.0001	0.00005	
Selenium (Se)-Total (mg/L)	0.0241	0.0346	0.0158	0.002		0.01
Sodium (Na)-Total (mg/L)	89.8	119.0	55.9			200 (aesthetic)
Zinc (Zn)-Total (mg/L)	0.0024	0.0062	0.001	0.033	0.0075	5 (aesthetic)
<b>Organics</b>						
Dissolved Organic Carbon (mg/L)	5.98	10.70	2.45			

## Notes:

- 1) Results below MDL are represented as 0.5\*MDL
- 2) Parameters exceeding water quality guidelines (on average) are shown in red



Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

Date Sampled	31-JAN-10	26-FEB-10	31-MAR-10	31-MAR-10	30-APR-10	30-MAY-10	30-MAY-10	31-JUL-10	31-AUG-10	30-SEP-10	31-OCT-10	30-NOV-10	30-DEC-10	30-JAN-11	28-FEB-11
Physical Tests															
Moisture														1.02	
pH	8.91	8.93	8.80	8.80	8.90	8.81	8.85	8.83	8.74	8.36	8.88	8.82	8.85	8.84	
Metals															
Aluminum (Al)	18700	19800	19200	20400	20200	22100	20600	22800	22400	20100	19000	20900	20800	19100	19800
Antimony (Sb)	0.37	0.38	0.35	0.40	0.50	0.37	0.42	0.51	0.43	0.52	0.58	0.50	0.64	0.48	0.33
Arsenic (As)	18.0	18.4	14.5	16.3	16.7	16.0	19.1	14.5	16.2	16.9	19.7	16.0	19.0	14.0	11.8
Barium (Ba)	153	143	184	186	212	228	201	233	263	204	204	206	201	289	223
Beryllium (Be)	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.86	0.82	0.88	0.87	0.67	0.88	0.68	0.79	0.71	0.73
Bismuth (Bi)	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Cadmium (Cd)	0.36	0.17	0.29	0.23	0.34	0.27	0.37	0.23	0.29	0.33	0.42	0.38	0.30	0.16	0.099
Calcium (Ca)	26100	24200	28800	28200	32700	28300	34600	30200	31100	35800	38400	36000	37300	26000	28000
Chromium (Cr)	14.8	10.4	14.0	13.8	14.0	23.7	24.1	20.5	22.8	43.0	18.0	27.3	19.7	31.2	9.87
Cobalt (Co)	20.0	20.2	15.8	15.8	16.9	17.7	17.8	17.3	17.5	16.8	18.1	15.9	16.8	16.8	16.4
Copper (Cu)	1130	991	1150	1070	1220	1100	972	1410	1150	1070	1330	1240	1090	1100	1060
Iron (Fe)	59500	55200	46700	51100	53000	52100	54800	52400	55200	58200	50800	46500	50300	74300	48500
Lead (Pb)	4.7	6.4	7.2	7.9	10.3	10.8	7.9	8.3	4.7	14.3	5.11	5.38	4.17	4.00	3.47
Lithium (Li)	21.8	18.9	18.7	19.2	19.9	19.5	20.3	20.4	19.7	17.9	18.1	17.3	19.0	15.2	19.8
Magnesium (Mg)	14900	13500	11700	12300	12200	13200	13200	13300	13100	11800	10800	11100	11100	10800	11100
Manganese (Mn)	774	640	785	749	958	729	1080	845	947	1200	1330	1110	1150	828	540
Mercury (Hg)	0.0844	0.105	0.0822	0.0947	0.0941	0.080	0.080	0.085	0.074	0.063	0.068	0.082	0.068	0.0683	0.0618
Molybdenum (Mo)	2.99	5.54	8.53	5.27	4.43	5.8	6.1	5.55	4.47	4.00	5.03	3.87	3.87	2.79	2.52
Nickel (Ni)	5.9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	6.3	10.8	10.5	9.8	12.0	7.37	10.6	7.04	13.6	7.88
Phosphorus (P)	1380	1580	1430	1590	1380	1440	1440	1490	1380	1410	1370	1500	1450	1240	1380
Potassium (K)	1480	1470	2090	2130	1780	3050	2340	3080	2750	1590	1570	1920	2710	2190	1970
Selenium (Se)	1.22	2.06	1.88	1.63	1.47	1	1	1.43	1.18	1.03	1.44	1.02	0.93	0.71	0.74
Silver (Ag)	0.45	0.53	0.45	0.37	0.44	0.52	0.55	0.48	0.51	0.48	0.60	0.50	0.48	0.33	0.27
Sodium (Na)	1480	1900	1470	1840	1920	1710	1390	1800	1810	980	780	1370	1480	1180	1620
Strontium (Sr)	83.1	138	171	186	150	194	116	197	188	149	133	208	114	114	163
Thallium (Tl)	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
Tin (Sn)	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	1	1	1	1	2.0	1
Titanium (Ti)	1520	1490	1330	1550	1540	1560	1560	1860	1670	1580	1430	1500	1710	1780	1510
Uranium (U)										1.93	1.99	1.88	2.17	1.29	0.958
Vanadium (V)	196	179	169	178	172	187	198	187	200	200	188	177	188	279	172
Zinc (Zn)	88.8	83.0	86.3	72.1	92.2	68.8	89.3	71.9	79.1	95.2	118	118	113	74.4	48.8



Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

Date Sampled	31-JAN-10	28-FEB-10	31-MAR-10	31-MAR-10	30-APR-10	30-MAY-10	30-MAY-10	31-JUL-10	31-AUG-10	30-SEP-10	31-OCT-10	30-NOV-10	30-DEC-10	30-JAN-11	28-FEB-11
Leachable Metals															
Aluminum (Al)-Leachable														0.276	
Antimony (Sb)-Leachable														0.00103	
Arsenic (As)-Leachable														0.0054	
Barium (Ba)-Leachable														0.0396	
Beryllium (Be)-Leachable														0.00025	
Bismuth (Bi)-Leachable														0.00025	
Boron (B)-Leachable														0.054	
Cadmium (Cd)-Leachable														0.000025	
Calcium (Ca)-Leachable														17.4	
Chromium (Cr)-Leachable														0.00025	
Cobalt (Co)-Leachable														0.00030	
Copper (Cu)-Leachable														0.0134	
Lead (Pb)-Leachable														0.00005	
Lithium (Li)-Leachable														0.0099	
Magnesium (Mg)-Leachable														3.40	
Manganese (Mn)-Leachable														0.00849	
Mercury (Hg)-Leachable														0.000025	
Molybdenum (Mo)-Leachable														0.0317	
Nickel (Ni)-Leachable														0.00025	
Potassium (K)-Leachable														13.7	
Selenium (Se)-Leachable														0.00295	
Silver (Ag)-Leachable														0.000025	
Sodium (Na)-Leachable														30.3	
Strontium (Sr)-Leachable														0.193	
Thallium (Tl)-Leachable														0.00005	
Tin (Sn)-Leachable														0.00098	
Uranium (U)-Leachable														0.000343	
Vanadium (V)-Leachable														0.0086	
Zinc (Zn)-Leachable														0.005	

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

Date Sampled	31-JAN-10	28-FEB-10	31-MAR-10	31-MAR-10	30-APR-10	30-MAY-10	30-MAY-10	31-JUL-10	31-AUG-10	30-SEP-10	31-OCT-10	30-NOV-10	30-DEC-10	30-JAN-11	28-FEB-11
<b>TCLP Metals</b>															
1st Preliminary PH	9.73	9.80	9.74	9.74	9.74	9.74	9.80	9.87	9.85	9.51	9.68	9.70	9.52	9.70	9.75
2nd Preliminary PH	1.92	1.91	2.00	2.50	2.35	2.52	2.30	2.85	2.88	2.28	2.24	2.23	2.10	2.55	1.97
Final pH	5.52	5.38	5.58	5.50	5.48	5.81	5.66	5.38	5.47	5.50	5.61	5.50	5.48	5.45	5.44
Extraction Solution Initial pH	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.92	4.92	4.82	4.92	4.93	4.93	4.93	4.92	4.91	4.92
Antimony (Sb)-Leachable	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Arsenic (As)-Leachable	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Barium (Ba)-Leachable	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
Beryllium (Be)-Leachable	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015
Boron (B)-Leachable	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.5	0.71	0.25
Cadmium (Cd)-Leachable	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
Calcium (Ca)-Leachable	523	435	538	496	486	507	510	483	535	461	527	462	538	467	443
Chromium (Cr)-Leachable	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
Cobalt (Co)-Leachable	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
Copper (Cu)-Leachable	4.89	5.86	4.55	4.50	5.75	2.17	1.69	3.47	3.34	2.82	4.16	3.80	3.80	2.98	3.49
Iron (Fe)-Leachable	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.19	0.23	0.27	0.35	0.055	0.34	0.45	0.50	0.35
Lead (Pb)-Leachable	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
Magnesium (Mg)-Leachable	5.87	5.99	10.1	10.7	12.1	11.8	11.1	15.1	15.3	12.2	11.5	14.7	13.3	14.4	10.1
Mercury (Hg)-Leachable	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005
Nickel (Ni)-Leachable	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
Selenium (Se)-Leachable	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Silver (Ag)-Leachable	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
Thallium (Tl)-Leachable	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Vanadium (V)-Leachable	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055
Zinc (Zn)-Leachable	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.5	0.67	0.25

## Notes:

1) &lt;MDL represented as 0.5\*MDL

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

31-MAR-11	30-APR-11	30-JUN-11	30-JUL-11	30-AUG-11	30-SEP-11	30-OCT-11	30-NOV-11	31-DEC-11	30-JAN-12	29-FEB-12	31-MAR-12	30-APR-12	03-SEP-13	30-SEP-13	01-NOV-13	01-DEC-13
								0.125								
	0.83															
17300	18900	17000	16800	18700	15200	14300	15300	18000	16300	19200	17200	16800	19100	21800	20100	21100
0.38	0.33	0.42	0.30	0.43	0.34	0.25	0.40	0.32	0.35	0.50	0.38	0.56	0.40	0.49	0.54	0.92
11.7	10.7	11.4	9.34	12.1	9.30	8.70	11.8	10.1	10.6	11.8	8.57	10.9	10.5	11.4	11.8	12.0
234	269	263	228	220	247	253	230	235	326	250	263	297	182	192	202	169
0.73	0.65	0.63	0.52	0.56	0.53	0.46	0.56	0.59	0.56	0.83	0.54	0.65	0.71	0.78	0.73	0.73
0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
0.125	0.081	0.138	0.131	0.168	0.109	0.121	0.155	0.128	0.101	0.115	0.077	0.135	0.083	0.114	0.278	0.259
25100	26300	27000	25000	31800	28400	28800	32000	28500	28900	27900	28100	25100	24100	28300	30200	25200
13.1	15.2	21.1	16.3	16.4	13.6	13.4	15.5	20.4	25.7	21.1	15.8	32.4	12.7	19.4	15.4	29.2
17.7	17.7	17.6	16.0	19.3	16.3	14.9	14.3	15.7	17.8	18.0	19.0	18.5	18.5	16.8	16.8	18.6
1050	1180	1110	895	757	1030	1050	730	885	790	849	881	787	638	802	769	1380
47300	48500	47500	43300	42700	42300	30000	32000	40000	53400	51800	52000	46700	48200	49700	48200	51900
3.82	3.16	5.19	5.24	10.1	8.47	5.93	4.72	4.51	4.87	4.79	3.98	8.17	2.93	5.89	11.8	6.53
16.9	15.6	18.3	18.8	20.8	16.7	14.8	18.4	19.7	17.6	16.4	16.3	15.9	14.8	17.3	14.3	15.7
10800	10200	10400	9390	10800	10800	9450	10800	9370	11200	10300	9420	11000	10800	10900	9510	10400
572	524	607	573	721	621	518	664	584	618	570	474	591	489	564	589	473
0.0613	0.058	0.0480	0.0563	0.0680	0.0508	0.0520	0.0583	6.43	0.0411	0.0528	0.0542	0.157	0.0471	0.0596	0.0825	0.112
2.32	2.87	4.72	7.43	8.88	5.28	4.79	6.17	5.07	3.41	4.60	5.89	5.71	3.65	5.87	7.88	9.18
8.27	8.03	7.38	7.81	8.91	8.15	6.27	5.27	1210	11.5	6.38	5.71	11.8	12.1	7.20	6.59	8.47
1380	1280	1300	1230	1260	1280	1180	1270	1950	1180	1270	1150	1200	1180	1350	1310	1490
1980	2180	2970	1850	2370	2230	2070	2320	0.87	1920	3500	2780	2040	2030	2690	2340	2540
0.72	0.86	0.94	0.93	1.14	1.02	0.92	0.82	0.28	0.78	0.88	0.88	1.12	0.79	1.09	1.37	2.29
0.31	0.29	0.37	0.29	0.33	0.30	0.28	0.30	1820	0.24	0.29	0.25	0.34	0.24	0.29	0.41	0.50
900	1680	1550	1830	1780	1300	1580	1350	128	1200	2030	2110	1320	1650	1770	1530	1770
112	131	95.7	118	154	114	108	131	1300	113	116	119	121	213	316	265	282
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2.3	2.2	1	1	2.3	2.3	2.2
1570	1320	1680	1510	1760	1390	1160	1520	1510	1530	1950	1590	1490	1770	2010	1740	1760
0.848	0.757	0.862	0.839	0.848	0.617	0.562	0.717	0.706	0.745	0.705	0.887	0.812	1.12	1.08	1.26	1.19
173	166	192	152	184	198	109	173	147	209	243	185	185	193	203	188	190
58.9	46.0	81.8	56.7	71.2	54.1	54.0	83.5	59.6	56.1	62.1	45.8	58.0	43.8	50.2	72.9	57.2

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

31-MAR-11	30-APR-11	30-JUN-11	30-JUL-11	30-AUG-11	30-SEP-11	30-OCT-11	30-NOV-11	31-DEC-11	30-JAN-12	29-FEB-12	31-MAR-12	30-APR-12	03-SEP-13	30-SEP-13	01-NOV-13	01-DEC-13
								0.23								
								0.025								
								0.025								
								0.042								
								0.0025								
								0.05								
								0.005								
								12.6								
								0.005								
								0.005								
								0.018								
								0.053								
								0.025								
								2.09								
								0.0090								
								0.046								
								0.025								
								0.15								
								15.2								
								0.025								
								8.43								
								0.005								
								31.0								
								0.181								
								0.1								
								0.015								
								0.005								
								0.25								
								0.015								

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31-MAR-11	30-APR-11	30-JUN-11	30-JUL-11	30-AUG-11	30-SEP-11	30-OCT-11	30-NOV-11	31-DEC-11	30-JAN-12	29-FEB-12	31-MAR-12	30-APR-12	03-SEP-13	30-SEP-13	01-NOV-13	01-DEC-13
9.80	9.78	9.82	9.77	9.72	9.79	9.82	9.79	9.84	9.87	9.79	9.85	9.83	9.81	9.70	9.71	9.85
2.02	2.58	3.27	2.73	3.77	3.90	3.09	4.37	2.87	3.38	3.18	2.48	3.40	3.24	3.38	3.44	3.25
5.53	5.48	5.59	5.85	5.84	5.82	5.84	6.01	5.54	5.88	5.80	5.80	5.98	5.70	5.72	4.37	5.58
4.92	4.92	4.95	4.97	4.88	4.92	4.92	4.92	4.94	4.93	4.91	4.92	4.95	4.93	4.93	2.88	4.92
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015
0.82	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
512	495	504	492	636	514	458	580	531	823	491	603	555	522	525	593	471
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
2.03	3.77	2.28	1.37	0.803	1.08	1.12	0.326	0.908	0.513	0.875	0.702	0.786	0.398	0.620	4.70	0.643
0.48	0.30	0.24	0.19	0.15	0.26	0.055	0.055	0.26	0.055	0.49	0.38	0.20	0.31	0.29	0.18	0.34
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
10.3	11.3	10.8	8.71	8.52	8.58	8.52	9.87	9.53	12.0	13.2	13.9	12.5	13.3	14.1	18.3	15.1
0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005		0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.025	0.025	0.025
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055
0.88	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

31-DEC-13	31-JAN-14	28-FEB-14	31-MAR-14	30-APR-14	31-MAY-14	AVERAGE
20500	19900	21300	23600	19900	20000	19139
0.35	0.36	0.43	0.40	0.37	0.45	0.43
10.9	9.85	10.0	10.1	9.22	8.77	12.32
154	207	177	165	175	185	222
0.75	0.72	0.72	0.77	0.74	0.69	0.63
0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.85
0.094	0.086	0.083	0.102	0.113	0.074	0.16
24000	26900	28000	26500	25400	27400	26122
20.4	19.0	26.8	22.6	32.2	22.4	20.3
19.3	17.1	17.6	16.0	17.1	19.6	17.4
896	711	642	788	841	677	931
56300	49300	44900	44000	45100	47900	49851
3.10	2.89	3.02	4.50	3.57	2.92	5.35
16.8	14.8	14.5	16.1	14.3	13.1	17.0
12800	9760	8670	10900	11000	9880	10869
505	489	495	556	489	486	852
0.0836	0.0698	0.0618	0.0645	0.0746	0.0704	0.49
4.33	5.00	4.74	6.26	7.32	4.37	5.37
13.9	8.59	5.85	6.99	10.3	5.48	104.61
1340	1250	1340	1380	1300	1260	1405
2000	2820	2580	2550	2420	2290	2121
1.23	1.00	0.99	1.11	0.92	1.03	1.04
0.32	0.25	0.20	0.30	0.29	0.25	116.01
1300	1990	2030	1830	1360	1480	1438.16
251	270	296	327	274	223	192.12
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
1	2.0	2.7	1	2.2	2.5	
1860	1630	1900	1930	1660	1980	1525
1.08	1.16	1.43	1.24	1.07	1.47	15.61
216	190	178	175	173	175	180.54
53.6	37.6	40.8	52.7	40.7	39.1	59.44

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

31-DEC-13	31-JAN-14	28-FEB-14	31-MAR-14	30-APR-14	31-MAY-14	AVERAGE
						0.25
						0.013
						0.015
						0.0408
						0.0014
						0.025
						0.030
						8.3
						8.703
						0.003
						0.009
						0.033
						0.013
						1.05
						1.7045
						0.027
						0.013
						0.08
						7.6
						6.883
						3.22
						0.003
						30.7
						0.192
						0.05
						0.01
						0.003
						0.13
						0.010

Table 3: Tailings Composite Metals Analysis January 2010 - May 2014

31-DEC-13	31-JAN-14	28-FEB-14	31-MAR-14	30-APR-14	31-MAY-14	AVERAGE
9.81	9.67	9.75	9.70	9.74	9.65	9.75
2.48	2.97	2.98	3.11	3.12	3.39	2.95
5.54	5.58	5.75	5.55	6.90	5.79	5.59
4.92	4.92	4.93	4.92	4.98	4.90	4.84
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015
0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
502	520	527	490	748	561	521
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
0.544	0.447	0.362	1.30	0.025	0.137	1.905
0.51	0.39	0.24	0.22	0.055	0.20	0.64
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
12.1	11.4	13.1	13.8	32.5	12.2	12.5
0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005
0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125	0.125
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.11
0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.055
0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25



Table 4: Tailings NPR Analysis

Year	Month	Tailings Composite NPR	NP	C %	AP %	S %
2012	January	-				
	February	14.2	25.418	0.305	1.791	0.057
	March	17.87	28.085	0.337	1.572	0.05
	April	8.69	26.335	0.316	3.031	0.097
	May	8.69	26.335	0.316	3.031	0.097
	June	9.74	25.502	0.306	2.619	0.084
	July	8.66	27.335	0.328	3.156	0.101
	August	15.36	27.502	0.33	1.791	0.057
	September	14.86	27.585	0.331	1.856	0.059
	October	10.88	27.168	0.326	2.497	0.08
	November	15.39	22.752	0.273	1.478	0.047
	December	9.17	22.918	0.275	2.5	0.08
2013	January	10.52	25.502	0.306	2.425	0.078
	February	19.31	31.919	0.383	1.653	0.053
	March	13.44	25.418	0.305	1.891	0.06
	April	12.8	25.168	0.302	1.966	0.063
	May	14.1	27.002	0.324	1.916	0.061
	June	8.84	25.918	0.311	2.931	0.094
	July	12.54	25.002	0.3	1.994	0.064
	August	19.5	26.752	0.321	1.372	0.44
	September	8.03	26.335	0.316	3.281	0.105
	October	7.42	27.585	0.331	3.719	0.119
	November	3.48	22.335	0.268	6.438	0.206
	December	7.53	23.418	0.281	3.109	0.1
2014	January	9.84	26.418	0.317	2.684	0.086
	February	13.47	25.085	0.301	1.862	0.06
	March	10.7	25.168	0.302	2.353	0.075
	April	11.25	24.252	0.291	2.156	0.069
	May	13.33	29.169	0.35	2.188	0.07
AVERAGE		11.77	26.049	0.31	2.474	0.09

Note: NPR > 2 is conserved to be PAG material

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### **Independent expert engineering review launched following Mount Polley dam breach**

VANCOUVER – The Government of British Columbia, with the support of the Soda Creek Indian Band (Xats'ull First Nation) and Williams Lake Indian Band, has ordered an independent engineering investigation and inquiry into the Mount Polley tailings pond breach, and independent third-party reviews of all 2014 Dam Safety Inspections for every tailings pond at a permitted mine in the province.

The independent engineering investigation and inquiry is authorized under the Mount Polley Investigation and Inquiry Regulation, issued pursuant to section 8 of the Ministry of Energy and Mines Act. The investigation will be conducted by a panel of experts that will investigate the cause of the Mount Polley Mine Tailings Storage Facility failure, including geotechnical standards, design of the dam, maintenance, regulations, inspections regimes and other matters the panel deems appropriate. This section also provides the panel with the ability to compel evidence and authorizes the Minister to require the company to cover costs of the inquiry.

The independent engineering investigation and inquiry is step one of a two-step process.

First, the independent panel will conduct an investigation and provide recommendations through a final report by Jan. 31, 2015, that will determine why the tailings dam failed.

Second, the panel's recommendations will be received by government and the Soda Creek Indian Band and Williams Lake Indian Band and then shared with the public, and implemented by government as needed and where appropriate to ensure such an incident never happens again.

The panel members have been appointed by government with the support of the Soda Creek and Williams Lake Indian Bands. The panel members are experienced geotechnical experts with expertise in tailings management facilities. They are:

- Norbert Morgenstern, advisor to consulting engineers
- Steven Vick, geotechnical engineer (Colorado)
- Dirk Van Zyl, professor, University of British Columbia (UBC) Normal B. Keevil Institute of Mining Engineering

The Soda Creek and Williams Lake Indian Bands were consulted on the terms of reference for the engineering investigation and will have a liaison to the panel. The Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of British Columbia (APEGBC), and the Institute of Mining Engineering at the University of British Columbia also provided input on the panel members.

The chief inspector of mines has also issued an order to all mining companies to conduct a Dam

Safety Inspection for every tailings storage facility at a permitted mine by Dec. 1, 2014. Under the order, those inspections must be reviewed by an independent, qualified, third-party, professional engineer from a firm not associated with the tailings facility. All information obtained under this order will be provided to First Nations and made public.

Under the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, the deadline for annual Dam Safety Inspections would have been March 31, 2015, and would not have required an independent third-party review. The order accelerates the deadline and establishes the requirement for an independent review.

The order also includes a requirement for a third-party review of the dam consequence classifications by Dec. 1, 2014. A dam's consequence classification is based on the potential impact to population, the environment, cultural values and infrastructure should it fail, and is set according to the Canadian Dam Association Dam Safety Guidelines. Under the order, mines with high, very high or extreme consequence classifications will be required to have their Emergency Preparedness and Response Plans reviewed by an independent third-party.

There are currently 98 permitted tailings impoundments at 60 operating and closed metal and coal mines in B.C.

**Quotes:**

**Bill Bennett, Minister of Energy and Mines and Responsible for Core Review –**

"We have a responsibility, as the jurisdiction where this failure took place, to find out exactly why it happened, ensure it never happens again and take a leadership role internationally in learning from this serious incident."

"Mining is a critical industry in British Columbia, supporting dozens of communities and thousands of families. The independent engineering investigation and third-party reviews of Dam Safety Inspections for every permitted tailings facility in the province will get the answers necessary to provide public confidence following this serious incident."

**Chief Bev Sellars, Soda Creek Indian Band –**

"There is no doubt in anyone's minds that this is the worst mining disaster to ever occur in this province. Our nations and all British Columbians have raised questions as to how such a disaster could occur. With this independent investigation, we will all get the answers we need and deserve. We look forward to receiving the results of the investigation and taking action to ensure an accident like this this never happens again."

**Chief Ann Louie, Williams Lake Indian Band –**

"An independent engineering investigation is a crucial process required to understand the cause of this breach. However, it is merely a first step in understanding the broader implications of this disaster. Many questions will remain regarding the long-term impacts to our communities and environment."

**Dirk Van Zyl, professor, UBC, Norman B. Keevil Institute of Mining Engineering, member of independent engineering investigation panel –**

"The failure of the tailings facility at Mount Polley was a dark day for the mining industry not only here in British Columbia, but worldwide. It's extremely important for us to understand how this breach happened and why so that we can move forward with the best possible practices in ongoing and future mining operations."

**Ann English, P.Eng., CEO, Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of BC –**

"As the regulator for engineering and geoscience in B.C., we expect resource development projects to be conducted safely and professionally. We are committed to upholding high standards of professional practice for B.C. engineers and geoscientists as they undertake their work. The public has a right to know what happened at Mt. Polley, and it is our hope that the inquiry will bring all the facts to light so we can ensure an accident like this never happens again."

**Al Richmond, chair, Cariboo Regional District –**

"Our communities, the various agencies, and the Province have responded to this serious incident and are doing everything necessary to protect our residents and return to a sense of normalcy." We need to get the bottom of why this occurred and ensure it doesn't happen again. Minister Bennett's decision to order an independent engineering investigation will find those answers and give all parties confidence in the results."

**Learn More:**

For a collection of documents from government and partners surrounding the Mount Polley breach, visit: <http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

Four backgrounders follow.

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### **Mount Polley Inspections**

- Early in the morning of Aug. 4, 2014, the tailings pond dam at the Mount Polley Mine site breached and released an estimated 10 million cubic metres of water and 4.5 million cubic metres of fine sand into Polley Lake. Hazeltine Creek flows out of Polley Lake and the flow of contaminated water continued into Quesnel Lake.
- The Mount Polley mine has a valid Mines Act permit and the company has been generally compliant with the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code and their Mines Act permit conditions.
- Following reports of a previous breach at the mine, Ministry of Energy and Mines (MEM) officials investigated an incident on May 24, 2014, and determined this was not a breach. Rather, the height of the tailings pond was above regulation. This occurred in a different area of the tailings pond than the Aug. 4, 2014, dam failure.
- At the time of the advisory, the distance between the water elevation and the crest of the dam (freeboard) was less than one meter. The tailings pond level returned to authorized levels and freeboard was approximately 2.4 meters when last measured. Mine records show that the operation was carrying out visual dam inspections and measuring freeboard at an acceptable frequency, including daily measurements following the incident.
- The MEM conducted a geotechnical inspection at the mine in September 2013, which resulted in no inspection orders related to the tailings facility.
- Here is a list of recent advisories to Mount Polley from the Ministry of Environment (MoE), only one of which was related to height of the tailings pond. The MoE is responsible to ensure no unauthorized effluent discharge from the tailings pond structure:
  - May 24, 2014: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for exceedance of the height of effluent within the tailings impoundment. The effluent level returned to authorized levels commencing June 30, 2014.
  - April 18, 2014: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for bypass of authorized treatment works. The site experienced high flows due to spring freshet which caused the pump system to become blocked and resulted in an overflow of effluent to the long ditch. Flow did not reach the creek and was directed into Till Borrow Pit.
  - January and April 2012: The ministry issued an advisory to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for not submitting monitoring data for one of the groundwater monitoring wells.
  - oAug. 30, 2012: The ministry issued a warning to Mount Polley Mining Corporation for failure to report exceedance of the height of effluent for the perimeter pond. This perimeter pond overflowed, releasing approximately 150 cubic metres of effluent over 13 hours to ground.

- As required by the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, companies must submit Annual Dam Safety Inspection reports to the Chief Inspector on an annual basis. Inspections of tailing pond dams by ministry geotechnical inspectors are conducted at a frequency informed by the dam consequence classification that is designated by the dam design engineers in accordance with the Canadian Dam Association Dam Safety Guidelines.
- Since the Mount Polley mine was permitted in 1995, there have been 16 geotechnical inspections conducted by ministry geotechnical inspectors. One inspection was conducted each year from 1995-2001 and in 2006, 2008 and 2013. Two inspections were conducted in each of 2005, 2007 and 2012.
- In summary, seven geotechnical inspections took place before the mine went into care and maintenance in 2001 and nine geotechnical inspections have taken place since it reopened in March 2005. The last geotechnical inspection was conducted in September 2013 and resulted in no inspection orders related to the tailings facility.
- Here is a historical record of the number of all types of inspections (including geotechnical) each year from 1999 to 2014:
  - 1999 – 1
  - 2000 – 4
  - 2001 - 22 (care and maintenance started September 2001)
  - 2002 – 4
  - 2003 – 2
  - 2004 – 5
  - 2005 - 15 (mine reopened March 2005)
  - 2006 – 10
  - 2007 – 10
  - 2008 – 8
  - 2009 – 9
  - 2010 – 7
  - 2011 – 4
  - 2012 – 6
  - 2013 – 15
  - 2014 (to-date) – 8
- Monitoring devices, called piezometers, designed to measure the pressure of water in the dam, did not show any changes in the water pressure before the dam breach. The last piezometer readings were taken on Aug. 2, 2014. The investigation will determine if the piezometers were located correctly.

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### **Current investigations underway into the Mount Polley breach**

#### **Conservation Officer Service**

An investigation into the cause of the Mount Polley tailings pond breach is underway, being led by British Columbia's Conservation Officer Service (COS), and assisted by Environment Canada, Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada and the RCMP.

The COS is an independent law enforcement body, and forwards recommendations for charges when warranted directly to provincial Crown Counsel.

The COS Major Investigations Unit (MIU) has been at the Mount Polley site since Aug. 4, performing tasks such as conducting interviews and collecting evidence.

MIU officers, trained in specialized investigative techniques, focus on cases that are complex, involve corporations, are international or are multi-jurisdictional in scope. As law enforcement officers, conservation officers in the MIU are highly trained in complex investigations including person interview practices and evidence gathering techniques that can secure criminal prosecution.

The COS uses the highest level of Major Case File Management techniques, as well as internationally recognized systems such as the incident command system. Major Case Management supports major investigations by efficiently processing, organizing, indexing, and ultimately disclosing the large quantities of information derived from these investigations.

The COS is the primary natural resource law enforcement agency in B.C. that specializes in commercial environmental and industrial investigations. The COS enforces over 33 pieces of provincial and federal legislation, including the Environmental Management Act and the Fisheries Act. Conservation Officers are also Special Provincial Constables under the Police Act with a wide suite of powers associated with that designation.

If the public has any information, they are asked to call the Report all Poachers and Polluters (RAPP) line at 1 877-952-7277 or online at [www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/cos/rapp/form.htm).

#### **Chief inspector of mines Investigation**

B.C.'s chief inspector of mines is also conducting an investigation under the statutory authority of the Mines Act.

The Mines Act states:

An inspector may, and on the direction of the chief inspector must, make an investigation of and report about an accident that has caused serious personal injury, loss of life or property or



environmental damage.

Appointed by the Minister of Energy and Mines, the Chief Inspector of Mines is responsible for administering and enforcing the Mines Act and the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in B.C.

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### **Inspections and independent reviews of tailings ponds at permitted mines**

The Chief Inspector of Mines has issued an order to all mining companies to conduct a Dam Safety Inspection for every tailings storage facility at a permitted mine by December 1, 2014.

Under the order, those inspections must be reviewed by an independent qualified third-party professional engineer from a firm not associated with the tailings facility. All information obtained under this order will be provided to First Nations and made public.

Under the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, the deadline for annual Dam Safety Inspections would have been March 31, 2015, and would not have required an independent third-party review. The order accelerates the deadline and establishes the requirement for an independent review.

The order also includes a requirement for a third party review of the dam consequence classifications. A dam's consequence classification is based on the potential impact to population, the environment, cultural values and infrastructure should it fail, and is set according to the Canadian Dam Association Dam Safety Guidelines.

Under the order, mines with high, very high or extreme consequence classifications will be required to have their Emergency Preparedness and Response Plans reviewed by an independent third party.

### **Tailings ponds in British Columbia**

There are a total of 98 tailings ponds at permitted mines in British Columbia. Thirty one of these ponds are at active mining operations and the remaining 67 belong to mines that have either closed permanently or are in care and maintenance, which means they may or may not reopen in the future.

Click the link below for a list of active and inactive tailings ponds in B.C.

[http://www.newsroom.gov.bc.ca/downloads/Permitted\\_Metal\\_and\\_Coal\\_TSF.pdf](http://www.newsroom.gov.bc.ca/downloads/Permitted_Metal_and_Coal_TSF.pdf)

### **Dam Safety Inspections, Reviews and Consequence Classifications**

Under the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, mining companies are required to conduct annual Dam Safety Inspections and submit them to the Chief Mines Inspector. In addition, mines are required to conduct more comprehensive dam safety reviews on a periodic basis according to their dam consequence classification. The consequence classification is a five-step scale based on factors such as population at risk, potential loss of life, potential damage to environmental and cultural values and economic

impact.

Dam Consequence Classification: Extreme  
Frequency of Dam Safety Review (DSR): Every five years

Dam Consequence Classification: Very high  
Frequency of Dam Safety Review (DSR): Every five years

Dam Consequence Classification: High  
Frequency of Dam Safety Review (DSR): Every seven years

Dam Consequence Classification: Significant  
Frequency of Dam Safety Review (DSR): Every 10 years

Dam Consequence Classification: Low  
Frequency of Dam Safety Review (DSR): N/A

In addition to annual Dam Safety Inspections and regular dam safety reviews conducted by mining companies as required by the Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia, the Ministry of Energy and Mines also conducts regular geotechnical inspections.

Tailings impoundment structures are inspected by ministry geotechnical inspectors, based on dam consequence classification. The ministry conducted 31 geotechnical mine inspections in 2013.

For more information about dam safety reviews in B.C., check the link below.

<https://www.apeg.bc.ca/getmedia/a373a764-1869-41b5-b07d-81d36a0698c3/APEGBC-Legislative-Dam-Safety-Reviews.pdf.aspx>

### **Chief Inspector's Order**

The following is the full text of the Chief Inspector's order:

#### **Notification of Chief Inspector's Orders**

#### **Tailings Dams – Independent Review of Dam Safety and Consequence Classification**

As Chief Inspector of Mines, it is my responsibility to ensure that tailings dams in British Columbia are being designed, constructed, and operated in a safe manner. In light of the recent tailings dam failure at the Mount Polley mine on August 4, 2014, I am issuing the following orders for the purpose of reviewing the safety of tailings impoundment structures at mines throughout the province to establish where improvements may be required.

Owners, agents or managers responsible for tailings dams are being issued these orders pursuant to Section 18 of the Mines Act:

#### **Orders:**

#### **Dam Safety Inspection and Independent Third Party Review of Dam Safety Inspection**

1. You are required to conduct a Dam Safety Inspection (DSI) by Dec. 1, 2014. The DSI must cover all dam structures for all tailings storage facilities on your mine site. The DSI must

be conducted by a qualified professional engineer consistent with the BC Ministry of Energy and Mines Guidelines for Dam Safety Inspections.

[http://www.empr.gov.bc.ca/Mining/Permitting-Reclamation/Geotech/Documents/Guidelines for Annual Dam Safety Inspections \(RevisedAug2013\).pdf](http://www.empr.gov.bc.ca/Mining/Permitting-Reclamation/Geotech/Documents/Guidelines%20for%20Annual%20Dam%20Safety%20Inspections%20(Revised%20Aug2013).pdf)

1. The mine manager must have the DSI reviewed by an independent qualified third party professional engineer from a firm that has not been associated with the tailings dam. The Independent Third Party Review of the DSI must also include a review of the dam consequence classification.
2. Both the DSI and the Independent Third Party Review of the DSI must be sealed by the qualified licensed professional engineers who conducted the work.
3. Any recommendations made in the DSI or the Independent Third Party Review of the DSI must be summarized in an accompanying letter from the Mine Manager to the Chief Inspector outlining the commitments for completing the recommended work along with a schedule for implementing the recommended work.
4. The DSI, Independent Review of the DSI, and the mine manager's letter to the Chief Inspector must be submitted to the Chief Inspector by December 1, 2014.

#### Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan and Dam Break Inundation Study

1. All tailings dams that have a failure consequence classification of high, very high or extreme (and taking into account any change in dam classification resulting from the Independent Third Party Review of the DSI under Orders 1 through 5), must have an Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan (EPRP) and a Dam Break Inundation Study.
2. The EPRP and Dam Break Inundation Study must be completed and tested consistent with the Canadian Dam Association, Dam Safety Guidelines (CDA Guidelines). If the tailings facility already has an existing EPRP, it must be reviewed and updated for consistency with the CDA Guidelines and with current standards of engineering practice.
3. The Dam Break Inundation Study must be prepared by a qualified licensed professional engineer. The EPRP must be informed by the Dam Break Inundation Study with input from the qualified licensed professional engineer.
4. The Dam Break Inundation Study, the EPRP, and a summary of the EPRP test including any identified gaps and lessons learned from the EPRP test, must be submitted to the Chief Inspector by December 1, 2014.

The Ministry of Energy and Mines will be placing reliance on the seal of the qualified professionals undertaking the above work. In addition, all submitted reports and reviews that are submitted to satisfy these orders will be subject to additional review by Ministry of Energy and Mines geotechnical engineers and/or their consultants. As well, in the interest of transparency and the public interest, all submitted documents related to these orders will be made available to the public.

Sincerely,

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Chief Inspector of Mines

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### **Terms of Reference for Independent Expert Engineering Investigation and Review Panel**

Below are the Terms of Reference issued by Minister Bill Bennett with the support of the Soda Creek and Williams Lake Indian Bands:

#### **Establishment of the Panel**

Pursuant to the Mount Polley Investigation and Inquiry Regulation, issued pursuant to section 8 (2) of the Ministry of Energy and Mines Act, I direct that an independent expert engineering investigation and review Panel (the Panel) be established, in accordance with these Terms of Reference, to investigate into and report on the breach of the tailings storage facility (TSF) at the Mount Polley mine on August 4, 2014.

For the purposes of conducting the investigation into the breach of the tailings storage facility at the Mount Polley mine on Aug. 4, 2014, I confer upon the Panel members the powers and authorities as set out in section 8.2 and 8.4(1) of the Ministry of Energy and Mines Act.

I further confer upon the Panel members the protection set out in section 8.5 of the Ministry of Energy and Mines Act.

#### **Purpose of the Panel**

The purpose of the panel is to investigate into and report on the cause of the failure of the tailings storage facility that occurred on Aug. 4, 2014, at the Mount Polley mine in B.C.

The panel will report on the cause of the failure of the tailings storage facility at the Mount Polley mine. In addition, the panel may make recommendations to government on actions that could be taken to ensure that a similar failure does not occur at other mine sites in B.C.

The panel is authorized, as part of its investigation and report, to comment on what actions could have been taken to prevent this failure and to identify practices or successes in other jurisdictions that could be considered for implementation in B.C.

#### **Scope of Review**

In its report, it is expected the panel will:

1. identify any mechanism(s) of failure of the tailings storage facility;
2. identify any technical, management, or other practices that may have enabled or contributed to the mechanism(s) of failure. This may include an independent review of the design, construction, operation, maintenance, surveillance and regulation of the facility;
3. identify any changes that could be considered to reduce the potential for future such

occurrences.

In conducting its investigation and in order to prepare its report into the cause of the failure of the tailings storage facility at the Mount Polley mine, the Panel may, at its discretion, and as it deems necessary, examine some or all of the following in respect of the Mount Polley mine in B.C.:

- geotechnical designs of the dams and structures associated with the TSF, including both intact and breached embankments, and including both the original design and all lifts of the embankment structure;
- the adequacy of geotechnical investigations completed throughout design and operation of the facility;
- interpretation of results of geotechnical investigations and associated laboratory testing;
- patterns, trends, and relationships in instrumentation behaviour;
- interpretation of instrumentation and performance data in relation to dam behaviour;
- whether or not dam instrumentation and monitoring was consistent with standards of practice;
- appropriateness of methods and input parameters for geotechnical analyses;
- materials, methods, procedures, and quality assurance/quality control practices for dam construction and modification, and a determination with respect to whether or not construction was completed in general conformance with the design;
- water balance and water quality as they relate to the TSF breach;
- operational procedures and planning for tailings deposition and water management;
- inspection and surveillance procedures and implementation;
- the engineer of record's field reviews to ensure that construction was in conformance with design;
- regulatory oversight by the Ministry of Energy and Mines and the Ministry of Environment; and
- other matters the Panel deems appropriate to be examined.

#### Panel Members

The panel members are:

- Norbert Morgenstern
- Steven G. Vick
- Dirk Van Zyl

The panel will be chaired by Norbert Morgenstern.

A liaison will be appointed in consultation with the Williams Lake Indian Band and the Soda Creek Indian Band.

#### Secretariat to the Panel

Administrative, technical and procedural support required by the Panel shall be provided by a secretariat.

Kevin Richter will manage the secretariat in support and under the direction of the Panel.

#### Information to be provided to the Panel

The Panel will be supplied with all available information necessary for achieving its purpose and performing its functions.

#### **Timeline**

The Panel will submit a final report to the Minister of Energy and Mines and the Williams Lake Indian Band and the Soda Creek Indian Band on or before January 31, 2015.

#### **Limitations**

The panel shall perform its duties without expressing any conclusions or recommendations regarding the potential civil or criminal liability of any person or organization. The panel shall further ensure that the conduct of the inquiry does not in any way impede or conflict with any other ongoing investigation or proceeding related to these matters. Specifically, the Panel's review will not in any way impede investigations conducted by mines inspectors, Conservation Officers or other regulatory agencies and any related proceedings.

#### **Independent Engineering Investigation and Inquiry Panel Members Biographies:**

The panel members have been appointed by government with the support of the Soda Creek and Williams Lake Indian Bands.

The Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of British Columbia (APEGBC), and the Institute of Mining Engineering at the University of British Columbia also provided input on the panel members.

The panel members are experienced geotechnical experts with expertise in tailings management facilities. They are:

##### **Norbert (Nordie) Morgenstern**

Norbert Morgenstern is a well-recognized leader in the field of geotechnical engineering and has extensive experience in dam engineering (having worked on over 140 dam projects worldwide). Nordie is recognized as a distinguished university professor (Emeritus) of civil engineering at the University of Alberta where he previously held the role of chair of the department of civil and environmental engineering. He has released over 330 publications in the field of engineering. He is heavily involved in the engineering community having held the role of Member, Chair, Vice President, or President on an extensive list of technical committees worldwide, and has received a plethora of honours and awards throughout his career.

##### **Dirk van Zyl**

Dirk J. A. Van Zyl has more than 30 years' experience in research, teaching, and consulting in tailings and mined earth structures. During that period, he was a faculty member for 13 years at four universities in the U.S.A. and Canada. For the last ten years, much of his attention has been focused on mining and sustainable development. Dirk has been involved internationally in many mining projects which covered the whole mining life cycle, from exploration to closure and post-closure, in a large range of climactic and geographic environments. His present research is in the area of the contributions that mining makes to sustainable development, as well as the application of life cycle assessment to mined earth structures.



**Steven G. Vick**

A leader in the field of dam engineering, Steve Vick is a geotechnical engineer and internationally recognized review consultant who has worked with various engineering firms, project proponents and governments. In addition to extensive experience working on projects located in B.C., Vick has wide-ranging experience in both technical review and forensic investigations, including chairing the investigation of the Omai tailings dam failure for the government of Guyana and participating in the investigation of the New Orleans levee failures that occurred during Hurricane Katrina. Vick has written two books, including *Planning, Design, and Analysis of Tailings Dams*, which is the only text of its kind that has remained in print for over 30 years and is familiar to most experts in the field. Vick has released numerous other publications related to dam safety and various aspects of risk analyses throughout his career and also speaks on the subject frequently—his most recent keynote lecture was entitled “The Consequences of Tailings Dam Failure”. He holds undergraduate and graduate degrees from MIT.

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August 10, 2014

File: Order 107461

Mount Polley Mining Corporation  
Suite 200 – 580 Hornby St  
Vancouver BC V6C 3B6

To Whom It May Concern:

**RE: Pollution Abatement Order 107461**

Thank you for submitting your action plan, as required by Section 6, and for submitting a list of qualified professionals, as required by Section 2 of Order 107461, to the Ministry of Environment by August 6, 2014.

Upon reviewing the action plan, I am generally satisfied with the plan provided, however, to fully satisfy Section 6 of the Order, I request that Mount Polley Mining Corporation:

- i. Provide in writing to the Ministry of Environment more detail on how to recover mine affected material and sediment:
  - a. while diverting water from Polley Lake (e.g. log booms and silt screens), and
  - b. once safe access to Hazeltine Creek is possible;
- ii. Provide in writing to the Ministry of Environment more detail on how to mitigate residual risk to the environment from mine-affected material;
- iii. Provide, in addition to the daily calls, a written report by 4pm on Friday each week to the Ministry of Environment that includes a high level summary of:
  - a. monitoring that occurred during the week and what is planned for the upcoming week, including where sampling is occurring and what is being sampled for;
  - b. any modifications to the sampling/monitoring program;
  - c. any gaps identified in the monitoring program and next actions;
  - d. visual observations from each day during sampling (e.g. impacts); and
  - e. a list of all the sampling sites with a map that is updated as it changes and provided as soon as possible;
- iv. Additionally, it is expected that the detailed comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment required under Section 7 of the Order will address and consider the following:
  - a. Water quality should be analysed for all parameters that may be impacted due to the tailings release and subsequent environmental effects (e.g. debris introduction into lakes);

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- b. Sediment analysis should focus on fine sediment, less than 63 micron (see Baseline Guidance Document referenced below);
- c. Water sampling in Quesnel River downstream should be determined based on sample results upstream (if levels exceed guidelines, downstream sites need to be sampled);
- d. Sediment toxicity sampling in Hazeltine Creel up and downstream should be conducted whenever something changes in the sediment, e.g. when new tailings or sediments are moved into the area.

Please be advised that field and lab methods should follow the Water and Air Baseline Monitoring Guidance for Mine Proponents and Operators ([http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/epd/industrial/mining/pdf/water\\_air\\_baseline\\_monitoring.pdf](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/epd/industrial/mining/pdf/water_air_baseline_monitoring.pdf)) and the BC Field Sampling Manual ([http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/data\\_searches/field\\_sampling\\_manual/field\\_man\\_03.html](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/data_searches/field_sampling_manual/field_man_03.html)).

Section 2 of the Order is satisfied.

Sincerely,



Cassandra Caunce  
For Director, *Environmental Management Act*

cc: Al Hoffman, Chief Inspector, Ministry of Energy and Mines  
Dale Reimer, Mine Manager  
Colleen Hughes, Environmental Coordinator



Date: August 5, 2014

File: 107461

MOUNT POLLEY MINING  
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### **POLLUTION ABATEMENT ORDER**

I have reasonable grounds to believe that pollution is being caused by the discharge of mine tailings from the tailings storage facility at the Mount Polley Mine site into the environment. The discharge is occurring from a property located approximately 5 kilometers southeast of Likely, BC and is legally described as Mineral Claim CB-20, Cariboo Mining Division, Cariboo Land District, owned and/or operated by MOUNT POLLEY MINING CORPORATION.

It has been reported to the Ministry of Environment that on Monday, August 4, 2014 mine tailings escaped an impoundment facility via a dam breach on the above-mentioned property. Further investigation has revealed that a significant volume of materials have left the property and impacted Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek and Quesnel Lake.

Pursuant to Section 83 of the *Environmental Management Act* [SBC 2003] Chapter 53, MOUNT POLLEY MINING CORPORATION is hereby ordered to comply with the following requirements:

1. Immediately take action, under the direction of a suitably qualified professional, to abate the discharge of mine-affected materials and sediments from the impoundment facility, and specifically into Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek and Quesnel Lake. A written summary of actions taken must be submitted to the Director on August 13, 2014
2. Immediately retain a suitably qualified professional to initiate a preliminary Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and provide the name of the qualified professional to the Director for approval by August 6, 2014.
3. Retain a suitably qualified professional to initiate a comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and provide the name of the qualified professional to the Director for approval by August 13, 2014.

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4. Upon completion of the preliminary EIA, immediately implement clean up activities, mitigation measures and management actions as required by the EIA.
5. Upon completion of the comprehensive EIA, immediately implement clean up activities, mitigation measures, site restoration and management actions as required by the comprehensive EIA.
6. Based on the preliminary EIA, develop and submit to the Director by August 6, 2014 for approval, an Action Plan detailing measures relative to the preliminary EIA to be taken to:
  - a. Characterize the materials that were released into the receiving environment (including their expected behaviour in the receiving environment, settling rates, etc.);
  - b. Recover or otherwise manage mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment;
  - c. Mitigate residual risks to the environment;
  - d. Assess and monitor the impacts and risks posed by the mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment, as well as from the recovery and management efforts themselves; and
  - e. Report on the implementation of Action Plan measures on a weekly basis to regulatory agencies and stakeholders.
7. Based on the comprehensive EIA, develop and submit to the Director by August 15, 2014 for approval, an Action Plan detailing measures relative to the comprehensive EIA to be taken to:
  - a. Fully characterize the materials that were released into the receiving environment (including their expected behaviour in the receiving environment, settling rates, etc.);
  - b. Fully recover or otherwise manage mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment;
  - c. Define Site mitigation and/or mitigate residual risks to the environment;
  - d. Assess and monitor the impacts and risks posed by the mine-affected materials and sediments currently in the receiving environment, as well as from the recovery and management efforts themselves; and
  - e. Report on the implementation of Action Plan measures on a weekly basis to regulatory agencies and stakeholders

8. Prepare and submit a formal written update by September 15, 2014. The update report is to include at a minimum:
  - a. A list of all other qualified professionals who contributed to the report, and a summary of their qualifications;
  - b. A summary of the preliminary EIA and results;
  - c. A summary of the comprehensive EIA and results;
  - e. A description of clean up activities, mitigation measures, site restoration and management actions that were implemented as a result of the preliminary and comprehensive EIA;
  - f. Recommendations for additional mitigation and restoration measures, if appropriate; and
  - g. A proposed ongoing monitoring program.

Failure to comply with the requirements of this order is a contravention of the *Environmental Management Act* and may result in legal action. I direct your attention to Section 120(10) of the *Environmental Management Act*, which reads:

*"(10) A person who contravenes an order...that is given, made or imposed under this Act by a ...director...commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$300 000 or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both."*

Failure to comply with the requirements of this order may also result in an administrative penalty under the *Administrative Penalties Regulation (Environmental Management Act)* (B.C. Reg 133/2014) (Regulation). I direct your attention to Section 12(4) of the *Regulation*, which reads:

*"(4) A person who fails to comply with an order under the [Environmental Management] Act is liable to an administrative penalty not exceeding \$40 000."*

This order does not authorize entry upon, crossing over, or use for any purpose of private or crown lands or works, unless and except as authorized by the owner of such lands or works. The responsibility for obtaining such authority rests with you. It is also your responsibility to ensure that all activities are carried out with due regard for the rights of third parties, and comply with other applicable legislation that may be in force, such as municipal bylaws relating to the discharge of waste to municipal storm or sanitary sewers.

This decision may be appealed to the Environmental Appeal Board in accordance with Part 8 of the *Environmental Management Act*. An appeal must be delivered within 30 days from the date notice is given. For further information, please contact the Environmental Appeal Board at (250) 387-3464.

If you have any questions, please call the undersigned or Jack Green at (250) 398-4544.

Yours truly,



Hubert Bunce  
for Director, Environmental Management Act  
Vancouver Island Region

cc: Environment Canada  
Al Hoffman, Chief Inspector, Ministry of Energy and Mines  
Dale Reimer, Mine Manager  
Colleen Hughes, Environmental Coordinator

**Weir, David J FLNR:EX**

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 1:07 PM  
**To:** McCarthy, Christine A MNGD:EX  
**Subject:** Mt Polley

Hello Christine, I apologize for incorrectly sending you e-mails on Mt Polley. Please delete all of them as they were sent to you in error.

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**From:** Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 12:05 PM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Fenwick, Leigh-Ann FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** embedded debris

Dave, please keep Leigh-Ann in the loop on behalf of EP as she is leading their project.

djh

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 11:51 AM  
**To:** XT:Carpenter, Penny FLNR:IN  
**Cc:** McCarthy, Christine A MNGD:EX; Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: confirmations

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**To:** MacDougall, Gerry L FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Vanderburgh, Ken FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Hazeltine freshet prep

We have been provided with a document concerning the control of sediment on Hazeltine creek but I have not been able to review it yet. I think they are looking at three ponds but things may have changed. It is possible they may have to look at a control structure on Polley lake if the pumping is not successful but have only heard rumours on this.

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**From:** MacDougall, Gerry L FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 4, 2014 6:46 AM  
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**From:** McCarthy, Christine A MNGD:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 8:10 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Out of Office: Embedded debris removal?

I am out of the office until Monday September 15th and will not be monitoring my emails. I will respond once I return.

For Petroleum Titles Online BCeID activation for Posting Land, please contact Elle Bardol at [Elle.Bardol@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Elle.Bardol@gov.bc.ca) or Mel Henze at [Mel.Henze@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mel.Henze@gov.bc.ca)

For immediate assistance with Tenure Management items please call Cindy Kocol at 250-952-0342 or Terry Branscombe at 250-952-0340 ([terrence.branscombe@gov.bc.ca](mailto:terrence.branscombe@gov.bc.ca)).

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**To:** Stolar, Harold B FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** XT:Carpenter, Penny FLNR:IN; McCarthy, Christine A MNGD:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Embedded debris removal?

The order only restricts removal of imbedded debris at Hazeltine creek. Operational issues such as skidding logs would be addressed by SOP's from their professional biologist.

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**From:** Beadman, Krista FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 4, 2014 4:41 PM  
**To:** FLNR Cariboo Region All Staff  
**Subject:** Key Messages August 2014

### **RMT Key Messages August 2014**

The August face to face RMT meeting took place on Thursday, August 7.

Some key items from the meeting:

**Mt. Polley Mine** – David Weir provided updates and answered questions regarding the Mt. Polley Mine tailings pond breach that took place on August 4. FLNR staff are continuing to support and provide expertise to the Ministry of Environment and Ministry of Energy and Mines. Harold Stolar and David Weir flew over Mt. Polley and the surrounding area in the days following the breach. Below are pictures taken during their flight:







Jennifer McGuire (Ministry of Environment) conducted a Live Meeting regarding the Mt. Polley tailings pond breach on August 27.

The Ministry of Environment has been providing updates if you would like more information:  
<http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/eemp/incidents/2014/mount-polley.htm>

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**September RMT** – The September 10 & 11 RMT Face to Face meeting will be on the road to Quesnell! Day 1 will be the meeting portion and Day 2 will be the field day.

*If you have a story you would like to share, please email me your idea.  
Stay tuned for the next edition of Key Messages in September!*

Krista Beadman  
Regional Administrative Assistant  
Cariboo Region  
Ministry of Forests, Lands & Natural Resource Operations  
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**From:** Colleen Hughes <chughes@mountpolley.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 28, 2014 8:18 AM  
**To:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX; Howe, Diane J MEM:EX; Demchuk, Tania MEM:EX; Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX; Swan, Chris L ENV:EX; Metcalfe, Shelley ENV:EX; Epps, Deb ENV:EX; Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Jack Love; Luke Moger; Katie McMahan; Greg Wenger  
**Subject:** Follow up from Augsut 27 3pm call

Good Morning All

There were three items requiring follow up from yesterday's call.

1. Regarding the second pipeline from Polley Lake, how will we be bringing the new pumps online? The pumps will be turned on one at a time. We will follow Katie's monitoring plan (sent yesterday) as each pump comes on.
2. What is our plan for monitoring at the mouth of Hazeltine Creek once the second pipeline is functioning? We are currently in the process of assessing the options for monitoring and sediment control. A crew from SNC Lavalin are walking the creek today assessing the tailings deposits and will make recommendations for moving forward with pumping.
3. A request was made for information regarding the hazard mitigation plan for the Polley Lake Plug. Please see memo from Greg Wenger below.

Regards,

**Colleen Hughes, EP**  
**Environmental Coordinator**  
**Mount Polley Mining Corporation**  
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**From:** Greg Wenger [<mailto:GWenger@bgcengineering.ca>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 27, 2014 6:00 PM  
**To:** Colleen Hughes  
**Cc:** Luke Moger  
**Subject:** Polley Lake Sediment Plug Hazard Mitigation Plan Summary

Colleen,

Below is a quick summary of the Polley lake sediment plug hazard mitigation plan as discussed on the conference call with the ministry representatives today:

The project requires personnel to access the Hazeltine Creek channel downstream of the sediment plug that is restricting outflow from Polley Lake. The potential for a sudden release of water and/or sediment exists and poses a

hazard for personnel working in the creek channel downstream of the sediment plug. Works undertaken to date to reduce the potential of a sudden release of water and/or sediment include:

- Reducing the water level in Polley lake via pumping through a diversion pipe
- Control of water dam breach and Long ditch flows onto the sediment plug via sumps and pumping

As part of a hazard mitigation plan, BGC is preparing a sediment plug monitoring plan for MPMC, which will include periodic:

- Visual inspections of the extent of moist and wet soil zones in the plug.
- Monitoring for seepage at the downstream limits of the sediment plug
- Monitoring of Polley Lake water levels
- Visual inspections for potential erosion of plug materials from rainfall runoff.
- Monitoring of continued control of the dam breach and Long ditch inflows onto the sediment plug.

Other aspects of the hazard mitigation plan being coordinated by MPMC will include:

- Full time monitoring of the plug outlet by a spotter when personnel are in the downstream creek channel.
- A radio alert system
- Radio check-in and check-out procedures
- Job Safety Assessments (JSA) by each person/group entering the downstream creek bed to determine entry and exit points and evacuation limits.
- A no-entry zone where Hazeltine Creek is deeply incised and exit times cannot be completed in a timely manner.

I hope this summary meets your needs while the safe work plan is being finalized.

**BGC ENGINEERING INC.**

per:

**Greg Wenger, M.Eng.**  
Geotechnical Engineer

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**Subject:** FW: Critical Tasks and Initial Schedule Mnt Polley Tailings Breach EIA  
**Attachments:** Critical Task Workflow\_Schedule\_Draft\_August 26 2014.pdf; Mt Polley Project Schedule\_Draft(as of 140826).pdf

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**From:** Jack Love [<mailto:JLove@imperialmetals.com>]  
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Hi Hubert and Cassandra,

Attached are two additional documents outlining the schedules and tasks for review and discussion. I look forward to further discussions and collaboration as we work through the various assessments and activities.

Regards,  
Jack

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**MEMORANDUM**

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TO:	Mr. Jack Love	Date:	August 26, 2014
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The Comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment (CEIA) workplan is structured to consist of three parallel components in order to mitigate the mine tailings breach: Environmental Impact Assessment; Environmental Effects Monitoring and Mitigation/Rehabilitation of the impacted area. To facilitate these components eight (8) concurrently conducted tasks are undertaken to link the data collection of the region in order to best mitigate the impact and restore the area to pre-impact conditions. Each of the components incorporates the data at different times and forms with the use of an overall Risk Assessment approach throughout the process to inform the critical path.

Tasks and subtasks referred to in this memo are identified according to the Task numbering in the accompanying GANTT chart. The concurrent tasks consist of:

- 3.1 - Hydrology Impact Assessment;
- 3.2 - Water Quality Impact Assessment;
- 3.3 - Soil Quality Impact Assessment;
- 3.4 - Sediment Impact Assessment;
- 3.5 - Terrestrial Impact Assessment;
- 3.6 - Fish and Aquatic Habitat Impact Assessment;
- 3.7 - Archeological Impact Assessment; and,
- 3.8 - Environmental Risk Assessment.

The Water Quality Impact Assessment (Task 3.2) to Fish and Aquatic Habitat Impact Assessment (Task 3.6) Tasks produce information that informs the quantitative Environmental Risk Assessment Task, with the early project phase subtasks of Task 3.6 being used to identify data gaps, focus on critical uncertainties and also guide/refine the monitoring program and Tasks 3.2 through 3.6 work programs



where necessary to ensure impacts are identified in the critical stages. The results of Tasks 3.2 through 3.6 ultimately are used in whole or in part in the Detailed Quantitative risk assessment subtask of Task 3.8 in order to identify areas of the site requiring management and site management options.

There are multiple critical paths within the CEIA. These critical paths are identified below:

### **TASK 3.1 HYDROLOGY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

The overall Task 3.1 objective is channel design and construction to rehabilitate Hazeltine Creek if determined to be the most environmentally beneficial to the ecology and aquatic wellbeing. To meet this objective, a number of concurrent Task 1 subtasks need to be completed. The critical subtasks, in order of timing are:

- 3.1.1 - Data review and gap analysis,
- 3.1.6 - Hydrometric gauging and sediment discharge assessment
- 3.1.9 - Channel design and construction

### **TASK 3.2 - WATER QUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

Task 3.2 results provide information on sediment plume dispersion and delineation and provide water quality information that is utilized in Task 3.8. There are two critical paths in Task 3.2. The Task 3.2 critical path that link to Task 3.8 consists of the following subtasks, in order of timing:

- 3.2.1 - Data review and gap analysis; and,
- 3.2.2 and 3.2.3 Water quality sampling.

The second Task 3.2 critical path which identifies sediment plume extent consists of the following subtasks, in order of timing:

- 3.2.4 - Plume delineation field program;
- 3.2.5 - Plume Model development; and,
- 3.2.6.3 - Detailed report related to plume delineation.





### **TASK 3.3 - SOIL QUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

The output of Task 3.3 will be utilized in Task 3.8. The critical path for Task 3.3 subtasks, in order of timing is as follows:

- 3.3.1 to 3.3.3 Data gap and sampling programs; and,
- 3.3.4 – Reporting related to outcome of the soil impact assessment.

### **TASK 3.4 SEDIMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

Task 3.4 results provide sediment characterization information which will be incorporated into Task 3.2 to provide additional data on sediment plume extents and in Task 3.8. The Task 3.4 critical path that links to Task 3.4 and Task 3.8 consists of the following subtasks, in order of timing:

- 3.4.1 Data review and gap analysis;
- 3.4.2 Tier 1 and Tier 2 sediment sampling; and,
- 3.4.3 Reporting related to sediment characterization.

### **TASK 3.5 - TERRESTRIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

The output of Task 3.5 will be utilized in Task 3.8. The critical path for Task 3.5 subtasks, in order of timing is as follows:

- 3.5.1 Data review and gap analysis;
- 3.5.2 to 3.5.4 Field activities;
- 3.5.5 Analysis and Assessment; and
- 3.5.6 Reporting of analysis and assessment results. identified in the schedule – for work leading to Task 3.8.

**Note:**

Some tasks may require work to discontinue at the point the data is collected before continuing. Some tasks will be analyzed during the field programs to determine additional scope.



### **TASK - 3.6 - FISH AND AQUATIC HABITAT IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

The output of Task 3.6 will be utilized in Task 3.8. The critical path for Task 3.6 subtasks, in order of timing is as follows:

- 3.6.1 Data review and gap analysis;
- 3.6.2 to 3.6.4 Fish, community and habitat assessments; and,
- 3.6.6 Reporting related to results of Tasks 3.6.2 to 3.6.4.

### **TASK - 3.7 - ARCHEOLOGICAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

The objective of Task 3.7 is to identify impacts to archaeological and traditional land use sites caused by the tailings release from the TSF and potential impacts that may occur to these sites as a result of clean-up and reclamation work. The critical path for Task 3.7 subtasks, in order of timing is as follows:

- 3.7.1 and 3.7.2 Data collection and review and preliminary field reconnaissance;
- 3.7.4.3.1 Preliminary assessment reporting
- 3.7.3 Archeological inventory assessment; and,
- 3.7.4.3.2 Archeological inventory assessment reporting.

### **3.8 - ENVIRONMENTAL RISK ASSESSMENT**

There is one critical path for Task 3.8, with information from other tasks as identified above informing the final stage of the risk assessment (Task 3.8.4). The critical path for Task 3.8, in order of timing is as follows:

- 3.8.1 and 3.8.2 data review, gap analysis and problem formulation;
- 3.8.3 Preliminary risk assessment in addition to Task 3.2 to 3.6 results; and,
- 3.8.4 Detailed quantitative risk assessment.

Work conducted in later stages of the CEIA may be subject to change based on the outcome of preceding stages of work. The critical path for the CEIA will include detailed reporting for soil, sediment and surface water in February-March of 2015.

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1	<b>1 Erosion and Sediment Mitigation</b>	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31				
2	1.1 Hazeltine Creek Water Management (options under consideration)	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31				
3	1.2 Spawning Salmon Accommodation (options under consideration)	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31				
4	<b>2 Hazeltine Creek Rehabilitation Program</b>	215 days?	Mon 14/11/03	Fri 16/06/28				
5	2.1 Creek Rehabilitation - Timing Option 1	65 days?	Mon 14/11/03	Fri 16/01/16				
6	2.2 Creek Rehabilitation - Timing Option 2	65 days?	Mon 15/06/01	Fri 16/06/28				
7	<b>3 CEIA and Monitoring</b>	631 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
8	3.1 Hydrology Impact Assessment	611 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
9	3.1.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/05	Thu 14/08/25				
10	3.1.2 Channel Assessment	34 days	Wed 14/08/17	Thu 14/10/30				
11	3.1.3 Time Series / LIDAR	98 days?	Thu 14/08/04	Thu 15/01/15				
12	3.1.4 RTK GPS Survey	34 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/10/28				
13	3.1.5 Regional Hydrological Analysis	120 days	Thu 14/08/04	Mon 15/02/16				
14	3.1.6 Hydrometric Gauges and Sediment Discharge	274 days?	Wed 14/08/17	Thu 15/10/01				
15	3.1.7 Assessment of Tailings - Channel & Floodplain	34 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/10/28				
16	3.1.8 Hydraulic Analysis	142 days	Wed 14/08/17	Tue 15/03/31				
17	3.1.9 Channel Design and Construction	175 days	Mon 15/02/16	Fri 15/10/16				
18	3.1.10 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 16/12/30				
19	3.1.10.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
20	3.1.10.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30				
21	3.1.10.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
22	<b>3.2 Water Quality Impact Assessment</b>	631 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
23	3.2.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	227 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 16/07/10				
24	3.2.1.1 Historical WQ data - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L & R	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29				
25	3.2.1.1.1 Assembly & synthesis of historical data into data mgmt system	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29				
26	3.2.1.1.2 Data and Gap analysis	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29				
27	3.2.1.1.3 Historical data reporting	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29				
28	3.2.1.2 Physical & bathymetric data for plume model development	22 days	Tue 14/08/02	Tue 14/09/30				
29	3.2.1.2.1 Assembly & synthesis of historical data into data mgmt system	22 days	Tue 14/08/02	Tue 14/09/30				
30	3.2.1.2.2 Physical data reporting	7 days	Mon 14/08/22	Tue 14/09/30				
31	3.2.1.3 Geochemical investigation data sets	217 days	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 15/07/10				
32	3.2.1.3.1 Review pre-existing geochem data sets to inform sampling program	21 days	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 14/10/10				
33	3.2.1.3.2 Review SRK geochem data set (static) to inform soil sampling program	14 days	Tue 14/11/11	Fri 14/11/28				
34	3.2.1.3.3 Review SRK geochem data set (leachate) to inform soil sampling program	14 days	Tue 15/06/23	Fri 15/07/10				
35	<b>3.2.2 Water Quality Sampling - Polley L, Quesnel L, lower Hazeltine Cr</b>	280 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Thu 15/07/30				
36	3.2.2.1 Quesnel L, Polley L, Upper Quesnel R WQ sampling plan development	22 days	Mon 14/08/01	Mon 14/09/29				
37	3.2.2.2 Lower Hazeltine Cr WQ sampling plan development	24 days	Tue 14/08/30	Thu 14/10/30				
38	3.2.2.3 Implementation of WQ field sampling plans for Quesnel L, Upper Quesnel R & Polley L	260 days	Tue 14/08/05	Thu 15/07/30				
39	3.2.2.4 Implementation of WQ field plan for lower Hazeltine Cr	44 days	Tue 14/08/02	Wed 14/10/29				
40	<b>3.2.3 Event based water quality sampling</b>	232 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 15/07/31				
41	3.2.3.1 Event based WQ plan development	12 days	Mon 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/29				
42	3.2.3.2 Event based WQ plan implementation	220 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 15/07/31				
43	<b>3.2.4 Plume Delineation Field Program</b>	250 days?	Wed 14/08/27	Fri 15/08/07				
44	3.2.5 Groundwater Quality	232 days?	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 15/07/31				
45	3.2.5.1 Installation of up to 5 shallow piezometers immediately down gradient of main tailings volumes	13 days?	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
46	3.2.5.2 Event based WQ plan implementation	220 days?	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 15/07/31				
47	<b>3.2.6 Plume Model Development</b>	38 days?	Wed 14/10/01	Fri 14/11/21				
48	3.2.7 Geochemical Modeling	261 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31				
49	3.2.7.1 As needed use of PHREEQC to analyse WQ data set	261 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31				
50	<b>3.2.8 Reporting</b>	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 16/12/30				
51	3.2.8.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
52	3.2.8.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30				
53	3.2.8.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
54	3.2.8.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13				
55	<b>3.3 Soil Quality Impact Assessment</b>	612 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 16/12/30				
56	3.3.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/02	Thu 14/08/25				
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251	3.3.2 Drilling Program (3-5 days)	14 days	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/19				
252	3.3.3 Transect Sampling	10 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 14/09/19				
253	3.3.4 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 18/12/30				
254	3.3.4.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
324	3.3.4.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 18/12/30				
353	3.3.4.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
354	3.3.4.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13				
355	3.4 Sediment Impact Assessment	623 days	Fri 14/09/15	Fri 18/12/30				
356	3.4.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis - Historical sediment quality - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	47 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 14/10/31				
357	3.4.1.1 Review existing source chemistry to identify analytes of potential concern	23 days	Mon 14/09/01	Tue 14/09/30				
358	3.4.1.2 Compile, review and synthesize historical sediment quality data	47 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 14/10/31				
359	3.4.1.3 Complete the gap analysis on sediment quality data	47 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 14/10/31				
360	3.4.1.4 Historical sediment quality data reporting	47 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 14/10/31				
361	3.4.2 Sediment Quality Sampling - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
362	3.4.2.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
363	3.4.2.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
364	3.4.2.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
365	3.4.2.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
366	3.4.3 Sediment Geochemical Characterization - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
367	3.4.3.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
368	3.4.3.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
369	3.4.3.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
370	3.4.3.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
371	3.4.4 Sediment Tox Testing & Benthic Invertebrate Community Char - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
372	3.4.4.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
373	3.4.4.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/09/15	Mon 14/09/15				
374	3.4.4.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
375	3.4.4.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
376	3.4.5 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 18/12/30				
377	3.4.5.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
447	3.4.5.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 18/12/30				
476	3.4.5.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
477	3.4.5.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13				
478	3.5 Terrestrial Impact Assessment	610 days	Wed 14/09/03	Fri 18/12/30				
479	3.5.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	21 days	Wed 14/09/03	Tue 14/09/30				
480	3.5.2 Field - Preliminary Assessment and Surveys	22 days	Wed 14/09/03	Wed 14/10/01				
481	3.5.3 Timed Wildlife Surveys	265 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 15/09/16				
482	3.5.4 Follow-up Field Activities (as required - tentative)	173 days	Thu 15/01/01	Mon 15/08/31				
483	3.5.5 Analysis and Assessment	15 days	Mon 14/09/28	Fri 14/10/17				
484	3.5.6 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 18/12/30				
485	3.5.6.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
555	3.5.6.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 18/12/30				
584	3.5.6.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
585	3.6 Fish and Aquatic Impact Assessment	611 days	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 18/12/30				
586	3.6.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/09/02	Thu 14/09/25				
587	3.6.2 Fish Assessments	306 days	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 15/10/30				
588	3.6.2.1 Fish species determination	194 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/05/29				
589	3.6.2.2 Fish spawning surveys	194 days	Tue 14/09/02	Wed 15/05/27				
590	3.6.2.3 Fish growth & performance	304 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/10/30				
591	3.6.2.4 Fish survival	304 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/10/30				
592	3.6.2.5 Fish migration corridors	194 days	Tue 14/09/02	Wed 15/05/27				
593	3.6.3 Community Assessment	304 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/10/30				
594	3.6.3.1 Benthic invertebrates	304 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/10/30				
595	3.6.3.2 Phytoplankton, periphyton, macrophyte	194 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/05/29				
596	3.6.3.3 Fish community	194 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 15/05/29				
597	3.6.4 Habitat Assessments (riparian, shoreline, benthic)	44 days	Thu 14/09/04	Fri 14/10/31				
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598	3.6.5 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 16/12/30				
599	3.6.5.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
609	3.6.5.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30				
608	3.6.5.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30				
699	3.7 Archaeological Impact Assessment	611 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 16/12/30				
700	3.7.1 Data Review and Collection	20 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/26				
701	3.7.2 Preliminary Field Reconnaissance	8 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/12				
702	3.7.3 Archaeological Inventory Assessment	14 days	Tue 14/10/07	Fri 14/10/24				
703	3.7.4 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 16/12/30				
704	3.7.4.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
774	3.7.4.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30				
803	3.7.4.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	59 days	Thu 14/09/11	Fri 14/11/29				
804	3.7.4.3.1 Preliminary Reconnaissance Report	24 days	Thu 14/09/11	Mon 14/10/13				
905	3.7.4.3.2 AIA Final Report	26 days	Sat 14/10/25	Fri 14/11/28				
806	3.8 Environmental Risk Assessment	612 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 16/12/30				
807	3.8.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	45 days	Mon 14/09/01	Wed 14/10/29				
908	3.8.2 Problem Formulation	14 days	Wed 14/10/15	Fri 14/10/31				
909	3.8.3 Preliminary Risk Assessment	304 days	Mon 14/11/03	Thu 15/12/31				
810	3.8.4 Detailed Quantitative Risk Assessment	261 days	Fri 18/01/01	Fri 18/12/30				
811	3.9 Monitoring Program	366 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/25				
812	3.9.1 Program in progress - to continue as determined by assessment work	262 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Mon 15/08/31				
813	3.9.2 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
883	3.10 Project Management	627 days	Mon 14/08/11	Fri 16/12/30				
884	3.10.1 Development of Work Plans	14 days	Mon 14/08/11	Thu 14/08/28				
885	3.10.2 Issuance of Work Plans	1 day	Fri 14/08/29	Fri 14/08/29				
886	3.10.3 Issuance of Project Schedule	1 day	Tue 14/08/26	Tue 14/08/26				08/26
887	3.10.4 Critical Task Pathway	1 day	Tue 14/08/26	Tue 14/08/26				08/26
888	3.10.5 Weekly WBS, Schedule, Budget Updates	613 days	Fri 14/08/29	Fri 16/12/30				

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1	<b>1 Erosion and Sediment Mitigation</b>	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31														
2	1.1 Hazeltine Creek Water Management (options under consideration)	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31														
3	1.2 Spawning Salmon Accommodation (options under consideration)	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31														
4	<b>2 Hazeltine Creek Rehabilitation Program</b>	216 days?	Mon 14/11/02	Fri 15/09/28														
5	2.1 Creek Rehabilitation - Timing Option 1	55 days?	Mon 14/11/03	Fri 16/01/16														
6	2.2 Creek Rehabilitation - Timing Option 2	55 days?	Mon 15/06/01	Fri 15/09/28														
7	<b>3 CEJA and Monitoring</b>	631 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30														
8	3.1 Hydrology Impact Assessment	611 days	Tue 14/08/02	Fri 16/12/30														
9	3.1.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/02	Thu 14/08/25														
10	3.1.2 Channel Assessment	34 days	Wed 14/08/17	Thu 14/10/30														
11	3.1.3 Time Series / LIDAR	98 days	Thu 14/08/04	Thu 15/01/15														
12	3.1.4 RTK GPS Survey	34 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/10/28														
13	3.1.5 Regional Hydrological Analysis	120 days	Thu 14/08/04	Mon 15/02/16														
14	3.1.6 Hydrometric Gauges and Sediment Discharge	274 days	Wed 14/08/17	Thu 15/10/01														
15	3.1.7 Assessment of Tailings - Channel & Floodplain	34 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/10/28														
16	3.1.8 Hydraulic Analysis	142 days	Wed 14/08/17	Tue 15/03/31														
17	3.1.9 Channel Dosing and Construction	175 days	Mon 15/02/16	Fri 15/10/16														
18	3.1.10 Reporting	606 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30														
19	3.1.10.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 15/12/25														
20	3.1.10.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 16/12/30														
21	3.1.10.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30														
22	<b>3.2 Water Quality Impact Assessment</b>	631 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30														
23	3.2.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	227 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 16/07/10														
24	3.2.1.1 Historical WQ data - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L & R	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29														
25	3.2.1.1.1 Assembly & synthesis of historical data into data mgmt system	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29														
26	3.2.1.1.2 Data and Gap analysis	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29														
27	3.2.1.1.3 Historical data reporting	45 days	Mon 14/08/01	Wed 14/10/29														
28	3.2.1.2 Physical & bathymetric data for plume model development	22 days	Tue 14/08/02	Tue 14/08/30														
29	3.2.1.2.1 Assembly & synthesis of historical data into data mgmt system	22 days	Tue 14/08/02	Tue 14/08/30														
30	3.2.1.2.2 Physical data reporting	7 days	Mon 14/08/22	Tue 14/08/30														
31	3.2.1.3 Geochemical Investigation data sets	217 days	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 15/07/10														
32	3.2.1.3.1 Review pre-existing geochem data sets to inform sampling program	21 days	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 14/10/10														
33	3.2.1.3.2 Review SRK geochem data set (static) to inform soil sampling program	14 days	Tue 14/11/11	Fri 14/11/28														
34	3.2.1.3.3 Review SRK geochem data set (leachate) to inform soil sampling program	14 days	Tue 15/06/23	Fri 15/07/10														
35	3.2.2 Water Quality Sampling - Polley L, Quesnel L, lower Hazeltine Cr	260 days	Tue 14/08/05	Thu 15/07/30														
36	3.2.2.1 Quesnel L, Polley L, Upper Quesnel R WQ sampling plan development	22 days	Mon 14/08/01	Mon 14/08/29														
37	3.2.2.2 Lower Hazeltine Cr WQ sampling plan development	24 days	Tue 14/08/30	Thu 14/10/30														
38	3.2.2.3 Implementation of WQ field sampling plans for Quesnel L, Upper Quesnel R & Polley L	260 days	Tue 14/08/05	Thu 15/07/30														
39	3.2.2.4 Implementation of WQ field plan for lower Hazeltine Cr	44 days	Tue 14/08/02	Wed 14/10/29														
40	3.2.3 Event based water quality sampling	232 days	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 15/07/31														
41	3.2.3.1 Event based WQ plan development	12 days	Mon 14/08/15	Mon 14/08/29														
42	3.2.3.2 Event based WQ plan implementation	220 days	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 15/07/31														
43	3.2.4 Plume Delineation Field Program	250 days?	Wed 14/08/27	Fri 15/08/07														
44	3.2.5 Groundwater Quality	232 days?	Mon 14/08/15	Fri 15/07/31														
45	3.2.5.1 Installation of up to 5 shallow piezometers immediately down gradient of main tailings volumes	13 days?	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30														
46	3.2.5.2 Event based WQ plan implementation	220 days?	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 15/07/31														
47	3.2.6 Plume Model Development	39 days?	Wed 14/10/01	Fri 14/11/21														
48	3.2.7 Geochemical Modeling	261 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31														
49	3.2.7.1 As needed use of PHREEQC to analyse WQ data set	261 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31														
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52	3.2.8.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 16/12/30														
53	3.2.8.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30														
54	3.2.8.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13														
55	<b>3.3 Soil Quality Impact Assessment</b>	612 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 16/12/30														
56	3.3.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/02	Thu 14/08/25														
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599	3.6.5.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30				
598	3.6.5.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30				
599	3.7 Archaeological Impact Assessment	611 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 16/12/30				
700	3.7.1 Data Review and Collection	20 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/26				
701	3.7.2 Preliminary Field Reconnaissance	9 days?	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/12				
702	3.7.3 Archeological Inventory Assessment	14 days	Tue 14/10/07	Fri 14/10/24				
703	3.7.4 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 16/12/30				
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803	3.7.4.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	59 days	Thu 14/09/11	Fri 14/11/29				
804	3.7.4.3.1 Preliminary Reconnaissance Report	24 days	Thu 14/09/11	Mon 14/10/13				
805	3.7.4.3.2 AIA Final Report	26 days	Sat 14/10/25	Fri 14/11/29				
806	3.8 Environmental Risk Assessment	612 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 16/12/30				
807	3.8.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	45 days	Mon 14/09/01	Wed 14/10/20				
808	3.8.2 Problem Formulation	14 days	Wed 14/10/15	Fri 14/10/31				
809	3.8.3 Preliminary Risk Assessment	304 days	Mon 14/11/03	Thu 15/12/31				
810	3.8.4 Detailed Quantitative Risk Assessment	261 days	Fri 16/01/01	Fri 16/12/30				
811	3.9 Monitoring Program	388 days?	Tue 14/09/08	Fri 16/12/28				
812	3.9.1 Program in progress - to continue as determined by assessment work	282 days?	Tue 14/09/05	Mon 15/09/31				
813	3.9.2 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
883	3.10 Project Management	627 days	Mon 14/08/11	Fri 16/12/30				
884	3.10.1 Development of Work Plans	14 days	Mon 14/08/11	Thu 14/08/28				
885	3.10.2 Issuance of Work Plans	1 day	Fri 14/08/29	Fri 14/08/29				
886	3.10.3 Issuance of Project Schedule	1 day	Tue 14/09/26	Tue 14/09/26				08/26
887	3.10.4 Critical Task Pathway	1 day	Tue 14/09/26	Tue 14/09/26				08/26
888	3.10.5 Weekly WBS, Schedule, Budget Updates	613 days	Fri 14/09/26	Fri 16/12/30				

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2	1.1 Hazeltine Creek Water Management (options under consideration)	52 days?	Mon 14/08/26	Fri 14/10/31														
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25	3.2.1.1.1 Assembly & synthesis of historical data into data mgmt system	45 days	Mon 14/09/01	Wed 14/10/29														
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46	3.2.5.2 Event based WQ plan implementation	220 days?	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 15/07/31														
47	3.2.6 Plume Model Development	36 days?	Wed 14/10/01	Fri 14/11/21														
48	3.2.7 Geochemical Modeling	261 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31														
49	3.2.7.1 As needed use of PHREEQC to analyse WQ data set	281 days?	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 15/07/31														
50	3.2.8 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30														
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52	3.2.8.2 Reporting - Monthly	590 days	Tue 14/09/30	Fri 16/12/30														
53	3.2.8.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/09/15	Tue 14/09/30														
54	3.2.8.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13														
55	<b>3.3 Soil Quality Impact Assessment</b>	612 days	Mon 14/09/01	Fri 16/12/30														
56	3.3.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/02	Thu 14/09/25														

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251	3.3.2 Drilling Program (3-5 days)	14 days	Tue 14/08/02	Fri 14/08/19				
252	3.3.3 Transect Sampling	10 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 14/08/12				
253	3.3.4 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
254	3.3.4.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 15/12/25				
324	3.3.4.2 Reporting - Monthly	580 days	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 16/12/30				
353	3.3.4.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30				
354	3.3.4.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13				
355	3.4 Sediment Impact Assessment	623 days	Fri 14/08/15	Fri 16/12/30				
356	3.4.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis - Historical sediment quality - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	47 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 14/10/31				
357	3.4.1.1 Review existing source chemistry to identify analyses of potential concern	23 days	Mon 14/08/01	Tue 14/08/30				
358	3.4.1.2 Compile, review and synthesize historical sediment quality data	47 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 14/10/31				
359	3.4.1.3 Complete the gap analysis on sediment quality data	47 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 14/10/31				
360	3.4.1.4 Historical sediment quality data reporting	47 days	Mon 14/08/01	Fri 14/10/31				
361	3.4.2 Sediment Quality Sampling - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/08/15	Fri 14/10/31				
362	3.4.2.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
363	3.4.2.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
364	3.4.2.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
365	3.4.2.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
366	3.4.3 Sediment Geochemical Characterization - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/08/15	Fri 14/10/31				
367	3.4.3.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
368	3.4.3.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
369	3.4.3.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
370	3.4.3.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
371	3.4.4 Sediment Tox Testing & Benthic Invertebrate Community Char - Polley L, Hazeltine Cr, Quesnel L, local references	58 days	Fri 14/08/15	Fri 14/10/31				
372	3.4.4.1 Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake, sediment quality sampling plan development	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
373	3.4.4.2 Implementation in Quesnel Lake	22 days	Fri 14/08/15	Mon 14/09/15				
374	3.4.4.3 Implementation in Polley Lake	37 days	Mon 14/09/15	Fri 14/10/31				
375	3.4.4.4 Implementation in Hazeltine Creek	24 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 14/10/15				
376	3.4.5 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
377	3.4.5.1 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 15/12/25				
447	3.4.5.2 Reporting - Monthly	580 days	Tue 14/08/30	Fri 16/12/30				
476	3.4.5.3 Reporting (Detailed)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30				
477	3.4.5.4 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	21 days	Fri 15/02/13	Fri 15/03/13				
478	3.5 Terrestrial Impact Assessment	610 days	Wed 14/08/03	Fri 16/12/30				
479	3.5.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	21 days	Wed 14/08/03	Tue 14/08/30				
480	3.5.2 Field - Preliminary Assessment and Surveys	22 days	Wed 14/08/03	Wed 14/10/01				
481	3.5.3 Timed Wildlife Surveys	265 days	Mon 14/09/15	Wed 15/09/16				
482	3.5.4 Follow-up Field Activities (as required - tentative)	173 days	Thu 15/01/01	Mon 15/08/31				
483	3.5.5 Analysis and Assessment	15 days	Mon 14/09/29	Fri 14/10/17				
484	3.5.6 Reporting	608 days	Fri 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/30				
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584	3.5.6.3 Reporting (Detailed) (Additional reports TBD)	13 days	Mon 14/08/15	Tue 14/08/30				
585	3.6 Fish and Aquatic Impact Assessment	611 days	Tue 14/08/02	Fri 16/12/30				
586	3.6.1 Data Review and Gap Analysis	19 days	Tue 14/08/02	Thu 14/08/25				
587	3.6.2 Fish Assessments	308 days	Tue 14/08/02	Fri 15/10/30				
588	3.6.2.1 Fish species determination	194 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/05/26				
589	3.6.2.2 Fish spawning surveys	194 days	Tue 14/08/02	Wed 15/05/27				
590	3.6.2.3 Fish growth & performance	304 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/10/30				
591	3.6.2.4 Fish survival	304 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/10/30				
592	3.6.2.5 Fish migration corridors	194 days	Tue 14/08/02	Wed 15/05/27				
593	3.6.3 Community Assessment	304 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/10/30				
594	3.6.3.1 Benthic invertebrates	304 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/10/30				
595	3.6.3.2 Phytoplankton, periphyton, macrophyte	194 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/05/29				
596	3.6.3.3 Fish community	194 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 15/05/29				
597	3.6.4 Habitat Assessments (riparian, shoreline, benthic)	44 days	Thu 14/08/04	Fri 14/10/31				
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699	3.7 Archaeological Impact Assessment	611 days	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 16/12/30				
700	3.7.1 Data Review and Collection	20 days	Tue 14/09/02	Fri 14/09/26				
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809	3.8.3 Preliminary Risk Assessment	304 days	Mon 14/11/03	Thu 15/12/31				
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811	3.9 Monitoring Program	366 days	Tue 14/08/05	Fri 16/12/25				
812	3.9.1 Program in progress - to continue as determined by assessment work	262 days	Tue 14/08/05	Mon 15/08/31				
813	3.9.2 Reporting - Weekly	343 days	Fri 14/09/05	Fri 15/12/25				
883	3.10 Project Management	627 days	Mon 14/08/11	Fri 16/12/30				
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887	3.10.4 Critical Task Pathway	1 day	Tue 14/08/26	Tue 14/08/26				08/26
888	3.10.5 Weekly WBS, Schedule, Budget Updates	613 days	Fri 14/08/26	Fri 16/12/30				

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**Weir, David J FLNR:EX**

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**Harold**

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Only if the date I used is wrong.

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s.22

Do you still need anything from me?

Sent from iPhone

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**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 5:02 PM  
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**Subject:** Out of Office: Quesnel Lake

I am out of the office until Monday September 15, 2014.



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I think we had talked about doing at the end of the month and I am just a couple weeks ahead of myself.

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**Subject:** Quesnel Lake

Hi Dave,

Unfortunately, I can't make it to Quesnel Lake next week. I'm in Bella Coola the rest of this week and have to go to the Dean River for most of next week.

Sorry,  
Lee

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August 19, 2014

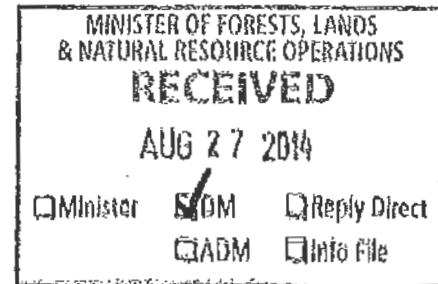
Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

Honourable, Steve Thomson

P.O. Box 9049

Victoria, British Columbia

V8W 9E2



Re: Water Management Branch, s.22

Dear Sir,

We are writing today to inquire into your role in remediation of the August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014 release of toxic materials from the tailings pond at Polley Mine, owned by Imperial Metals, with regard to the two water licenses we hold s.22

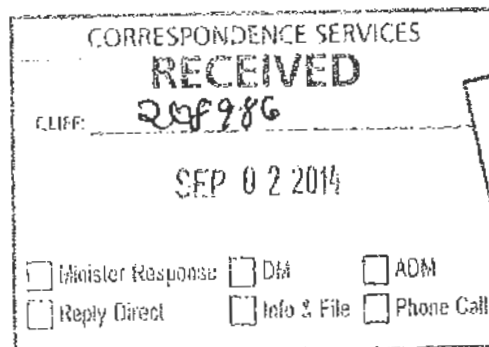
Not only the surface water of the creek will be affected, but more importantly, the leaching out of Polley Lake, and assorted creeks and springs, will affect the whole aquifer.

s.22 and have had excellent service from your branch with regard to notifying us of any logging, road building, or other construction in the area that could affect our water. As one of your mandates is protection of natural resources, we are sure that you will be diligent in protecting our water supply after this major environmental disaster. It is our understanding

s.22 and we are understandably concerned. We have not, as yet, received any communication from Imperial Metals to inform us of their toxic spill into the area for which we hold current water licenses.

We look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,  
s.22



Cc Honourable Mary Polak, Honourable Terry Lake, Office of the Premier, Office of the Official Opposition

**Weir, David J FLNR:EX**

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**From:** Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 9, 2014 1:29 PM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: ARCHAEOLOGY BRANCH  
**Attachments:** FW: URGENT Mount Polley permit

fyi

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**From:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 9, 2014 1:24 PM  
**To:** 'Lee\_Nikl@golder.com'  
**Cc:** Fenwick, Leigh-Ann FLNR:EX; Hill, Douglas J FLNR:EX; Glaum, Doug FLNR:EX; Metcalfe, Shelley ENV:EX  
**Subject:** FW: ARCHAEOLOGY BRANCH

I spoke with Doug Glaum of the Archeology branch today  
He can expedite your permit application if they receive a quality application and  
They can reduce the consultation period down to very little or zero if you have agreement letters from all three bands  
(see attached email)

Hope this helps

**Hubert Bunce**

A/Director Mining Operations  
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**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 3:49 PM  
**To:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX  
**Subject:** FW: ARCHAEOLOGY BRANCH

Jennifer McGuire, P.Ag.  
Executive Director, Regional Operations  
Environmental Protection

**Ministry of Environment**

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**From:** Nikl, Lee [[mailto:Lee\\_Nikl@golder.com](mailto:Lee_Nikl@golder.com)]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 3:45 PM



**To:** McGuire, Jennifer ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Don Parsons ([dparsons@imperialmetals.com](mailto:dparsons@imperialmetals.com)); Dale Reimer ([dreimer@mountpolley.com](mailto:dreimer@mountpolley.com)); Steve Robertson  
**Subject:** ARCHAEOLOGY BRANCH

Hi Jen,

Information to support our application has been collected and our team's Archaeologist has been advised that letters of consent from the two First Nations will be forthcoming. This would allow a bypass of the usual 30d waiting period for an application to be processed. We wonder if you could contact the Archaeology Branch to connect them with our response work and your Ministry's program. We were advised that it would take on the order of 2 weeks to process the permit, which could delay the works. We are hoping to have approvals in place so that we can implement the erosion and sediment control plan (in prep) once we have necessary approval of that plan.

I understand that you would be able to contact the Archaeology Branch directly to outline the urgent nature of the work. The manager of the permitting section is Doug Glaum (250-953-3357). The director is Justine Batten (250-953-3355).

Please feel free to contact me if you would like further clarification.

Regards,

Lee

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**Sent:** Tuesday, September 9, 2014 12:12 PM  
**To:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX  
**Subject:** FW: URGENT Mount Polley permit

Hi Hubert:

As below and further to our phone call, we have identified three first nations within the Hazeltine Creek Area using CAD: Williams Lake, Soda Creek and Neskonlith Indian Band. TNG Engagement Zone A requires only notification, not consultation.

Doug Glaum  
Archaeology Branch  
Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations  
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**Sent:** Tuesday, September 9, 2014 11:05 AM  
**To:** Glaum, Doug FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT Mount Polley permit

I was told in a teleconference the other day with Remi Farvaque, Adam Kanatakis (Williams Lake IB) and Jim Light (SNC Lavalin) regarding Mount Polley that Williams Lake (T'exelc) and Soda Creek (Xats'ull) were the only two affected FNs. CAD, however, also cites Neskonlith IB. For the record it also lies within the TNG Engagement Zone A.

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**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Log 208986 D Deputy Response D Due September 19/14

Dates downstream licences (Quesnel Lake and River) called were on August 5 and 6, 2014.

Not entirely sure what you are looking for but this is what I came up with . s.22  
s.22

I have the map in mxd format in Arc map, if you want it (e.g. look at other layers - topo, other PODs and measurements).

Fern

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 11:33 AM  
**To:** Jensen, Fern FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Log 208986 D Deputy Response D Due September 19/14

Hi Fern, I will be preparing this note and will need to confirm that there is no connectivity s.22  
s.22

below the tailings pond failure. Could you also tell me the date you called the downstream licences?

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 10, 2014 8:21 AM  
**To:** Jensen, Fern FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Log 208986 Ø Deputy Response Ø Due September 19/14

Thank you that is exactly what I was looking for.

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**From:** Jensen, Fern FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 10, 2014 8:12 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Log 208986 Ø Deputy Response Ø Due September 19/14

Dates downstream licencees (Quesnel Lake and River) called were on August 5 and 6, 2014.

Not entirely sure what you are looking for but this is what I came up with s.22  
s.22

I have the map in mxd format in Arc map, if you want it (e.g. look at other layers - topo, other PODs and measurements).

Fern

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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2014 11:33 AM  
**To:** Jensen, Fern FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Log 208986 Ø Deputy Response Ø Due September 19/14

Hi Fern, I will be preparing this note and will need to confirm that there is no connectivity s.22  
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below the tailings pond failure. Could you also tell me the date you called the downstream licencees?

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**From:** Beadman, Krista FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 4, 2014 8:04 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Vanderburgh, Ken FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Log 208986 Deputy Response Due September 19/14

Hi Dave

Please draft a Deputy response for the cliff log below and email to me for Ken's approval by September 17.

Thank you!

Krista

Krista Beadman  
Regional Administrative Assistant  
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**From:** Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 3, 2014 4:36 PM  
**To:** Beadman, Krista FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Log 208986 Deputy Response Due September 19/14

Hi Krista, sorry forgot to add you in the CLIFF email. ☺

Regards,  
Sheree

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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 3, 2014 4:34 PM  
**To:** Siperka, Linda FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Log 208986 Deputy Response Due September 19/14

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**Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations CLIFF Log 208986**

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Country		Fax	Email			
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Other/X-Ref						
Copied To	ENV Minister Polak, MoH Minister Lake, Premier's Office, Official Opposition					
Addressed to	Minister Thomson	Drafter				
Resp. Office	RS-Water Management	MLA	Oakes, Coralee (BC Liberal)			
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**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 10, 2014 3:21 PM  
**To:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX  
**Subject:** Mt Polley Sign off of embedded debris at mouth of Hazeltine Creek  
**Attachments:** Imperial Metals - Order.pdf

Hi Hubert, I just had time to put this together. Please be aware that the requirement for approval by EP is a condition of the water act order. It does not have to be anything formal as the purpose of the clause is only to make sure that the work is being done to your satisfaction. If they are not doing it to your satisfaction please contact me if you do not have a more suitable mechanism to bring them into compliance.

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76930-40/Mt Polley

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Dear Don Parsons:

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This order replaces and extends the time period needed for completion of ongoing work to meet the objectives identified in the August 5<sup>th</sup> 3:15 pm order. In addition it provides for additional clarification regarding works needed to achieve the intention of that order. Progress of the activities will be monitored and the order may be extended, modified or cancelled at any time based upon the monitoring results.

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Yours truly,



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Dated at Williams Lake, British Columbia, this 20th day of August 2014.



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**Sent:** August-05-14 11:41 AM  
**To:** XT:Carpenter, Penny FLNR:IN  
**Subject:** Mt Polley

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**To:** Shook, James G ENV:EX  
**Subject:** Mt Polley water act order  
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You probably do not need this information but as per our conversation today I thought I would share it.

The second order was issued to address 93 (2) (p) failure to comply with the first order and Sec 94 (1) (g) placement of an obstruction in a stream (and lake ). The remedies used are under Sec 88 (1) (j) release the stored water and 88 (i) remove substance put into stream.

The first order uses sec 85 because that is the sec that allows me to issue orders. I did not speak to the issue of stream channel modification as the orders are focussed on the protection of the public from future impacts. This order expires at the end of October and if an extension is needed and if a mitigation plan is available I may speak to the issue of changes in and about a stream and the order of stream channel mitigation.

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**From:** Glaum, Doug FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 11, 2014 11:27 AM  
**To:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Acheson, Steven FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Mt Polley

Hi David:

Just to be clear, we have barely been involved in this project and have not received any indication of the impact zone/area of concern (a GeoBC commitment) nor have we received a permit application. Our advice to date has consisted of trying to get all studies contained in a single permit instead of two for expediency's sake; and trying to gather the FN support by letter as part of the application instead of the Archaeology Branch having to refer the application to FN for comment.

We would see no reason for any archaeological studies in areas with no potential to contain sites, which would probably cover materials redeposited by the flooding and the alluvial fan, however the proponent's archaeological consultants may have additional information on this.

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**Sent:** Thursday, September 11, 2014 10:43 AM  
**To:** Bunce, Hubert ENV:EX; Glaum, Doug FLNR:EX; 'adam.kantakis@williamslakeband.ca'  
**Cc:** Vanderburgh, Ken FLNR:EX  
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**To:** 'Niki, Lee'; 'Jack Love'; 'Dale Reimer'; 'Colleen Hughes'  
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In consideration of the information I have before me at this time and the need for prompt action to abate impacts I support the action to hydro seed the mine impacted materials along the course of Hazeltine Creek and as possible on the Polley lake plug and in the Tailings Storage Facility

I have considered the concerns raised by the members of the Env Working Group and find the possible risks to grass consuming animals to be outweighed by the following:

There is an immediate need to limit the further loss of sediment into Hazeltine Creek and Quesnell lake to protect the drinking water quality and the aquatic/ fisheries values downstream in advance of further rainfall events and winter conditions. This is an action that can take place in the impacted zone safely at this time;

The proposed planting of grass seed is an accepted erosion protection measure, it is not a final vegetative solution therefore exposure to ungulates will be limited. The opportunity to achieve grass germination is short and therefore the sooner grass seed can be distributed the better. Research on other mine sites (some going back as far as the 1970s) where ungulates spend a modest portion of their time grazing do not report a high risk of metals uptake;

Community and First Nation concern regarding need for prompt action and to protect the more immediate concerns relative to the more significant fishery resource of Quesnel Lake outweigh the less understood possible impacts of short term exposure of ungulates in a more limited area;

Failure to take immediate action at this time could be interpreted as contradicting the order to abate the discharge of mine affected materials and the subsequent advisory letter.

Resulting from this seeding project MPMC need to conduct sampling of the resulting vegetation to determine what level of metal uptake may have occurred and correlate that to metals levels in the associated sediment.

The Ministry of Environment may conduct additional sampling and data review as it deems necessary to verify the impacts of the seeding.

Consider the emergent nature of the work a short turn around response has been required in this case. MPMC should provide as much prior notification of specific actions as possible.

MOE plans to hold a conference call to discuss this issue further with Environmental Working group

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The Ministry of Environment (MOE) acknowledges that MPMC has been working to abate the discharge and its impacts to the receiving environment but is of the opinion that more could be done. The continued discharge of turbid water into Quesnel Lake is obviously of primary concern and any and all possible actions that can be implemented should be done as promptly as possible. MOE obviously does not want activities undertaken that are unsafe and as such we interested to see that acceptable safe work procedures are fully developed and implemented. In consideration of this agreement to the priority drawdown of Polley Lake with discharge into Hazeltine Creek was accepted to reduce the safety risks. MOE is keen to review and comment on the latest version of the Erosion and Sediment Control Plan which we understand will be provided imminently. Implementation of the related control features is a priority and those actions that can be implemented now should be.

Obviously MOE cannot provide direction on specific actions that need to be taken but continued delays on the company's proposed installation of works such as the silt curtain at the outlet of Hazeltine Creek have been continuing for weeks now and as such this is unacceptable from an environmental perspective. These are works that would help mitigate the impacts related to the pump down of Polley Lake, and others from the Tailings Storage Facility and along the course of Hazeltine Creek. While I can appreciate that significant resources are being applied to the issues already possibly more need to be considered to complete safety works and procedures, ensure monitoring and reporting is completed, and installation of more control and treatment works more promptly.

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**Re: REVIEW OF INTERIM MEASURES BEING IMPLEMENTED FOR  
POLLEY LAKE DRAW-DOWN**

Dear Sirs,

As you are aware from our correspondence of August 13, 2014, Mount Polley Mining Corporation (MPMC) have been reducing the water level of Polley Lake behind a plug formed from the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF) Breach of August 4, 2014. This dewatering was deemed necessary by our engineering advisors, BGC Engineering Inc. and is consistent with an order under the *Water Act*.

As you are no doubt aware, the process of dewatering Polley Lake has resulted in the discharge of turbid water into Quesnel Lake. We are concerned that these actions may conflict with other statutory obligations. MPMC has been working expeditiously towards developing an Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (ESCP) for Hazeltine Creek which we hope will reduce the sediment loads into Quesnel Lake as we continue to reduce the water level of Polley Lake. We are seeking your direction to assist us in confirming or revising our present actions.

At present, Polley Lake is approximately 1.3 m above its natural water level and our engineers are concerned that this might pose a safety and property risk. In particular, they are concerned that the stability of the sediment plug could be comprised by:

- Internal erosion caused by seepage of water through the sediment plug.
- Erosion from external surface water flow onto the sediment plug leading to downcutting.
- Because fall rains are expected to add to Polley Lake, the dewatering of the lake remains necessary to create freeboard in advance.

In these circumstances, we are concerned that continuing with our dewatering programs to fulfill certain regulatory requirements may result in non-compliance with other current statutory

obligations. Given that we have been working with you with respect to our response programs, we respectfully request, on an urgent basis, that you provide us with clear direction as to the actions we are taking.

**Mount Polley Mining Corporation**

Dale Reimer  
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Dave, can you send me the document referenced in the email.

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**Cc:** O'Sullivan, Susan FLNR:EX  
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I've assigned Eric Forgeng to oversee this permit application. He will be your contact.

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**To:** 'Remi Farvacque'; Weir, David J FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** 'Wendy Slavica'; 'Light Jim (Jim.Light@sncclavalin.com)'  
**Subject:** RE: Mt Polley permit

Thanks very much for the update, Remi.

Best,  
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Good afternoon David;

Reading through the thread, Wendy Slavica (cc'ed here) will be the Permit Holder. We have not submitted the Permit as of yet as we were waiting for Letters of Support from the affect three First Nations. Our intent (at this time) is to submit the Permit tomorrow with or without letters of support.

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Okay. I am away tomorrow but will be back on Monday if issues arise.

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**Cc:** Forgeng, Eric E FLNR:EX; Wendy Slavica; Light Jim ([Jim.Light@snclavalin.com](mailto:Jim.Light@snclavalin.com))  
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Good afternoon David;

Reading through the thread, Wendy Slavica (cc'ed here) will be the Permit Holder. We have not submitted the Permit as of yet as we were waiting for Letters of Support from the affect three First Nations. Our intent (at this time) is to submit the Permit tomorrow with or without letters of support.

**Rémi Farvacque**, M.Sc., RPCA  
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**To:** O'Sullivan, Susan FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Mt Polley  
**Attachments:** Imperial Metals - Order.pdf

I can send you the order but Mt Polley has not applied for the Arch permit yet.

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Dave, can you send me the document referenced in the email.

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**Cc:** O'Sullivan, Susan FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Mt Polley

I will get after the company on this today. s.16

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**To:** Fenwick, Leigh-Ann FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Vanderburgh, Ken FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Mt Polley

Hello, as discussed please find the attached. Next week may be the best weather for the completion of the excavations and after that we do not know what the weather will bring. The sediment may pose a potential risk to human health and cannot be retrieved from the lake at some future time. A water act order exists requiring the removal of the material that entered Hazeltine creek. The Arch permit is delaying the works. If the FN's participating in the Environmental working group are comfortable with works progressing or works progressing subject to conditions I can and will instruct the Company to comply immediately with the water act order in this regard.

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**Cc:** Vanderburgh, Ken FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Mt Polley

I am concerned with the pace that the company is proceeding to fulfill the requirement of the Water Act order for clean up of Hazeltine Creek. While it is good that the permit is being expedited I can see no risk to the resource if Adam is given verbal approval to begin pit testing the high potential sites. I am confused as to why any delay would occur with the excavation of any deposited materials and also confused as to why those areas within the active alluvial plane would be delayed. I am confused why the upper pond would have any assessment required. However, I would assume that monitoring and artifact recovery should be a top priority for these pond areas even though both the event and the active alluvial plane would have destroyed continuity any artifacts would have cultural significance.

Why not allow work to go ahead in the most disturbed areas and give Adam verbal to begin testing on the undisturbed areas on the shoulders of the fan tomorrow. Have Arch site monitors observe the excavations and recover artifacts at the gravel screening area if any are discovered?

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Dear Don Parsons:

Enclosed is an Order issued under Section 88(1) of the *Water Act*.

This order replaces and extends the time period needed for completion of ongoing work to meet the objectives identified in the August 5<sup>th</sup> 3:15 pm order. In addition it provides for additional clarification regarding works needed to achieve the intention of that order. Progress of the activities will be monitored and the order may be extended, modified or cancelled at any time based upon the monitoring results.

Suitably qualified professionals include but are not limited to Geoscientists, Engineers, Archeologists, Agrologists and Biologists. Robin Hoffos and I met with your representatives on Quesnel Lake to review the ongoing containment and removal of debris on Quesnel Lake including the proposal to improve the ramp at the West Fraser Log dewatering site. The proposals as described were satisfactory under the supervision of the Professional Biologist who was identified as Brian Aitken RP Bio and Professional Engineer Emily Cheung. We have not received the requested information from them but time is of the essence. We have not received information concerning the Professional oversight of operations on Polley Lake. Please maintain a complete record of the activities relating to this order which are to be supplied to us upon request.

Specific issues identified under during the review included Kokanee Shore Spawning, Cariboo Island, embedded debris at the mouth of Hazeltine Creek, natural debris, the installation of a ramp to remove debris, and the placement of light debris above the high water mark. The Williams Lake Indian band has requested monitoring of the debris removal on Cariboo Island due the potential for the destruction or loss of artifacts exposed below and above the high water mark. A contact has been provided to your representatives for you to address this issue. Brian Aitken indicated the intention to collect video evidence for "before and after" work is completed and we wish to receive a copy of this information upon completion of the work.

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I remind you that embedded debris removal within Polley Lake, Hazeltine Creek and at the Mouth of Hazeltine Creek where it enters Quesnel Lake must be approved by the Environmental Protection Division of the Ministry of Environment prior to being completed.

This order is ancillary to the jurisdictions of the Ministry of Mines and Ministry of Environment and it is expected that overlap will occur between the instructions from these Ministries. Works are to be consistent with the instructions from these Ministries and Federal agencies. This order facilitates the activities that will be approved under the Land act and Forest Act.

An appeal to this order may be taken only as directed within Section 92 of the *Water Act*. An appeal shall not act as a stay of execution of the order.

This order does not preclude legal proceedings.

Yours truly,



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Enclosure: August 5<sup>th</sup> Order and August 20<sup>th</sup> order.

## **ENGINEER'S ORDER**

### **SECTION 88 OF THE *WATER ACT***

**WHEREAS** **Imperial Metals Corporation** are the registered owners of **Mount Polley Mine**, and

**WHEREAS** **Imperial Metals Corporation** you have, or permitted to have, allowed debris to block the outlet of Polley Lake, enter Hazeltine Creek and enter into Quesnel Lake, and

**WHEREAS** a person commits an offence under **Section 93(2) (p) and Section 94(1) (g)** of the *Water Act* who:

(p) fails to do an act or thing required to be done by the person under this Act or under an order of the comptroller, regional water manager, engineer or officer;

(g) places, maintains or makes use of an obstruction in the channel of a stream without authority, and

**WHEREAS** I, David Weir, Engineer under the *Water Act*, am empowered under Section 88 (1) (j) and (l) of the *Water Act* to:

(j) order the release of stored or impounded water that the engineer considers a danger to life and property;

(l) order a person to remove from a stream any substance or thing that the person has put or permitted to get into the stream;

**I HEREBY ORDER Imperial Metals Corporation to:**

1. Under the direction of suitably qualified professionals licenced in the Province of British Columbia: collect and remove such debris from Hazeltine Creek, Quesnel Lake and Polley Lake, as a result of the Mt Polley tailings pond failure; as would threaten public safety, road infrastructure and stream channel stability. Included in this order is approval for the installation and removal of a boat ramp at the West Fraser reload site as discussed during FLNRO joint inspection of August 19<sup>th</sup> 2014. The manner and nature of these activities is to be suitable to impacted parties, Federal Agencies and the Province.

2. Under the direction of suitably, qualified and experienced professionals, licenced in the Province of British Columbia: maintain the lake level of Polley Lake in a manner that prevents further mass movement of inaterial from Polley Lake and Hazeltine Creek.

By the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 2014.

Dated at Williams Lake, British Columbia, this 20th day of August 2014.



David Weir  
Engincer under the *Water Act*

**Attachments:**

August 5<sup>th</sup> 3:15pm order that was sent via Penny Carpenter.

Hello, at this time it is our understanding that Stephen Rothman has the authority under the mines act to order the necessary measures to contain and remove the debris in Quesnel Lake and to authorize the management of the water level on Polley lake.

However: to remove any confusion and to address any shortcoming that might exist between the Mines Act, Water Act and the MOU that guides there coordination I order under Section 85 as follows;

Subject to the requirements of the Mines Act and MOU

[http://iwww.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/sla\\_mou/mempr\\_mou%202009.pdf](http://iwww.env.gov.bc.ca/wsd/sla_mou/mempr_mou%202009.pdf) and as it is in the public interest for the protection of safety and the integrity of Hazeltine Creek, Polley Lake, Quesnel Lake and the Quesnel River, recognizing the Mt Polley Mine's willingness to undergo the required work at their own cost and save the province harmless;

- 1) Under the direction of suitably qualified professionals licenced in the Province of BC the corporation is ordered to collect and remove such debris from Quesnel Lake, as a result of the Mt Polley tailings pond failure, as would threaten road infrastructure and stream channel stability. The manner and nature to be suitable to impacted parties Federal Agencies and the Province.
- 2) Under the direction of suitably qualified and experienced professionals licenced in the Province of BC; maintain the Lake level of Polley Lake in a manner that prevents further mass movement of material from Polley lake and Hazeltine Creek.
- 3) This order does not superseded any other legislation, agency, or government authority nor does it save them harmless.
- 4) This order is not intended to mitigate or limit the future punitive action of government with respect any non compliance by Mt Polley Mine.
- 5) This order is a temporary measure and is subject to cancelation or modification under the authority of the Water Act Mines Act or the MOU.
- 6) This order doe not authorize the entry onto private lands.

If necessary a more formal and document can be provided at a future date and in the absence of any direction to the contrary it should be considered to be expired as of August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2014 if not renewed. In addition to the general protection of public interest the specific purpose is to protect the bridge at Likely and to prevent secondary mass movements of material from the failure.

If there are any questions or you feel there is error please contact me. Keeping in mind the rushed nature of this document.

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**From:** Penny Carpenter s.22  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 5, 2014 12:46 PM  
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**Subject:** RE: Mt Polley

Hi David

The Mines Gentleman Steve Rothman will be contacting you regarding the breach of the tailing pond. He will be able to fill you in and maybe it will help the work load so things are not getting duplicated.

Penny Carpenter

**From:** Weir, David J FLNR:EX [<mailto:David.J.Weir@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** August-05-14 11:41 AM  
**To:** XT:Carpenter, Penny FLNR:IN  
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As per our discussion

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Hi Eric, thanks for taking this on

Whatever can be done to speed up this application process would be appreciated. Mount Polley Mine Corporation has received letters of agreement from the Williams Lake and Soda Creek Indian bands thus negating the consultation period for these bands as I understand it. The province, the mine, and the community are keen to see activity move forward on actions to protect against further degradation of the environment

The province has signed a Letter of Understanding with the WLIB and SCIB (attached) to work at a govt to govt level and  
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Letter of Understanding between

Soda Creek Indian Band, Williams Lake Indian Band

And

The Province of British Columbia

**Guiding principles:**

The Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band (collectively, the "**First Nations**") and the Province of British Columbia ("**British Columbia**") agree to work in partnership, on a government-to-government basis through shared decision-making wherever possible, to jointly address all aspects of the tailings storage facility breach at the Mount Polley Mine ("**Mount Polley Mine Incident**").

The First Nations and British Columbia (collectively, the "**Parties**") agree that the processes for the joint oversight set out below will be conducted in accordance with the First Nations' traditional protocols, having regard to both traditional and scientific knowledge, and as expeditiously as possible.

The Parties agree that the health and safety of the public and workers, including members of the First Nations, are paramount.

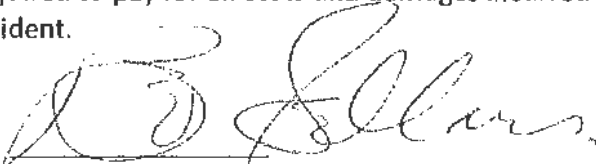
**The Parties therefore agree as follows:**

1. The Parties agree to establish a principals table consisting of the Chiefs of the First Nations and the Ministers of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines to oversee a government-to-government response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident ("**Principals Table**").
2. The Parties agree to establish a senior officials committee consisting of designates of the First Nations, and the Assistant Deputy Ministers of the Ministries of Environment, Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, and Energy and Mines, and other ministries as appropriate ("**Committee**"). The Committee shall be responsible for overseeing the following activities in response to the Mount Polley Mine Incident:
  - a. assessing impacts, monitoring, cleanup, remediation planning and implementation, and any decisions related to the future of Mount Polley mine;
  - b. developing a plan to provide safe access to the impact zone for the purposes of assessing archaeological and environmental impacts;
  - c. discussing permitting required for future work at the Mount Polley mine;

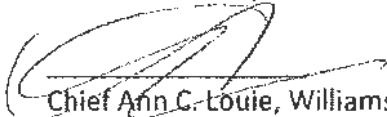
- d. assessing the adequacy of existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the Mount Polley Incident;
- e. addressing the First Nations' immediate and long-term funding requirements to respond to all aspects of the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- f. identifying economic opportunities for the First Nations to participate in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident;
- g. reporting back to the Principals Table; and
- h. addressing any other issues related to the Mount Polley Mine Incident as agreed to by the Committee.

The Parties agree that this letter of understanding does not fetter statutory decision makers in carrying out their duties and responsibilities under the relevant provincial laws and regulations that apply to the Mount Polley Incident.

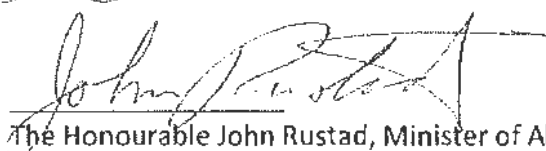
- 3. British Columbia agrees to provide \$200,000 to each of the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band as soon as possible to cover costs already incurred and to be incurred in responding to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 4. The Parties acknowledge the impact of the Mount Polley Mine Incident on public confidence in mining and recognize the important economic contribution of mining to British Columbia. Accordingly, British Columbia, in partnership with the Soda Creek Indian Band and the Williams Lake Indian Band, commits to commencing a dialogue about existing laws, regulations and policies in relation to the mining industry in British Columbia. The scope and mechanism for this dialogue will be considered by the Senior Officials Committee and recommendations will be made to the Principals Table. Those future discussions will be informed by the collaborative work between the Parties on the Mount Polley Mine Incident.
- 5. The Parties agree that the entities responsible, in accordance with applicable legislation, be required to pay for all costs and damages incurred in relation to the Mount Polley Mine Incident.



Chief Bev Sellars, Soda Creek Indian Band



Chief Ann C. Louie, Williams Lake Indian Band



The Honourable John Rustad, Minister of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation

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Thank you very much Eric for your work on this.

Regards,

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On behalf of everyone involved, thank-you very, very much!

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> Good afternoon David;  
>  
> Reading through the thread, Wendy Slavica (cc'ed here) will be the Permit Holder. We have not submitted the Permit as of yet as we were waiting for Letters of Support from the affect three First Nations. Our intent (at this time) is to submit the Permit tomorrow with or without letters of support.

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**Subject:** FW: Weekly update for September 12 2014 - Tailings Breach Monitoring  
**Attachments:** Weekly Update for week ending September 12.pdf; HazeltineCreek\_SW\_20140910.pdf; PolleyLake\_SWMaster\_20140910.pdf; QuesnellLake\_SWMaster\_20140910.pdf; QuesnellLake\_SEDMaster\_20140829\_s.pdf; 621717-005\_SampleLocPlanSeries\_20140912\_FINAL.PDF; 621717-006\_SEDLocPlan\_140905.pdf

Colleen, could you add David Weir, Water Stewardship to your distribution list for these reports, he is responsible for the Water Act Order facilitating the Polley Lake drawdown. You can also remove me from the list as I won't be directly involved in Mt Polley for the foreseeable future.

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**Subject:** Weekly update for September 12 2014 - Tailings Breach Monitoring

Good Afternoon Hubert

Please find attached all the documents that make up the weekly update report.

Regards,

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Attention: Hubert Bunce, Director Environmental Management Act

Re: Weekly Update for Week Ending September 12, 2014

**Monitoring Update**

As of September 12, 2014, the Monitoring Program implemented in response to the tailings release consists of the following: 1) Water Quality Programs (Quesnel Lake, Quesnel River, Polley Lake, Residential Intakes, and Hazeltine Creek), 2) Sediment Quality (Quesnel Lake), 3) Fish Sampling. The following sections summarize the programs, changes, and key actions and interactions relevant to the program.

*Water Quality Programs*

More than 90 water quality sampling locations have been established as of September 12, 2014 to assess and monitor water quality as part of the program. Drawings 621717-005-P1 through 621717-P8 (attached) show sample locations.

The following parameters continue to form the basis for the monitoring program and evaluating impacts to water quality as a result of the release.

- Total and dissolved metals (excluding mercury);
- Anions: sulphate, chloride, fluoride;
- Nutrients: total ammonia, nitrate, nitrite, total nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, orthophosphate, total phosphorous, dissolved phosphorous; and
- Toxicity testing

Table A below summarizes the various Water Quality Programs. With the exception of toxicity testing, results have been provided in Tables 1a, 3, and 4 (attached).

**TABLE A: Summary of Water Quality Monitoring Programs**

Monitoring Program	Area	Frequency	Sample Locations
Surface Water Quality	Quesnel Lake	Single Sample	QUL-4 to QUR-8, QUR-10 to QUR-16, QUL-30, QUL-31, , QUR-69, QUL-74, QUL-75, QUL-87, QUL-96,
		Repeated Sites	QUL-1, QUL-9, QUL-10, QUL-17, QUL-20, QUL-23, QUL-28  As of week of September 12, 2014: Ongoing repeated sampling is being carried out at locations QUL-18, and QUL-23. A CTD profile is completed at QUL-20 during each sampling event. Samples will be collected if stratification observed. The water column is usually well mixed at this location.
	Palley Lake	Repeated Sites	POL-3, POL-4, POL-5, POL-6, P1, P2  As of week of September 12, 2014: Ongoing repeated sampling (weekly) is being carried out at locations P POL-3, POL-4, POL-5, POL-6, P1, and P2.
	Palley Discharge and Hazeltine Crk.	Sampling Sites	HAD-1 and HAD-2 (monitor only) (Weekly), HAC-01 (daily), Breach-1 (Weekly)  As of week of September 12, 2014: HAD-1, HAD-2 (monitor only), and Breach-1 collected on an approximate weekly basis. HAC-01 collected on an approximately daily basis.
	Quesnel River	Repeated Sites	QUR-1 (includes QUR-1x & QUR-3): ISKO sampler collects 3 samples per day. A fourth grab sample is also collected at this location.  A datalogger records measurements of pH, temperature, conductivity, turbidity, and conductivity every 15 minutes).
Water Quality Profiles	Quesnel Lake	Single Sample	QUL-28, QUL-65, QUL-67, QUL-68, QUL-70, QUL-71, QUL-72, QUL-73, QUL-76, QUL-78, QUL-80, QUL-87
		Repeated Sites	QUL-2, QUL-3, QUL-18, QUL-19, QUL-20, QUL-21, QUL-22, QUL-26, QUL-66, QUL-79,  As of week of September 12, 2014: QUL-2, QUL-21, QUL-22, QUL-66, and QUL-79 are visited on a rotational basis approximately every other day. Samples are collected near surface and near lake bottom, and in consideration of CTD field monitoring results.
Residential Water Intake Sampling Program	Quesnel Lake	Single Sample	QUL-32, QUL-33, QUL-34, QUL-36, QUL-39, QUL-62, QUL-63, QUL-77, QUL-81, QUL-82 to QUL-86, QUL-88, QUL-89, QUL-90, QUL-91, QUL-92, QUL-93, QUL-94, QUL-95, QUL-100, QUL-101, QUR-102, QUR-103, raft creek site
		Repeated Sites	QUL-35, QUL-37, QUL-38, QUL-60, QUL-61, QUL-64

Results of the toxicity testing completed to date are provided in Table B. Additional results are pending and will be updated as they become available.

**Table B: Summary of Draft Water Toxicity Testing**

Date	Location	Location Description	Acute (96h) Rainbow Trout <sup>1</sup>	Acute (48-h) Daphnia magna <sup>2</sup>	Sublethal (7-d) fish survival and growth <sup>3</sup>	Sublethal (7-d) invertebrate survival and reproduction <sup>4</sup>	Sublethal (72-h) algal growth <sup>5</sup>	Sublethal (7-d) plant growth <sup>6</sup>	Results
August 6, 2014	QUR-1	Quesnel River at Research Station				✓			LC50, IC25, IC50 all >100%
August 9, 2014	POL-2	Polley Lake near South End				✓			LC50, IC25, IC50 all >100%
August 13, 2014	HAD-1	Discharge from Polley to Hazeltime	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	> 100% for all tests
August 20, 2014	HAD-1	Discharge from Polley to Hazeltime	✓	✓					LC50 >100%
August 21, 2014	QUL-66-40m	Quesnel Lake Plume	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	LC50 >100%, IC25 and IC50 pending
August 22, 2014	QUR-1	Quesnel River Research Centre	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		LC50 > 100% IC25 and IC50 Pending
August 27, 2014	HAD-1	Discharge from Polley to Hazeltime			✓	✓			Pending
August 28, 2014	QUL-66-40m	Quesnel Lake Plume	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	LC50 > 100% IC25 and IC50 Pending
September 3, 2014	QUL-66-45m	Quesnel Lake Plume			✓	✓			Pending
September 3, 2014	HAD-2	Discharge from Polley to Hazeltime			✓	✓			Pending
September 10, 2014	HAD-1	Discharge from Polley to Hazeltime			✓	✓			Pending
September 10, 2014	QUL-66-48m	Quesnel Lake Plume			✓	✓			Pending

<sup>1</sup>Rainbow trout acute lethality (96-hours)

<sup>2</sup>Daphnia magna acute lethality (48-hours)

<sup>3</sup>Fathead minnow survival and growth (7-days)

<sup>4</sup>Ceriodaphnia dubia survival and reproduction (up to 8-d)

<sup>5</sup>Algal growth (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - 72-hours)

<sup>6</sup>Plant growth (Lemna minor - 7-days)



### *Sediment Quality Program*

A detailed sediment study is ongoing and part of the Comprehensive Environmental Impact Assessment (CEIA) and therefore no additional sample locations or results are being provided in this update. Details will be provided in a separate report that is currently in progress. As part of this study, forty-six additional sediment data locations have been established since September 3, 2014. Previously collected sediment sample locations are shown on Drawing 621717-006 (attached). Previous sediment data is provided on Tables 2a and 5a.

### *Fish Program*

Sampling of fish tissue specimens at select locations was initiated on August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014. As of September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014 seventeen fish sampling events have occurred with a total of 60 fish specimens (comprised of whole fish, liver tissues, and/or muscle tissue) collected. Fish species being sampled include; sockeye salmon, northern pikeminnow, burbot, Longnose Dace, rainbow trout, and Peamouth Chub. Laboratory analytical results for all fish tissue samples submitted are pending. Laboratory analytical results will be reported as part of the CEIA.

### **Summary of Modifications to the Monitoring Program**

- A review of current analytical and field monitoring results in progress and adaptations to the monitoring program will be considered on an ongoing basis.
- Water quality at HAD-2 is similar to that measured at HAD-1 (similar intake locations). Therefore HAD-2 has been dropped from the sampling program. Field monitoring will continue to confirm similar field measurements (EC, pH, etc.). HAD-1 will be monitored and sampled on a weekly basis.
- POL-5 and POL-6 have been added to the sampling program. P1, P2, POL-3 and POL-4, POL-5, and POL-6 will be sampled on a weekly basis going forward.
- P1 and P2 (existing MPMC sampling locations) have been added to the Polley Lake monitoring program and will be included to provide historical data and context.
- HAC-01 sampling has increased to daily. Access to this location has been restricted due to clean up activities at the mouth of the creek.
- Requests for monitoring of water quality at residential intakes are being catalogued and an appropriate program is being developed for ongoing response to these requests.
- Toxicity testing at QUL-66 (within plume) and HAD-1 will continue on a monthly basis; however, only for sublethal tests as there have been no acute effects observed.

- Mercury parameters are being dropped from routine monitoring program and are being considered as part of water quality impact assessment.
- Total Algae has been added to the routine monitoring and profiling program.
- Profiling locations (CTD and sampling) are being completed on a daily rotational basis (every other day) to confirm surface water quality and quality near the bottom of the lake, and at elevated CTD and/or turbidity readings.
- Lab turnaround time has been changed from priority to regular for most sample analysis.

### **Gaps Identified in the Monitoring Program and Next Actions**

Plume Monitoring remains a priority. Data from the EBA Tetra-Tech vessels are being evaluated and considered in monitoring program going forward.

### **Summary of Daily Observations and Public Interactions**

August 28 – Two vessels equipped for bottom, sediment, and plume mapping arrived and will be implementing related scopes of work. Equipment on board vessels includes deep water monitoring and sampling devices.

August 29 – MPMC is evaluating proposals from UNBC for opportunities for partnering and integration with the planned CEIA.

August 28 to September 10 – Ongoing dialogue and data review with private property and lodge owners regarding water quality results as requested.

September 10- Community meeting held at Likely Community Centre. Residential sample data made available to community members at the meeting.

September 3-Sept 10 Evidence of a sediment plume near surface in Quesnel Lake in the area of Hazeltine Creek toward Mitchell Bay on September 3<sup>rd</sup> triggered some reactive profiling and sampling by field crews. Sediment has dispersed resulting in a slight increase in turbidity in Quesnel Lake.

Sincerely,

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TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Physical Parameters					Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics																																				
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field)	pH (25°C)	Temperature (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Cellform (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (µg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)																								
BC Guidelines																																																	
BCWQO Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	8.5-9.0	6.5-9.0	n/a	Change of 0	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000-16,400 <sup>3</sup>	32,000	60 (C+2)	32,000 <sup>4</sup>	600	188.2-1,274.3 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.009-0.015																								
BCWQO Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1,2,6</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	3,000	20 (C+3)	3,000 <sup>4</sup>	150	n/a	126-309 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a																								
BCWQO Drinking Water (DW) <sup>2,7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100ml	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>4</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01																								
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>2,7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100ml	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a																								
QUR-1																																																	
QUR-1			2014-08-06	48.5	-	7.84	-	0.33	97.2	54	<3	2.03	-	-	0.173	<5	62.7	<1	62.7	<0.5	35	5.65	44.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>																							
QUR-1 (10:30)			2014-08-06	49.7	-	7.83	-	0.38	98.7	63	<3	2.06	-	-	0.163	<5	61.2	<1	61.2	<0.5	35	5.8	43.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>																							
QUR-1 (11:30)																										2014-08-06	48.7	-	7.93	-	0.52	97.1	58	<3	2.08	-	-	0.132	<5	61.9	<1	62.8	<0.5	34	5.8	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (12:00)																										2014-08-07	47.8	-	7.83	-	0.53	96.9	62	<3	1.98	-	0.115	0.174	<5	77.3	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.71	44.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (13:30)																										2014-08-08	50	-	7.58	-	0.5	102	63	<3	1.95	-	-	0.162	<5	104	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.76	47.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (14:30)																										2014-08-08	50.8	7.80	7.92	9.9	0.45	103	68	<3	1.85	-	-	0.171	<5	118	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.9	47	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (15:30)																										2014-08-08	52.8	7.94	7.95	9.6	0.4	104	73	<3	2.06	-	-	0.164	<5	114	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.89	46.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (16:30)																										2014-08-09	51.6	7.94	7.95	10.9	0.3	102	74	<3	2.09	-	-	0.178	<5	110	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.83	45.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (17:30)																										2014-08-10	49.8	7.76	7.87	12.9	0.63	98.0	67	<3	2.07	-	-	0.172	<5	62.1	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.77	45.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (18:30)																										2014-08-10	50.3	7.91	7.92	13.6	0.31	100	68	<3	2.05	-	-	0.178	<5	62.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.77	45.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (19:30)																										2014-08-11	48.3	-	7.88	-	0.45	99.8	70	<3	2.03	-	-	0.154	<5	72.9	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.75	45.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (20:30)																										2014-08-11	48.8	7.73	7.89	16.8	0.52	100	68	<3	2.16	-	-	0.149	<5	72.2	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.73	45.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (21:30)																										2014-08-12	49.1	-	7.92	-	1.2	96.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.2	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.77	-	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>	
QUR-1 (22:30)																										2014-08-12	49.7	8.14	7.85	17.4	0.35	96.4	68	<3	1.92	-	-	0.142	<5	64.4	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.74	45.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (23:00)																										2014-08-12	48.5	-	7.92	-	0.75	98.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.7	<1	-	<0.5	37	5.78	-	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>	
QUR-1 (04:00)																										2014-08-13	50.1	-	7.9	-	0.37	99.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.77	-	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>	
QUR-1 (05:00)																										2014-08-13	49.4	-	7.81	-	1.22	99.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.78	-	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>	
QUR-1 (06:00)																										2014-08-13	48.4	8.20	7.83	18.5	0.25	99.1	68	<3	1.92	-	-	0.139	<5	56	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.73	45.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (07:00)																										2014-08-13	48.3	-	7.84	-	0.22	98.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.2	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.74	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (08:00)																										2014-08-14	48.1	7.96	7.87	18.8	0.18	95.9	66	<3	2.17	-	-	0.124	<5	48.4	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.71	45.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (09:00)																										2014-08-14	48.9	-	7.98	-	0.14	98.4	66	<3	2.03	-	-	-	48.8	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.72	-	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>	
QUR-1 (10:00)																										2014-08-14	48.2	-	7.94	-	0.14	96.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.8	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.73	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (11:00)																										2014-08-14	48.4	-	7.97	-	0.18	97.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.2	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.73	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (12:00)																										2014-08-14	48	-	7.86	-	0.42	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.7	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.75	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (13:00)																										2014-08-15	49	-	7.97	-	0.28	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.4	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.75	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (14:00)																										2014-08-15	48.7	-	8	-	0.32	101	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.2	<1	-	<0.5	37	5.78	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (15:00)																										2014-08-15	48.1	8.19	7.94	17.5	0.28	98.9	61	<3	1.99	-	-	0.133	<5	61.4	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.74	44.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (16:00)																										2014-08-16	49.1	8.21	7.96	18.1	0.45	100	68	<3	2.18	-	-	0.129	<5	86.7	<1	58.2	<0.5	36	5.72	45.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (17:00)																										2014-08-16	50.3	-	7.97	-	0.28	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	81.4	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.77	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (18:00)																										2014-08-17	48.4	8.18	7.96	18.0	0.43	99.2	69	<3	2.08	-	-	0.137	<5	57	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.73	45.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (19:00)																										2014-08-17	49.5	-	7.97	-	0.26	98.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.6	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.78	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (20:00)																										2014-08-18	49.5	-	7.96	-	0.4	99.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.4	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.78	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (21:00)																										2014-08-18	48.6	8.11	7.90	17.3	0.54	99	66	<3	2.5	-	-	0.103	5.3	62.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.76	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (22:00)																										2014-08-18	50.1	-	7.99	-	0.22	98.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.3	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.88	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (23:00)																										2014-08-18	51.4	-	7.93	-	0.36	98.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.7	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.80	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (04:00)																										2014-08-19	50.6	-	7.93	-	0.41	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.88	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (05:00)																										2014-08-19	49.5	-	7.93	-	0.42	98.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.8	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.7	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (06:00)																										2014-08-19	49.8	7.63	7.98	17.8	0.38	97.5	87	<3	2.07	-	-	0.142	<5	56.1	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.65	45.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (07:00)																										2014-08-19	50	-	7.64	-	0.31	96.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.2	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.64	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (08:00)																										2014-08-20	49.7	-	7.89	-	0.36	96.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.4	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.82	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (09:00)																										2014-08-20	50.6	-	7.8	-	0.41	96.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.89	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (10:00)																										2014-08-20	50.5	-	7.9	-	0.63	99.6	85	<3	1.8	-	-	0.132	<5	74.2	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.72	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (11:00)																										2014-08-20	50.9	-	7.85	-	0.52	101	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.88	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (12:00)																										2014-08-21	51.2	-	7.98	-	0.68	99.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.82	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (13:00)																										2014-08-21	50.9	-	7.87	-	0.5	99.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.7	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.83	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (14:00)																										2014-08-21	51.6	-	7.87	-	0.81	100	82	<3	2.1	-	-	0.184	5.1	82.8	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.83	44.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>
QUR-1 (15:00)																										2014-08-21	51.3	-	7.88	-	0.81	101	-	-	-	-	-	-	92.4	<1	-	<0.5	37	5.88	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (16:00)																										2014-08-22	51.6	-	7.88	-	0.55	101	-	-	-	-	-	-	91.2	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.85	-	-	-	-	-
QUR-1 (17:00)																										2014-08-22	51.6	8.05	7.91	14.3	0.73	100	81	<3	2	-	-	0.157	<5	83.8	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.83	45.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>8</sup>

Sample Location	Sample ID	Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																												
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BCWG Aquatic Life (AM) <sup>1,2</sup>			100 <sup>1</sup>	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
BCWG Aquatic Life (30day) (AM) <sup>1,2,3</sup>			50 <sup>1</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
BCWG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
OUR-1	OUR-1	2014-08-06	10.4	16.2	<30	1.92	0.422	0.459	1.01	<0.1	0.12	5.3	<0.1	<10	0.019	<0.8	<0.1	5.72	<0.05	0.63	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.122	<1	<3	
	OUR-1X	2014-08-08	10.8	18.3	<30	1.80	0.47	0.482	0.803	<0.1	0.12	5.15	<0.1	<10	0.07	<0.8	<0.1	0.85	<0.05	0.72	<0.05	0.316	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.125	<1	<3	
	OUR-1X	2014-08-08	8.7	16.3	<30	1.94	0.362	0.468	1.04	<0.1	0.12	5.24	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.7	<0.05	0.314	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.122	<1	<3	
	OUR-1	2014-08-07	9.4	15.9	<30	1.89	0.1	0.483	0.843	<0.1	0.1	5.06	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.75	<0.05	0.288	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.131	<1	<3	
OUR-1	OUR-1(11-33)	2014-08-08	9.2	16.8	<30	1.95	0.156	0.466	0.874	<0.1	0.11	5.37	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.63	-	0.278	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3	
	OUR-1(116-43)	2014-08-08	7.5	17.1	<30	1.96	0.181	0.457	0.873	<0.1	<0.1	5.17	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.76	-	0.29	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3	
	OUR-1(110-59)	2014-08-09	7.3	17.8	<30	2.05	0.365	0.461	0.875	<0.1	0.11	5.08	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.72	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.71	-	0.272	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.182	<1	<3
	OUR-1(114-38)	2014-08-09	17.4	2	<30	2	0.368	0.456	0.859	<0.1	0.1	5.13	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.54	-	0.271	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.171	<1	<3	
OUR-1	OUR-1(10-19)	2014-08-10	9.5	16.8	<30	1.91	0.263	0.474	0.871	<0.1	0.11	5.28	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.57	-	0.271	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.143	<1	<3	
	OUR-1(17-45)	2014-08-10	8.3	17	<30	1.91	0.33	0.471	0.865																						

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TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quessnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample				Total Metals																													
Sample Location	Sample ID	Date (yyyy mm dd)	Aluminum (ppb)	Antimony (ppb)	Arsenic (ppb)	Boron (ppb)	Beryllium (ppb)	Bismuth (ppb)	Bromine (ppb)	Cadmium (ppb)	Calcium (ppb)	Chromium (ppb)	Cobalt (ppb)	Copper (ppb)	Iron (ppb)	Lead (ppb)	Lithium (ppb)	Magnesium (ppb)	Manganese (ppb)	Mercury (ppb)	Molybdenum (ppb)	Nickel (ppb)	Potassium (ppb)	Selenium (ppb)	Silver (ppb)	Sulfur (ppb)	Sodium (ppb)	Thallium (ppb)	Tin (ppb)	Tungsten (ppb)	Uranium (ppb)	Vanadium (ppb)	Zinc (ppb)
BCWD Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	20	5	5,000	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.016-0.026 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	1 (C+H)	110	8.0-8.2 <sup>4</sup>	1,000	27.3-57.7 <sup>5</sup>	870	n/a	1,000-6-1,319 <sup>6</sup>	1,000	25-45 <sup>7</sup>	373,000-432,000	2	n/a	0.1 <sup>8</sup>	n/a	0.3	n/a	2,000	300	8	33 <sup>9</sup>	
BCWD Aquatic Life (25day) (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	5.3 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	3-3 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	4.6-5.9 <sup>5</sup>	14 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	781.1-940 <sup>7</sup>	1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.05 <sup>8</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.5 <sup>9</sup>
BCWD Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	300	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	250	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1</sup>			100	8	10	1,000	n/a	n/a	5,000	5	n/a	50	n/a	1,000	300	10	n/a	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	200,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	20	n/a	5,000
QUR-1																				1 (only mercury analyses in progress)	1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.05 <sup>8</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUR-1X	2014-08-08	18.7	< 0.1	0.14	5.81	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.85	< 30	< 0.05	0.7	1,980	1.38	< 0.05	0.323	< 0.5	478	< 0.5	1,880	< 0.01	874	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	
QUR-1	2014-08-08	22.9	< 0.1	0.14	5.82	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.85	< 30	< 0.05	0.73	2,030	1.42	< 0.05	0.301	< 0.5	489	< 0.5	1,720	< 0.01	952	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	
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All values derived within the body of ENC-Lawson's report (see table upon request).

\* Dissolve composition first then indicated detection limit or HFD less than indicated unless

- Detailed analysis not conducted

\* IREDA non è un'entità separata, ma è parte integrante della IREDA e non ha alcun valore legale.

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Concentration greater than 100 mg/L Drinking Water (DW) guideline.

\* Laboratory detection limit of 0.1 mg/L.

<sup>5</sup> British Columbia Approved Water Quality Guidelines 2006 Edition, updated 2014.

\* A Compendium of Working Water Quality Guidelines for British Columbia, updated August 2006

\* Guideline varies with pH, and/or other Temperature or Hardness.

\* Israeli Council for Foreign Policy Document, 1972.

<sup>†</sup> Interquartile range, as shown within brackets; SD, standard deviation.<sup>2</sup> Overlaid for Nitrate export.<sup>1</sup> Quoted in the *Washington Post* and *Washington Times*.

<sup>a</sup> The total phosphorus guideline is a measure of lake productivity and is based on spring overturn of an average of summer average and is not applicable to single sample results at this point in time.

<sup>a</sup> Calculated based on an individual sample basis, not average of 30 day results.



TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Physical Parameters					Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics														
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field) (pH)	pH (lab) (pH)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliforms (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (µg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromine (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus* (mg/L)	
BC Guidelines																											
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>2,3</sup>			n/a	6.5-9.0	6.5-9.0		Change of 8	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,640-18,400 <sup>4</sup>	32,000	50 (24+2)	32,000 <sup>5</sup>	600	1,224.3 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>2,3,4</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	±1 Degree change from ambient	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,050-1,770 <sup>4</sup>	3,000	20 (24+2)	3,000 <sup>5</sup>	150	n/a	125-300 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>2,5</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>5</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>2,6</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUR-1	QUR-1	2014 08 23	51.2	8.08	7.84	14.7	0.07	102	61	< 3	2.03	-	-	0.151	< 5	80.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.88	45.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1	2014 08 24	52.8	7.73	7.59	14.4	0.67	102	61	< 0.5	-	-	-	0.178	< 5	85.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.82	45.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1-4.00	2014 08 24	52	-	7.6	-	0.66	102	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	77	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.65	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1-12.00	2014 08 24	50.9	-	7.53	-	0.81	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	83.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.87	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1-16.00	2014 08 24	51.1	-	7.56	-	1.1	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	90.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	39	6.02	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1-20.00	2014 08 24	51.3	-	7.56	-	0.66	102	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	86.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.95	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1	2014 08 25	51.2	-	7.58	-	1.06	104	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	97.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.04	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1-08.00	2014 08 25	51.7	-	7.59	-	1.14	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	85.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.02	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1-11.21	2014 08 25	51	-	7.54	-	1.29	102	72	< 3	2.14	-	-	0.153	< 5	81.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.94	46	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1-16.00	2014 08 25	52.2	8.08	8.01	14.8	1.03	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	79.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6	-	< 0.05	-	-		
	QUR-1	2014 08 26	51.1	8.17	8	18.4	0.54	102	83	< 3	2.14	-	-	0.143	< 5	94.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.91	45.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1X	2014 08 26	51.5	8.17	7.95	18.4	0.75	102	83	< 3	2.17	-	-	0.148	< 5	95.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.91	45.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1-00.00	2014 08 26	51.5	-	7.97	-	0.87	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	74.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.98	-	< 0.05	-	-		
	QUR-1-4.00	2014 08 26	52.3	-	8.02	-	0.82	103	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	67.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.94	-	< 0.05	-	-		
	QUR-1-16.00	2014 08 26	49	-	7.90	-	0.76	102	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	94.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.97	-	-	-	-		
	QUR-1	2014 08 27	50.9	8.19	8	17.2	0.8	103	73	< 3	2.05	-	-	0.132	< 5	60	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.93	45.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-1-00.00	2014 08 27	47.4	-	7.97	-	1.23	102	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	82.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.96	-	-	-	-		
QUR-1-08.00	2014 08 27	50.1	-	8	-	0.76	101	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	60.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.92	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1-16.00	2014 08 27	-	-	7.97	-	0.55	97.9	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	58.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.72	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1	2014 08 28	49	-	7.83	-	0.69	100	87	< 3	2.02	-	-	0.131	< 5	54.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.86	44.4	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>7</sup>			
QUR-1-00.00	2014 08 28	-	-	7.95	-	0.55	101	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	97.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.93	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1-08.00	2014 08 28	-	-	7.97	-	0.89	101	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	55.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.91	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1	2014 08 29	49.9	8.17	7.95	17.9	0.67	98.5	68	< 3	1.82	-	-	0.143	< 5	93.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.8	45.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>			
QUR-1-0.00	2014 08 29	-	-	7.95	-	0.82	99.9	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	53.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.79	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1-4.00	2014 08 29	-	-	7.94	-	0.72	98.9	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	54.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.85	-	-	-	-			
QUR-1-16.00	2014 08 29	-	-	7.94	-	0.51	99.7	-	< 3	-	-	-	-	-	54.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.88	-	-	-	-			
QUR-2	QUR-2	2014 08 09	46	6.13	7.87	20.4	0.55	94.6	59	< 3	2.16	-	-	0.146	< 5	50.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	31	5.8	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2	2014 08 09	48.3	6.13	7.88	20.5	0.33	94.4	58	< 3	2.06	-	-	0.152	< 5	48.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	31	5.59	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2	2014 08 09	48.5	7.79	7.85	18.3	0.40	98.4	54	< 3	2.30	-	-	0.136	< 5	54.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.54	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2	2014 08 11	47.7	7.89	7.95	20.2	0.27	97.5	67	< 3	2.39	-	-	0.139	< 5	92.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.82	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 18	48.5	8.27	7.87	20.2	0.4	95	54	< 3	2.08	-	-	0.111	< 5	42.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.84	43.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-10M	2014 08 18	50.9	7.89	7.93	12.1	0.3	97.7	80	< 3	1.87	-	-	0.14	< 5	86	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.75	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-30M	2014 08 18	53.3	7.62	7.84	4.7	1.04	107	68	< 3	1.81	-	-	0.181	< 5	141	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	6.34	48.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-47M	2014 08 21	62.6	7.64	7.66	5.5	49.2	133	90	22.9	1.89	-	-	0.328	26.3	195	< 1	-	< 0.5	55	12	55.4	-	0.0407	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 25	49.5	7.93	7.97	18.4	0.27	98.4	64	< 3	2.03	-	-	0.131	< 5	47.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.78	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 25	49.9	7.93	7.97	18.4	0.24	98.3	67	< 3	1.87	-	-	0.132	< 5	49	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.78	44.3	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 25	49.9	7.93	7.97	18.4	0.24	98.3	67	< 3	1.87	-	-	0.132	< 5	49	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.78	44.3	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 25	50	7.94	7.95	19.1	0.27	99.9	69	< 3	1.8	-	-	0.145	< 5	74.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.85	45	-	0.015	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-40M	2014 08 25	59.5	7.95	7.91	5.9	17.9	116	79	11.7	1.71	-	-	0.249	11	180	< 1	-	< 0.5	44	8.82	51.1	-	0.0099	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 27	43.5	7.97	7.95	18.9	0.25	98.2	63	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.12	< 5	43.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	6.76	44.6	-	0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-15M	2014 08 27	50.7	-	7.97	-	3.55	102	65	< 3	2.09	-	-	0.15	< 5	81.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.11	45.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-42M	2014 08 27	63	-	7.97	-	49	136	107	11.3	1.82	-	-	0.28	33.1	180	< 1	-	< 0.5	56	12.8	54.1	-	0.0016	0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
	QUR-2-0M	2014 08 29	49.5	-	7.91	-	0.45	95.8	56	< 3	2.3	-	-	0.124	< 5	44.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.73	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>		
QUR-2-37M	2014 08 29	55.2	-	7.86	-	8.66	110	68	6.8	1.79	-	-	0.215	5.3	150	< 1	-	< 0.5	40	7.19	49.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>7</sup>			

Associated ALR file: L1408010, L1408011, L1408012, L1408013, L1408014, L1408015, L1408016, L1408017, L1408018, L1408019, L1408020, L1408021, L1408022, L1408023, L1408024, L1408025, L1408026, L1408027, L1408028, L1408029, L1408030, L1408031, L1408032, L1408033, L1408034, L1408035, L1408036, L1408037, L1408038, L1408039, L1408040, L1408041, L1408042, L1408043, L1408044, L1408045, L1408046, L1408047, L1408048, L1408049, L1408050, L1408051, L1408052, L1408053, L1408054, L1408055, L1408056, L1408057, L1408058, L1408059, L1408060, L1408061, L1408062, L1408063, L1408064, L1408065, L1408066, L1408067, L1408068, L1408069, L1408070, L1408071, L1408072, L1408073, L1408074, L1408075, L1408076, L1408077, L1408078, L1408079, L1408080, L1408081, L1408082, L1408083, L

TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Dissolved Metals																												
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BC Guidelines																															
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1</sup>			100 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AV) <sup>2</sup>			50 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>3</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>4</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUR-1	QUR-1	2014-08-23	10	17.2	< 30	1.91	0.507	0.47	0.566	< 0.1	0.12	5.5	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	< 0.05	0.82		0.28	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1	2014-08-24	9	17.7	< 30	2	0.536	0.474	0.48	< 0.1	0.12	5.52	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.95	< 0.05	0.87		0.274	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1-1200	2014-08-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1-1800	2014-08-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1-200	2014-08-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1	2014-08-25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1	2014-08-26	9	17.2	< 30	1.93	0.849	0.458	0.444	< 0.1	0.1	5.8	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.08	< 0.05	0.8		0.29	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	QUR-1	2014-08-26	10.8	17.2	< 30	1.81	0.702	0.458	0.632	< 0.1	0.1	5.46	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.67	< 0.05	0.82		0.287	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.13	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1	2014-08-26	6.8	17.4	< 30	1.67	0.753	0.471	0.658	< 0.1	0.11	5.69	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.68	< 0.05	0.58		0.258	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.131	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-000 RPD %			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-1000	2014-08-26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1	2014-08-27	10.3	17.2	< 30	1.93	0.662	0.484	0.661	< 0.1	0.13	5.52	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.93	< 0.05	0.87		0.286	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-1000	2014-08-27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1	2014-08-28	9.7	16.8	< 30	1.85	0.504	0.471	0.475	< 0.1	0.11	5.45	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.74	< 0.05	0.56		0.289	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-1000	2014-08-28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1	2014-08-29	9.7	16.8	< 30	1.94	0.192	0.455	0.531	< 0.1	0.17	5.55	< 0.1	< 10	0.03	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 0.05	0.53		0.273	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3	
	QUR-1-1000	2014-08-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-1-100	2014-08-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	QUR-2	QUR-2	2014-08-06	11.7	16.1	< 30	1.9	0.422	0.481	1.04	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.19	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 0.05	0.5		0.266	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.127	< 1	< 3
		QUR-2	2014-08-06	11.4	16.2	< 30	1.92	0.443	0.479	1.06	< 0.1	0.1	5.18	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 0.05	0.5		0.268	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3
		QUR-2	2014-08-10	10.2	16.4	< 30	1.89	0.804	0.48	0.841	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.36	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.61		0.295	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-11	11.4	16	< 30	1.87	0.77	0.496	0.446	< 0.1	0.11	5.23	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.67		0.28	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.12	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-19	10.3	16.4	< 30	1.9	0.527	0.468	0.805	< 0.1	0.12	5.45	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.54	< 0.05	0.64		0.285	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.124	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-10M		2014-08-16	9.8	17.1	< 30	1.9	0.288	0.453	0.791	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.1	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.72		0.254	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.144	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-30M		2014-08-16	5.7	18	< 30	2.02	3.29	0.475	0.824	< 0.1	0.1	5.5	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 0.05	0.84		0.336	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.164	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-47M		2014-08-21	11.7	21.2	< 30	2.37	53.9	0.732	3.33	< 0.1	0.45	13.2	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.06	< 0.05	0.89		2.62	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.436	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-25	10	16.7	< 30	1.81	0.377	0.456	0.769	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.16	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.5		0.279	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-25	8.9	16.7	< 30	1.81	0.384	0.444	0.756	< 0.1	0.12	5.16	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.5		0.265	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.126	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-000 RPD %			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-25	9.9	16.9	< 30	1.81	0.343	0.452	0.893	< 0.1	0.1	5.22	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.5		0.283	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-25	8.3	16.8	< 30	2.21	21.8	0.594	1.53	< 0.1	0.24	8.65	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	2.48	< 0.05	0.83		1.47	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.27	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-0M		2014-08-27	9.8	16.6	< 30	1.83	0.331	0.448	0.835	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.1	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.67		0.274	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.135	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-15M		2014-08-27	6.3	17.2	< 30	1.62	1.83	0.448	0.862	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.59	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.13	< 0.05	0.76		0.284	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.145	< 1	< 3	
QUR-2-42M	2014-08-27	10.9	21.3	< 30	2.56	44	0.811	3.49	< 0.1	0.46	13.1	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.15	< 0.05	0.83		2.4	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.454	< 1	< 3		
QUR-2-0M	2014-08																														





TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quannan Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Physical Parameters					Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics														
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field) (pH)	pH (lab) (pH)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliform (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (µg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)	
BC Guidelines																											
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-9.0	6.5-9.0	n/a	Change of 8	n/a	n/a	Change of 20	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000-15,400 <sup>3</sup>	32,800	60 (CH <sub>3</sub> )	32,800 <sup>4</sup>	600	866.2-1,224.5 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30-day) (AW) <sup>2,4,6</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,500-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	3,000	20 (CH <sub>3</sub> )	3,000 <sup>4</sup>	150	n/a	129-309 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.100-0.100	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>8</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	0.01
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.100-0.100	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-06-06	47.5	6.05	7.65	20.8	0.34	93.8	57	< 3	2.37	-	-	< 0.17	< 5	45.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.57	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-09	48.3	7.94	7.89	18.7	0.4	95.8	67	< 3	2.27	-	-	0.13	< 5	55.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.52	42.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-10	48.2	7.94	7.84	21.7	0.32	95.8	58	< 3	2.35	-	-	0.121	< 5	53.7	1.1	-	< 0.5	36	5.55	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3X	2014-06-10	48.7	7.94	7.84	21.7	0.37	96	60	< 3	2.16	-	-	0.12	< 5	54.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.50	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QWQ RPD %																										
	QUL-3	2014-06-11	48	7.82	7.81	20.5	0.34	97.2	66	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.136	< 5	51.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.81	43.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-12	47.4	8.02	7.97	21.0	0.28	95.3	67	< 3	1.9	-	-	0.128	< 5	45.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.65	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-13	47.3	-	7.99	20.8	0.25	97.6	60	< 3	2.16	-	-	0.132	< 5	44.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.63	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-14	49	8.05	7.95	21.8	0.21	98.5	68	< 3	2	-	-	0.114	< 5	46.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.66	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-15	48.5	8.07	7.98	21.2	0.32	96.9	62	< 3	1.8	-	-	0.105	< 5	45.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.60	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-16	47.9	8.06	7.99	20.1	0.35	95.3	65	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.109	< 5	43.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.62	51.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3X	2014-06-16	48.3	8.08	7.85	20.1	0.41	95.1	59	< 3	1.92	-	-	0.117	< 5	43.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	5.63	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QWQ RPD %																										
	QUL-3	2014-06-17	48.3	7.94	7.98	20.6	0.3	96.7	60	< 3	2.36	-	-	0.129	< 5	42.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.54	42.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-18	48.7	7.82	7.84	19.7	0.28	96.6	75	< 3	1.64	-	-	0.115	< 5	44.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.58	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3	2014-06-22	49.5	-	7.94	19.1	0.34	96.8	71	< 3	2.06	-	-	0.130	< 5	48.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.69	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-3-3M	2014-06-22	48.7	-	8.02	19.0	0.21	100	115	9.5	1.93	-	-	0.371	45.3	22.5	1.3	-	0.56	46	5.59	58.9	-	0.006	0.008		
	QUL-4	QUL-4	2014-06-06	48.6	8.03	7.95	21.4	0.81	94.9	61	< 3	2.17	-	-	0.146	< 5	43.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.62	43.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
		QUL-5	2014-06-06	48.1	8.01	7.84	21.5	0.76	95.6	57	< 3	2.16	-	-	0.237	< 5	43.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.68	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-6	QUL-6	2014-06-06	48	8.05	7.90	21.3	0.83	95.8	57	< 3	2.23	-	-	0.168	< 5	44	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.78	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
		QUL-7	2014-06-06	48	7.92	7.92	21.2	0.83	95	50	< 3	2.19	-	-	0.178	< 5	40.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.62	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-8	QUL-8	2014-06-06	47.8	7.96	7.8	21.0	1.4	95.8	60	< 3	2.21	-	-	0.149	< 5	38.4	1.8	-	< 0.5	34	5.81	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
		QUL-6	2014-06-06	48.3	8.01	7.83	21.5	1.14	94.6	58	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.15	< 5	42.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.62	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-8	QUL-8	2014-06-09	49	7.84	7.84	19.8	0.78	96.7	70	< 3	2.42	-	-	0.141	< 5	37.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.81	43.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-9		2014-06-10	49.2	7.81	7.04	20.7	0.56	95.5	68	< 3	2.33	-	-	0.13	< 5	54.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.92	45.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
QUL-9	QUL-9	2014-06-12	47.1	7.86	7.06	20.6	0.32	96	84	< 3	1.95	-	-	0.151	< 5	48.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.60	44.5	-	0.0011	< 0.002		
	QUL-9	2014-06-13	47.7	-	7.86	20.5	0.65	95.9	61	< 3	2.65	-	-	0.115	< 5	12.8	1.1	-	< 0.5	34	5.8	45.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
QUL-9X	2014-06-13	48.1	-	7.83	-	0.54	95.7	60	< 3	2.68	-	-	0.135	< 5	11.9	1.2	-	< 0.5	33	5.58	44.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002			
QWQ RPD %																											
QUL-8	QUL-8	2014-06-14	49	8.02	7.95	20.4	0.25	97.7	67	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.128	< 5	41.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.85	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-8	2014-06-15	49.2	-	7.92	-	0.74	95.8	68	< 3	1.97	-	-	0.102	< 5	27.6	1.2	-	< 0.5	36	5.84	43.6	-	0.0012	< 0.002		
QUL-8	QUL-8	2014-06-16	49.3	8.07	7.96	20.4	0.31	95.6	60	< 3	2	-	-	0.116	< 5	42.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	5.64	43.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-8	2014-06-17	48.4	7.82	7.54	21.2	0.35	96.7	62	< 3	2.5	-	-	0.136	< 5	36.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.83	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
QUL-6	QUL-6	2014-06-19	47.7	7.84	7.62	20.0	0.24	96.7	68	< 3	2.17	-	-	0.111	< 5	42.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.54	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-8X	2014-06-19	49	7.84	7.85	20.0	0.24	95.6	65	< 3	2.03	-	-	0.113	< 5	42	< 1	-	< 0.5	27	5.55	43.7	-	0.0026	< 0.002		
QWQ RPD %																											
QUL-10 QUL-11	QUL-10	2014-06-22	50.3	7.74	7.68	19.8	1.73	98.3	69	< 3	2.2	-	-	0.138	< 5	42.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.76	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-26	47.7	8.08	7.05	21.4	0.41	94.9	55	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.195	< 5	45	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.58	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	49.2	-	7.76	-	2.43	95.4	74	< 3	2.5	-	-	0.122	< 5	35	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.79	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	48.1	-	7.93	-	0.85	93	71	< 3	2.04	-	-	0.135	< 5	88.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.82	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	48.5	-	7.65	-	0.58	93.4	73	< 3	2.12	-	-	0.137	< 5	88	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.51	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QWQ RPD %																										
QUL-11-DM QUL-11-DM QUL-11-DM QUL-11-DM	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	50.8	-	7.9	-	1.3	95.9	76	< 3	2.02	-	-	0.171	< 5	112	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.76	48.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	53.6	-	7.81	-	0.59	103	84	< 3	1.85	-	-	0.181	< 5	135	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.05	48.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	53.7	-	7.81	-	0.9	105	75	< 3	1.78	-	-	0.198	< 5	141	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.06	48.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		
	QUL-11-DM	2014-06-27	63.8	-	7.81	-	0.98	105	76	< 3	1.54	-	-	0.191	< 5	140	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.14	48.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002		

TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																													
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (mg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (mg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)		
BC Guidelines																																
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>a</sup>			100 <sup>b</sup>	n/a	300	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>b,c</sup>			50 <sup>b</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>a</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>a</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-06	10.6	15.9	< 30	1.9	0.608	0.5	1.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.36	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 0.05	0.54	< 0.05	0.421	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.124	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3	2014-08-06	10.6	15.2	< 30	1.88	0.566	0.473	0.831	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.36	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.67	-	0.330	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.147	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-10	10.9	16.2	< 30	1.86	0.629	0.463	0.85	< 0.1	0.11	5.24	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.291	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.129	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3X	2014-08-10	11	16.4	< 30	1.88	0.667	0.478	0.847	< 0.1	0.11	5.14	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.291	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3 RPD %																																
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-11	11.8	15.1	< 30	1.89	0.734	0.496	0.897	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.39	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.62	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.131	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3	2014-08-12	10.9	15.9	< 30	1.9	0.704	0.477	0.876	< 0.1	0.12	5.39	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.68	-	0.341	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-13	10.9	15.8	< 30	1.90	0.716	0.458	0.836	< 0.1	0.11	5.26	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.64	-	0.324	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.131	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3	2014-08-14	11	15.5	< 30	1.88	0.516	0.457	0.768	< 0.1	0.1	5.06	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.64	-	0.274	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-15	10.2	16.4	< 30	1.67	0.482	0.462	0.8	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.19	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.301	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3	2014-08-16	10.7	16.1	< 30	1.85	0.466	0.475	0.815	< 0.1	0.11	5.4	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.70	-	0.298	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3	QUL-3X	2014-08-16	10.8	16.2	< 30	1.88	0.500	0.475	0.821	< 0.1	0.12	5.47	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	0.7	-	0.299	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3 RPD %																																
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-17	10.9	16.2	< 30	1.91	0.568	0.466	0.825	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.27	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.66	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.139	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3	2014-08-18	10.7	16.4	< 30	1.86	0.508	0.472	0.833	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.08	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.74	-	0.275	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-22	10.4	15.6	< 30	1.92	0.5	0.687	0.822	< 0.1	0.1	5.3	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	< 0.05	0.74	-	0.26	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-3XTM	2014-08-22	14.3	23.6	< 30	2.62	0.1	0.971	3.25	0.24	0.7	17.8	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.9	< 0.05	1.05	-	0.64	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.607	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-4	QUL-4	2014-08-06	10.3	16.3	< 30	1.94	1.43	0.504	1.09	< 0.1	0.11	5.52	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.68	< 0.05	0.5	< 0.05	0.494	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-5	2014-08-06	11.8	16.1	< 30	1.92	1.5	0.532	1.09	< 0.1	0.1	5.65	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.65	< 0.05	0.5	< 0.05	0.365	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.129	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-6	QUL-6	2014-08-06	11.3	16.1	< 30	1.91	1.31	0.517	1.08	< 0.1	0.1	5.62	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.87	< 0.05	0.5	< 0.05	0.407	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.127	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-7	2014-08-06	10.9	16.1	< 30	1.92	1.79	0.508	1.09	< 0.1	0.11	5.6	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.87	< 0.05	0.56	< 0.05	0.369	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.124	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-8	QUL-8	2014-08-06	11.3	16	< 30	1.92	2.29	0.524	1.1	< 0.1	0.11	5.64	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.81	< 0.05	0.5	< 0.05	0.358	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.125	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-9	2014-08-06	11.8	16.2	< 30	1.92	2.43	0.525	1.07	< 0.1	0.12	5.71	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 0.05	0.52	< 0.05	0.347	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.126	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-9	QUL-9	2014-08-06	10.1	16.5	< 30	1.89	1.2	0.478	0.838	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.43	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.52	< 0.05	0.59	-	0.362	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-9	2014-08-10	10.8	16.6	< 30	1.86	1.53	0.491	0.835	< 0.1	0.11	5.44	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.54	< 0.05	0.52	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-9	QUL-9	2014-08-12	10.5	16.8	< 30	1.85	0.408	0.488	0.83	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.20	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.73	-	0.308	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.129	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-9	2014-08-13	8.4	16	< 30	1.86	3.30	0.544	0.846	< 0.1	0.12	5.14	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 0.05	1.06	-	0.313	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.122	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-9	QUL-9X	2014-08-13	8.5	16.1	< 30	1.91	3.59	0.57	0.854	< 0.1	0.1	5.34	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	1.07	-	0.314	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.123	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-9 RPD %																																
QUL-9	QUL-9	2014-08-14	10.4	16.5	< 30	1.91	1.18	0.471	0.821	< 0.1	0.11	5.45	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.72	-	0.301	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3	< 3	
	QUL-9	2014-08-15	10.2	16.6	< 30	1.9	2.52	0.511	0.85	< 0.1	0.12	5.12	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.322	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.131	< 1	< 3	< 3	
QUL-9	QUL-9	2014-08-16	10.1	16.2	< 30	1.88	0.489	0.484	0.799	< 0.1	0.11	5.4	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.69	-	0.299	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.131	< 1	< 3	< 3	
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TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quennell Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Total Metals																														
			Aluminum (µg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Bismuth (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Calcium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Magnesium (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Potassium (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silicon (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Sodium (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Tin (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	20	5	5,000	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.016-0.028 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	1 (Cr(VI))	110	6.0-4.2 <sup>4</sup>	1,000	27.3-57.1 <sup>5</sup>	870	n/a	1,000-1,378 <sup>6</sup>	Method Mercury analysis in progress	2,000	25-80 <sup>7</sup>	373,000-433,000	2	n/a	0.1 <sup>8</sup>	n/a	0.3	n/a	2,000	300	6	33 <sup>9</sup>
BCWQG Aquatic Life (DAM) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000	3.3 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	2-3 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	n/a	6.6-5.5 <sup>5</sup>	14 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	781.1-840 <sup>7</sup>		1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.02 <sup>8</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.3 <sup>9</sup>
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	800	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	250	n/a	n/a	16	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			100	8	10	1,000	n/a	n/a	3,000	5	n/a	n/a	30	n/a	1,000	300	10	n/a	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
QUL-2	QUL-2	2014-08-06	18.9	<0.1	0.12	5.47	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,300	<0.5	<0.1	0.7	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,949	1.47	<0.05	0.327	<0.5	489	<0.5	1,820	<0.01	828	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.13	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-09	23.7	<0.1	0.12	5.53	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	0.74	<30	<0.05	0.669	1,918	1.42	<0.05	0.322	<0.5	485	<0.5	1,860	<0.01	863	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.14	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-10	16.3	<0.1	0.13	5.52	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	0.59	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,999	1.36	<0.05	0.303	<0.5	484	<0.5	1,800	<0.01	872	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.13	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-10	14.4	<0.1	0.13	5.24	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	0.58	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,830	1.08	<0.05	0.304	<0.5	474	<0.5	1,830	<0.01	856	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.13	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-11	17.1	<0.1	0.13	5.39	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,700	<0.5	<0.1	0.57	<30	<0.05	0.82	1,870	1.41	<0.05	0.322	<0.5	484	<0.5	1,840	<0.01	838	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.138	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-12	14.4	<0.1	0.13	5.57	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,100	<0.5	<0.1	0.57	<30	<0.05	0.78	1,930	1.53	<0.05	0.302	<0.5	476	<0.5	1,840	<0.01	878	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.137	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-13	13.8	<0.1	0.14	5.63	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,300	<0.5	<0.1	0.53	<30	<0.05	0.88	1,990	1.31	<0.05	0.341	<0.5	478	<0.5	1,820	<0.01	867	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.14	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-14	14.4	<0.1	0.11	5.24	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	0.57	<30	<0.05	0.88	1,870	1.02	<0.05	0.304	<0.5	481	<0.5	1,840	<0.01	865	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.141	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-15	15	<0.1	0.12	5.14	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,400	<0.5	<0.1	0.58	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,880	1.1	<0.05	0.3	<0.5	481	<0.5	1,880	<0.01	813	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.141	<1	<3
	QUL-2	2014-08-16	18	<0.1	0.14	5.42	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	0.6	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,870	1.33	<0.05	0.304	<0.5	486	<0.5	1,840	<0.01	815	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.138	<1	<3
QUL-2	2014-08-16	18.2	<0.1	0.12	5.51	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,300	<0.5	<0.1	0.8	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,880	1.44	<0.05	0.321	<0.5	485	<0.5	1,830	<0.01	842	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.138	<1	<3	
QUL-3	QUL-3	2014-08-17	25.3	<0.1	0.12	5.36	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<30	<0.05	0.78	1,880	1.43	<0.05	0.3	<0.5	487	<0.5	1,830	<0.01	856	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.141	<1	<3
	QUL-3	2014-08-18	15.2	<0.1	0.13	5.48	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	0.55	<30	<0.05	0.82	1,840	1.2	<0.05	0.305	<0.5	485	<0.5	1,870	<0.01	861	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.141	<1	<3
	QUL-3	2014-08-22	28.2	<0.1	0.11	5.52	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	1.02	<30	<0.05	0.65	1,840	1.56	<0.05	0.35	<0.5	488	<0.5	1,820	<0.01	838	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.141	<1	<3
	QUL-3-DW	2014-08-22	2.822	0.3	1.84	94.6	<0.1	<0.8	<10	0.021	24,100	1.54	0.14	0.77	42	<0.05	0.79	3,670	1.62	<0.05	2.01	2,550	0.94	10,100	0.032	3,840	0.014	0.12	166	0.726	0.757	0.12	<3
	QUL-4	2014-08-08	47.3	<0.1	0.13	5.09	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,100	<0.5	<0.1	1.25	45	<0.05	<0.5	1,880	3.05	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	503	<0.5	1,660	<0.01	839	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.133	<1	<3
	QUL-5	2014-08-08	48.4	<0.1	0.11	5.96	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	15,700	<0.5	<0.1	1.5	44	<0.05	<0.5	1,820	2.82	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	482	<0.5	1,880	<0.01	840	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.128	<1	<3
	QUL-6	2014-08-08	53.9	<0.1	0.13	5.22	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	1.83	46	<0.05	<0.5	1,870	2.94	<0.05	0.337	<0.5	507	<0.5	1,710	<0.01	886	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.132	<1	<3
	QUL-7	2014-08-08	57.1	<0.1	0.13	5.13	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,100	<0.5	<0.1	1.72	42	<0.05	0.53	1,870	3.31	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	522	<0.5	1,700	<0.01	889	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.132	<1	<3
	QUL-8	2014-08-08	57.7	<0.1	0.15	7.94	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,100	<0.5	<0.1	1.27	82	<0.05	<0.5	2,030	4.79	<0.05	0.364	<0.5	597	<0.5	1,420	<0.01	887	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.136	<1	<3
	QUL-9	2014-08-08	83.8	<0.1	0.15	8.48	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	1.33	80	<0.05	0.59	1,980	4.3	<0.05	0.353	<0.5	536	<0.5	1,770	<0.01	893	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.135	<1	<3
QUL-9	2014-08-08	31.4	<0.1	0.13	5.75	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	1.39	<30	<0.05	0.63	1,910	2.58	<0.05	0.33	<0.5	488	<0.5	1,600	<0.01	861	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.142	<1	<3	
QUL-9	2014-08-10	22.7	<0.1	0.12	5.35	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,600	<0.5	<0.1	0.78	<30	<0.05	<0.5	1,790	1.84	<0.05	0.31	<0.5	491	<0.5	1,530	<0.01	891	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.132	<1	<3	
QUL-9	2014-08-12	17.2	<0.1	0.13	5.28	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,100	<0.5	<0.1	0.73	<30	<0.05	0.77	1,830	1.61	<0.05	0.333	<0.5	488	<0.5	1,860	<0.01	846	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.138	<1	<3	
QUL-9	2014-08-13	25.8	<0.1	0.16	6.28	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	0.93	30	<0.05	0.76	1,890	5.69	<0.05	0.335	<0.5	580	<0.5	1,840	<0.01	891	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.13	<1	<3	
QUL-9	2014-08-13	25.8	<0.1	0.15	6.53	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	1.1	38	<0.05	0.85	1,890	6.04	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	579	<0.5	1,880	<0.01	890	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.131	<1	<3	
QUL-9-DW	2014-08-13	25.8	<0.1	0.15	6.53	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,200	<0.5	<0.1	1.1	38	<0.05	0.85	1,890	6.04	<0.05	0.332	<0.5	579	<0.5	1,880	<0.01	890	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.131	<1	<3	
QUL-9-DW	QUL-9	2014-08-14	17.1	<0.1	0.13	5.52	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,300	<0.5	<0.1	0.7	<30	<0.05	0.82	1,810	2.2	<0.05	0.33	<0.5	489	<0.5	1,620	<0.01	844	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.139	<1	<3
	QUL-9	2014-08-15	43.1	<0.1	0.17	6.25	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,500	<0.5	<0.1	1.81	44	<0.05	<0.5	1,940	4.36	<0.05	0.339	<0.5	536	<0.5	1,700	<0.01	892	<0.01	<0.1	<10	0.136	<1	<3
	QUL-9	2014-08-16	15.8	<0.1	0.13	5.46	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01	16,300																						



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Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Physical Parameters					Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics															
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field)	pH (lab)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TD5 (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliform (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (µg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (µg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO <sub>3</sub> ) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)		
BC Guidelines																												
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.0	6.5-9.0		Change of 5	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	32,800	60 (CI+2)	32,800 <sup>4</sup>	800	198.2-1,224.3 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015		
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (30d) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	3,000	20 (CI+2)	3,000 <sup>4</sup>	150	n/a	124-308 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01		
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a		
QUL-12	QUL-12-01	2014-08-07	49.5	-	7.89	-	13.1	97.9	73	13.6	2.53	-	-	0.106	<5	36.7	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.86	45.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-12-02	2014-08-07	48.6	-	7.97	-	0.47	64.8	68	<3	2	-	-	0.120	<5	71.2	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.51	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-13	QUL-13-01	2014-08-07	50.7	-	7.91	-	1.06	99.7	77	<3	2	-	-	0.164	<5	112	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.77	47	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-13-02	2014-08-07	52.7	-	7.92	-	1.06	104	74	<3	1.88	-	-	0.181	<5	130	<1	-	<0.5	37	6.04	48.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-14	QUL-14-01	2014-08-07	53.5	-	7.91	-	0.7	105	74	<3	1.95	-	-	0.18	<5	140	<1	-	<0.5	36	6.07	49	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-14-02	2014-08-07	54.9	-	7.94	-	3.07	94.6	89	<3	2.21	-	-	0.113	<5	54.8	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.56	44.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-15	QUL-15-01	2014-08-07	48.2	-	7.95	-	0.49	94.5	86	<3	2.08	-	-	0.178	<5	72.8	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.5	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-15-02	2014-08-07	48.5	-	7.93	-	0.87	88.2	70	<3	1.84	-	-	0.168	<5	111	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.72	48.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-16	QUL-16-01	2014-08-07	52.2	-	7.92	-	1.18	104	75	<3	1.84	-	-	0.174	<5	136	<1	-	<0.5	36	6.02	48.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-16-02	2014-08-07	50.9	-	7.94	-	0.81	108	68	<3	1.78	-	-	0.188	<5	141	<1	-	<0.5	36	6.08	49.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-17	QUL-17-01	2014-08-07	48.6	-	7.87	-	7.45	88.8	88	<3	2.69	>2,420	236	0.124	<5	27.5	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.84	45.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-17-02	2014-08-07	47.9	-	7.94	-	1.25	96.0	66	<3	2.05	-	-	0.137	<5	66.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.50	44.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-18	QUL-18-01	2014-08-07	46.8	-	7.91	-	2.26	87.5	69	<3	2.58	>2,420	461	0.127	<5	34.8	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.78	52.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-18-02	2014-08-07	48.1	-	7.92	-	1.15	85.6	67	<3	2.1	-	-	0.131	<5	70	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.54	50	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-19	QUL-19-01	2014-08-07	48.3	-	7.93	-	0.97	85	64	<3	2.21	-	-	0.144	<5	56.7	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.83	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-19-02	2014-08-07	48	-	7.95	-	0.5	85.3	61	<3	2.07	-	-	0.13	<5	58	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.5	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-20	QUL-20-01	2014-08-07	48.7	8.01	7.97	17.3	1.31	96.5	60	<3	2.45	46	2	0.122	<5	69.1	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.51	44.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-20-02	2014-08-07	48.5	7.89	7.88	18.2	0.44	86.3	65	<3	2.31	-	-	0.135	<5	63	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.48	42.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-21	QUL-21-01	2014-08-11	46	7.97	7.91	20.2	0.41	87.5	64	<3	2.36	-	-	0.133	<5	52.4	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.68	43.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-21-02	2014-08-11	47	8.01	7.97	20.8	0.44	88.0	64	<3	1.91	-	-	0.135	<5	48.5	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.85	44	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-22	QUL-22-01	2014-08-13	47.5	-	7.95	20.8	0.39	87.8	58	<3	2.15	-	-	0.12	<5	42.7	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.63	44.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-22-02	2014-08-14	49.4	7.95	7.95	20.9	0.29	87.5	62	<3	2.11	-	-	0.107	<5	43	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.63	44.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-23	QUL-23-01	2014-08-14	46.5	7.95	7.95	20.9	0.28	87.8	60	<3	2.15	-	-	0.111	<5	43	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.65	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-23-02	2014-08-15	48.4	8.13	7.98	21.0	0.25	88.2	58	<3	1.92	-	-	0.103	<5	41.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.63	43.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-24	QUL-24-01	2014-08-15	48.6	8.12	7.96	20.8	0.52	85.6	56	<3	2.94	-	-	0.117	<5	48	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.82	42.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-24-02	2014-08-17	47.9	7.78	7.97	21.1	0.36	88.5	62	<3	2.32	-	-	0.122	<5	40.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.54	43.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-25	QUL-25-01	2014-08-08	48.8	8.92	7.95	18.9	0.38	95.4	84	<3	2.07	27	1	0.129	<5	68.9	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.5	44	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-25-02	2014-08-08	50.7	7.92	7.97	18.9	0.58	88.9	65	<3	1.92	-	-	0.163	<5	89.3	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.86	45.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-26	QUL-26-01	2014-08-08	54.6	7.95	7.95	4.5	0.66	107	59	<3	1.89	-	-	0.185	<5	143	<1	-	<0.5	36	6.11	46.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-26-02	2014-08-08	49.6	7.93	7.91	16.5	0.64	84.4	68	<3	2.23	-	-	0.143	<5	84.4	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.53	42.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-27	QUL-27-01	2014-08-08	49.6	7.85	7.97	11.8	0.37	97.1	73	<3	2.01	-	-	0.158	<5	87.7	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.5	43.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-27-02	2014-08-08	54.5	7.99	7.97	4.5	0.4	108	75	<3	1.81	-	-	0.186	<5	136	<1	-	<0.5	37	6.19	48	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-28	QUL-28-01	2014-08-10	48.8	7.77	7.91	20.5	0.36	86.2	63	<3	2.25	-	-	0.136	<5	54.3	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.58	45	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-28-02	2014-08-11	47.8	7.73	7.91	20.3	0.38	87.7	67	<3	2.22	-	-	0.200	<5	63.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.63	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-29	QUL-29-01	2014-08-12	47.4	7.89	7.94	21.0	0.51	85.6	64	<3	1.88	-	-	0.126	<5	51.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.67	44.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-29-02	2014-08-13	47.2	-	7.98	20.3	0.34	88.2	57	<3	2.1	-	-	0.12	<5	44.8	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.63	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-30	QUL-30-01	2014-08-13	50.2	-	7.97	10.1	0.27	103	70	<3	1.85	-	-	0.173	<5	111	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.85	46.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-30-02	2014-08-13	52.3	-	7.97	-	0.48	109	59	<3	1.81	-	-	0.188	<5	130	<1	-	<0.5	35	6.21	48.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-31	QUL-31-01	2014-08-14	45.2	8.04	7.97	21.2	0.22	97.9	67	<3	1.98	-	-	0.105	<5	46	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.65	44.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-31-02	2014-08-15	48.9	8.09	7.93	21.0	0.28	94.7	65	<3	1.89	-	-	0.102	<5	42.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.62	43.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-32	QUL-32-01	2014-08-16	48.3	8.08	7.95	20.4	0.62	94.7	66	<3	2.02	-	-	0.108	<5	41	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.8	43.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-32-02	2014-08-16	50	7.82	7.84	13.9	1.4	87.4	64	<3	2.06	-	-	0.135	<5	87.8	<1	-	<0.5	39	5.82	44.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
QUL-33	QUL-33-01	2014-08-16	54.6	7.60	7.91	4.7	3.17	106	69	<3	1.7	-	-	0.173	<5	141	<1	-	<0.5	38	6.37	49.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>6</sup>			
	QUL-33-02	2014-08-16	40.8	7.90	7.93	20.0	0.35	86.5	63	<3	2.07	-	-	0.112	<5	40.3</												

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Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Dissolved Metals																															
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (mg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)				
BC Guidelines																																		
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1a</sup>			100 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	300	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a			
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1a</sup>			50 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a			
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1a</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a			
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1a</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a			
QUL-12	QUL-12-0M	2014 06 07	12.4	16.7	< 30	1.84	0.46	0.556	1.02	< 0.1	0.13	7.42	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.7	< 0.05	0.74	-	0.413	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-12-0M	2014 06 07	10.2	16.3	< 30	1.9	0.174	0.453	0.912	< 0.1	< 0.1	3.15	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	0.81	-	0.29	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.135	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-12-10M	2014 06 07	8	17.1	< 30	1.68	0.456	0.456	0.927	< 0.1	0.1	5.44	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	0.84	-	0.274	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.142	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-12-10M	2014 06 07	9.7	17.8	< 30	2.04	0.522	0.466	1.03	< 0.1	0.11	5.34	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.72	-	0.275	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.149	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-12-20M	2014 06 07	5.5	18	< 30	2.05	0.498	0.471	0.907	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.13	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.78	-	0.266	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.152	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-13-0M	2014 06 07	11	15.1	< 30	1.83	0.23	0.49	1	< 0.1	0.11	5.84	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.59	< 0.05	0.8	-	0.37	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-13-10M	2014 06 07	10.4	18.2	< 30	1.87	0.186	0.481	0.904	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.21	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.53	< 0.05	0.81	-	0.272	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.130	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-13-10M	2014 06 07	9.2	18.7	< 30	1.95	0.275	0.499	0.952	< 0.1	0.11	5.27	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.80	-	0.273	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.14	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-13-10M	2014 06 07	6.1	17.7	< 30	2.03	0.287	0.47	0.968	< 0.1	0.1	5.58	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.87	-	0.273	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.15	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-13-20M	2014 06 07	8.1	15.9	< 30	1.95	0.342	0.478	1	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.11	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 0.05	0.8	-	0.280	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.16	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-14-0M	2014 06 07	11.1	15.3	< 30	1.82	0.63	0.578	0.981	< 0.1	0.14	6.89	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.39	< 0.05	0.65	-	0.365	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.125	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-14	QUL-14-10M	2014 06 07	12.3	18.1	< 30	1.87	0.934	0.478	0.937	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.42	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.59	< 0.05	0.80	-	0.266	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-15-0M	2014 06 07	28.6	16.4	< 30	1.95	0.24	0.58	1	< 0.1	0.3	6.82	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.33	< 0.05	0.75	-	0.374	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-15	QUL-15-4.5M	2014 06 07	10.3	16.2	< 30	1.89	0.408	0.47	0.901	< 0.1	0.1	5.18	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	0.78	-	0.277	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-16-0M	2014 06 07	11.1	16.2	< 30	1.9	2.18	0.506	0.92	< 0.1	0.13	5.71	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 0.05	0.8	-	0.315	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-16	QUL-16-4.5M	2014 06 07	10.4	16.1	< 30	1.89	0.864	0.49	0.919	< 0.1	0.13	5.36	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	< 0.05	0.78	-	0.29	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-17	2014 06 08	12.2	16.4	< 30	1.91	0.754	0.484	0.838	< 0.1	0.1	5.49	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.86	< 0.05	0.55	-	0.279	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.127	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-17	QUL-17	2014 06 08	9.9	18.4	< 30	1.88	0.956	0.483	0.839	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.35	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.59	< 0.05	0.58	-	0.296	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.135	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-17	2014 06 11	11	18.1	< 30	1.89	1.78	0.503	0.947	< 0.1	0.12	5.46	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.59	< 0.05	0.54	-	0.288	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.139	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-17	QUL-17	2014 06 12	10	15.8	< 30	1.83	0.222	0.486	0.85	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.41	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.77	-	0.311	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-17	2014 06 13	9.4	15.9	< 30	1.9	0.284	0.471	0.833	< 0.1	0.1	5.47	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.80	-	0.332	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.13	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-17	QUL-17	2014 06 14	12.8	16.6	< 30	1.83	0.843	0.475	0.815	< 0.1	0.1	5.39	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.83	-	0.286	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.129	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-17X	2014 06 14	10	18.3	< 30	1.86	0.892	0.481	0.829	< 0.1	0.12	5.33	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.84	-	0.290	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.124	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QAWG RPD %			3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3			
QUL-17	QUL-17	2014 06 15	9.6	16.3	< 30	1.85	0.574	0.473	0.835	< 0.1	0.12	5.52	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.301	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.127	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-17	2014 06 16	10.3	16.3	< 30	1.86	0.484	0.489	0.787	< 0.1	0.1	5.43	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.64	-	0.287	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-17	QUL-17	2014 06 17	10	16.1	< 30	1.88	0.894	0.47	0.82	< 0.1	0.1	5.37	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.50	-	0.292	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-18-0M	2014 06 08	10.9	16.3	< 30	1.91	0.294	0.468	0.824	< 0.1	0.11	5.37	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.57	-	0.301	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-18	QUL-18-0M	2014 06 08	11.1	17	< 30	1.97	0.188	0.46	0.856	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.32	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.67	-	0.282	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-18-30M	2014 06 08	5.9	15.4	< 30	2.11	1.72	0.462	0.911	< 0.1	0.1	5.25	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.71	-	0.285	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.143	< 1	< 3	< 3			
QUL-18	QUL-18-0M	2014 06 08	10.3	16.4	< 30	1.99	0.599	0.474	0.839	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.42	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.58	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.312	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3	< 3			
	QUL-18-0M	2014 06 09	8.4	16.8	< 30	1.9	0.149	0.469	0.833	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.02	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.55	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.281	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.								

TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quosnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Total Metals																																	
			Aluminum (µg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Berilium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Bismuth (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Calcium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Magnesium (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Potassium (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silicon (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Sodium (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Tin (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)			
BC Guidelines																																				
BCWG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>a</sup>			n/a	30	5	8,000	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.018-0.008 <sup>b</sup>	n/a	1 (Cr(VI))	110	6.3-8.2 <sup>c</sup>	1,000	27.3-57.3 <sup>d</sup>	870	n/a	1,000-1,378 <sup>e</sup>		2,000	25-80 <sup>f</sup>	373,000-432,000	7	n/a	0.1 <sup>g</sup>	n/a	0.3	n/a	n/a	2,000	300	5	35 <sup>h</sup>		
BCWG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>a,i</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	1,300	5.5 <sup>j</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	2-5 <sup>k</sup>	n/a	4.4-5.6 <sup>l</sup>	14 <sup>m</sup>	n/a	781.1-840 <sup>n</sup>		1,000	n/a	432,000	n/a	n/a	0.05 <sup>o</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.5 <sup>p</sup>			
BCWG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>q</sup>			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	300	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	230	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	3	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000			
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>r</sup>			100	5	10	5,000	n/a	n/a	5,000	5	n/a	50	n/a	1,000	300	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	200,000	50	n/a	n/a	20	n/a	5,000		
QUL-12	QUL-12-0M	2014-08-07	782	< 0.1	0.41	17.7	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,100	< 0.5	0.55	0.224	1.23	2,380	23.4	< 0.05	0.483	0.77	542	< 0.5	3,328	< 0.04	1,110	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.142	< 1	< 3					
	QUL-12-5M	2014-08-07	23.3	< 0.1	0.13	8.48	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.8	< 30	< 0.05	0.81	1,930	1.27	< 0.05	0.281	< 0.5	473	< 0.5	1,600	< 0.04	824	< 0.01	< 10	0.142	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-12-10M	2014-08-07	88.2	< 0.1	0.16	6.13	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.44	56	< 0.05	0.71	2,020	2.63	< 0.05	0.267	< 0.5	498	< 0.5	1,700	< 0.01	880	< 0.01	< 10	0.152	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-12-15M	2014-08-07	56.1	< 0.1	0.14	5.85	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.57	30	< 0.05	0.83	2,100	2.28	< 0.05	0.286	< 0.5	501	< 0.5	1,600	< 0.01	803	< 0.01	< 10	0.156	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-12-20M	2014-08-07	42.2	< 0.1	0.14	5.81	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.21	43	< 0.05	0.66	2,120	2.08	< 0.05	0.278	< 0.5	499	< 0.5	1,800	< 0.01	921	< 0.01	< 10	0.159	< 1	< 3				
QUL-13	QUL-13-0M	2014-08-07	164	< 0.1	0.18	7.74	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,000	< 0.5	0.11	0.241	1.25	0.056	0.73	1,890	3.88	< 0.05	0.328	< 0.5	544	< 0.5	1,860	< 0.01	872	< 0.01	< 10	0.145	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-13-5M	2014-08-07	22.4	< 0.1	0.12	5.42	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 30	< 0.05	0.69	1,870	1.18	< 0.05	0.277	< 0.5	490	< 0.5	1,950	< 0.01	863	< 0.01	< 10	0.142	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-13-10M	2014-08-07	20.2	< 0.1	0.13	5.62	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.98	37	< 0.05	0.5	1,820	1.77	< 0.05	0.299	< 0.5	472	< 0.5	1,890	< 0.01	836	< 0.01	< 10	0.147	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-13-15M	2014-08-07	59.7	< 0.1	0.14	6.1	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.96	58	< 0.05	0.77	2,090	2.5	< 0.05	0.278	< 0.5	482	< 0.5	1,790	< 0.01	864	< 0.01	< 10	0.15	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-13-20M	2014-08-07	38.2	< 0.1	0.12	5.43	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.54	36	< 0.05	0.59	2,070	1.81	< 0.05	0.278	< 0.5	488	< 0.5	1,790	< 0.01	866	< 0.01	< 10	0.144	< 1	< 3				
QUL-14	QUL-14-0M	2014-08-07	442	< 0.1	0.3	12.8	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	14,400	< 0.5	0.31	0.244	3.46	0.134	0.8	2,180	16.2	< 0.05	0.42	0.87	717	< 0.5	2,320	< 0.01	963	< 0.01	< 10	0.146	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-14-5M	2014-08-07	85.9	< 0.1	0.13	6.98	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.72	48	< 0.05	0.95	1,880	3.78	< 0.05	0.292	< 0.5	488	< 0.5	1,800	< 0.01	814	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-14-10M	2014-08-07	132	< 0.1	0.19	5.87	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,000	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.68	108	< 0.05	0.8	1,840	9.08	< 0.05	0.373	< 0.5	620	< 0.5	1,890	< 0.01	891	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-14-15M	2014-08-07	54.3	< 0.1	0.14	5.87	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,000	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.34	93	< 0.05	0.99	1,910	2.31	< 0.05	0.303	< 0.5	483	< 0.5	1,640	< 0.01	813	< 0.01	< 10	0.143	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-14-20M	2014-08-07	47.3	< 0.1	0.15	6.18	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.84	41	0.07	0.57	1,820	3.31	< 0.05	0.321	< 0.5	608	< 0.5	1,640	< 0.01	996	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3				
QUL-15	QUL-15-0M	2014-08-07	30.2	< 0.1	0.14	5.71	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.80	< 30	< 0.05	0.87	1,880	1.86	< 0.05	0.293	< 0.5	487	< 0.5	1,670	< 0.01	826	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-15-5M	2014-08-08	80.5	< 0.1	0.15	6.6	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	73	< 0.05	0.65	1,870	3.18	< 0.05	0.291	< 0.5	511	< 0.5	1,780	< 0.01	876	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-15-10M	2014-08-08	23.9	< 0.1	0.12	5.52	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.8	< 30	< 0.05	0.63	1,810	1.36	< 0.05	0.286	< 0.5	480	< 0.5	1,880	< 0.01	836	< 0.01	< 10	0.143	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-15-15M	2014-08-11	22.7	< 0.1	0.13	5.55	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.8	< 30	< 0.05	0.8	1,880	2.15	< 0.05	0.322	< 0.5	575	< 0.5	1,540	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 10	0.139	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-15-20M	2014-08-12	15.8	< 0.1	0.12	5.48	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.8	< 30	< 0.05	0.88	1,910	1.37	< 0.05	0.329	< 0.5	472	< 0.5	1,880	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 10	0.142	< 1	< 3				
QUL-16	QUL-16-0M	2014-08-13	13.9	< 0.1	0.13	5.32	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 30	< 0.05	0.72	1,870	1.65	< 0.05	0.32	< 0.5	453	< 0.5	1,590	< 0.01	834	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-16-5M	2014-08-13	17.1	< 0.1	0.12	5.47	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.81	< 30	< 0.05	0.62	1,920	1.74	< 0.05	0.323	< 0.5	491	< 0.5	1,630	< 0.01	827	< 0.01	< 10	0.139	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-16-10M	2014-08-14	16.1	< 0.1	0.13	5.83	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,820	1.78	< 0.05	0.323	< 0.5	491	< 0.5	1,670	< 0.01	880	< 0.01	< 10	0.139	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-16-15M	2014-08-15	19.8	< 0.1	0.12	5.75	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.7	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,880	1.5	< 0.05	0.335	< 0.5	475	< 0.5	1,880	< 0.01	941	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-16-20M	2014-08-16	17.4	< 0.1	0.13	5.43	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,000	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.89	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,840	1.27	< 0.05	0.378	< 0.5	485	< 0.5	1,540	< 0.01	826	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3				
QUL-17	QUL-17-0M	2014-08-17	16.9	< 0.1	0.14	5.43	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,700	< 0.5	< 0.1	1	< 30	< 0.05	0.7	1,880	1.64	< 0.05	0.308	< 0.5	480	< 0.5	1,520	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 10	0.144	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-17-5M	2014-08-08	24.2	< 0.1	0.13	5.38	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.88	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,800	1.17	< 0.05	0.389	< 0.5	488	< 0.5	1,580	< 0.01	828	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-17-10M	2014-08-08	26.3	< 0.1	0.13	5.47	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 30	< 0.05	0.56	1,830	1.36	< 0.05	0.378	< 0.5	484	< 0.5	1,620	< 0.01	847	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-17-15M	2014-08-08	57.8	< 0.1	0.13	5.98	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.42	87	< 0.05	0.98	2,110	3.61	< 0.05	0.385	< 0.5	491	< 0.5	1,830	< 0.01	843	< 0.01	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3				
	QUL-17-20M	2014-08-09	39.1	< 0.1	0																															



TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Pooley, Quessal Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Physical Parameters					Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics													
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field) (pH)	pH (lab) (pH)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliform (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus* (mg/L)
BC Guidelines																										
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.0	6.5-8.0		Change of 0	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000-10,000 <sup>3</sup>	32,800	80 (Cl+3)	32,800 <sup>4</sup>	600	866.3 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	+/-1 Degree change from ambient	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	+20% of median background	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	3,000	20 (Cl+3)	3,000 <sup>4</sup>	150	122.4 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>6</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100mL	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>4</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100mL	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
QUL-18	QUL-18	2014-08-26	49.7	7.94	7.95	17.3	0.86	96.2	68	< 3	1.81	-	-	0.151	< 5	55.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.8	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-18	2014-08-27	49.6	7.95	7.92	16.7	0.32	98.4	69	< 3	2.11	-	-	0.122	< 5	46.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.75	44.6	-	< 0.001	0.0021	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-28	49	8.15	7.94	16.5	0.31	97.1	72	< 3	2.29	-	-	0.133	< 5	46.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.76	45.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-30	49.6	-	7.95	-	0.68	97.6	55	< 3	2.11	-	-	0.2	< 5	56	< 1	-	< 0.5	43	5.81	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-08	48.4	8.10	7.90	16.7	0.37	95.3	61	< 3	2.08	230	2	0.122	< 5	46.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.51	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-09	48.5	7.93	7.9	17.9	0.34	95.5	67	< 3	2.25	-	-	0.126	< 5	57.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.5	42.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-10	48.2	7.87	7.90	20.7	0.40	95.7	85	< 3	2.3	-	-	0.128	< 5	43.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.63	45.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-11	46.3	7.89	7.93	19.5	0.34	97.1	68	< 3	2.2	-	-	0.12	< 5	45.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.63	43.8	-	< 0.001	0.0038	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-11	46.1	7.99	7.93	19.5	0.36	97	67	< 3	2.25	-	-	0.128	< 5	47.5	< 1	-	< 0.6	33	5.62	44	-	< 0.001	0.0018	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-12	47.5	8.01	7.97	21.4	0.35	98	50	< 3	1.89	-	-	0.112	< 5	54.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.72	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-13	47.5	-	7.86	20.8	0.38	96.5	54	< 3	2.03	-	-	0.117	< 5	49.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.6	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-14	49.4	8.15	7.96	22.0	0.23	98.3	67	< 3	1.87	-	-	0.116	< 5	48.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.69	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-15	46.8	8.12	7.96	21.1	0.21	97.1	62	< 3	1.84	-	-	0.102	< 5	47.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.68	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-16	46.8	8.10	7.95	20.5	0.28	93.4	63	< 3	2.07	-	-	0.105	< 5	42.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.87	43.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19	2014-08-17	49.1	7.79	7.87	20.6	0.35	98.5	62	< 3	2.48	-	-	0.117	< 5	51.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.76	45	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-17	49.7	7.79	7.89	20.5	0.38	98.5	67	< 3	2.47	-	-	0.12	< 5	51.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.81	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-18	48.5	7.98	7.95	19.8	0.3	98.4	67	< 3	2.01	-	-	0.112	< 5	41.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.56	50.4	-	< 0.001	0.0014	
	QUL-19	2014-08-21	48.7	8.35	7.9	19.8	0.38	95	62	< 3	2.04	-	-	0.12	< 5	45.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.84	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19-0M	QUL-19-0M	2014-08-27	49.8	7.96	7.9	19.0	0.37	97.6	70	< 3	1.91	-	-	0.172	< 5	45.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.78	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-19-35M	2014-08-27	53.9	7.45	7.55	5.1	3.23	126	89	< 3	1.84	-	-	0.184	< 5	124	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.44	48.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-19-55M	QUL-19-55M	2014-08-27	53.0	7.30	7.62	4.0	0.49	109	87	< 3	1.9	-	-	0.174	< 5	145	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.31	48.0	-	< 0.001	0.0021	
	QUL-20	2014-08-28	52.5	7.76	7.65	8.1	0.43	104	89	< 3	2.04	15	< 1	0.184	< 5	123	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.88	47.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-28	52.7	7.76	7.96	-	0.45	104	89	< 3	1.89	-	-	0.174	< 5	123	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.9	46.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-30	50.8	7.73	7.84	11.0	0.46	100	89	< 3	2.14	-	-	0.174	< 5	104	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.72	45	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20	2014-08-11	47.8	7.89	7.93	16.2	0.41	98.8	71	< 3	2.28	-	-	0.163	< 5	73	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.67	44.7	-	< 0.001	0.0023	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-12	47.5	8.00	7.5	17.0	0.28	92.2	66	< 3	1.83	-	-	0.144	< 5	66.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.54	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20	2014-08-13	47.8	-	7.58	19.2	0.33	98.2	59	< 3	2.16	-	-	0.12	< 5	51.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.62	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-14	49.3	8.06	7.66	19.3	0.26	90.1	70	< 3	2.17	-	-	0.138	< 5	49.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.53	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20	2014-08-15	49.4	8.05	7.69	17.6	0.4	97.8	62	< 3	1.89	-	-	0.123	< 5	62	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	5.65	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-15	49.6	8.06	7.88	17.6	0.28	97.8	65	< 3	1.79	-	-	0.123	< 5	59.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	5.65	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-16	48	7.94	7.97	17.7	0.31	95.6	68	< 3	1.95	-	-	0.114	< 5	57.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.64	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20	2014-08-17	47.5	7.79	7.97	17.9	0.37	97.2	63	< 3	2.5	-	-	0.146	< 5	58.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.65	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-22	50.4	7.80	7.85	13.9	1	98.2	69	< 3	2.51	-	-	0.162	< 5	61.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.78	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20-0M	2014-08-23	50.5	7.73	7.8	14.3	0.54	96.6	62	< 3	2.18	-	-	0.164	< 5	64.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.75	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
QUL-20-10M	QUL-20-10M	2014-08-23	50.6	7.48	7.88	13.7	1	102	65	< 3	2.13	-	-	0.162	< 5	69.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.78	45.8	-	< 0.001	0.0026	
	QUL-20-20M	2014-08-23	53.8	7.43	7.88	13.1	1.06	101	57	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.15	< 5	91.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.76	45.8	-	< 0.001	0.0024	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-26	50.5	7.57	7.66	16.7	0.63	97.1	71	< 3	2.2	-	-	0.17	< 5	63.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	5.62	44.8	-	< 0.001	0.0021	
	QUL-20	2014-08-27	50.3	7.90	7.96	17.5	0.76	96.2	70	< 3	2.21	-	-	0.126	< 5	59.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.8	44.1	-	< 0.001	0.0022	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-27	50	7.90	7.93	17.5	0.67	101	69	< 3	1.84	-	-	0.145	< 5	84.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.84	45.2	-	< 0.001	0.0023	
	QUL-20	2014-08-28	50	8.12	7.93	17.9	0.71	86	55	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.145	< 5	51.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.78	45.8	-	< 0.001	0.0024	
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-29	49.4	-	7.95	-	0.45	97.1	62	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.125	< 5	48.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.73	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	
	QUL-20	2014-08-30	48.1	8.10	7.84	17.8	0.58	97.8	60	< 3	1.99	-	-	0.134	< 5	49.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.69	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002	

Abbreviated ALR file: L14080510, L14080511, L14080512, L14080513, L14080514, L14080515, L14080516, L14080517, L14080518, L14080519, L14080520, L14080521, L14080522, L14080523, L14080524, L14080525, L14080526, L14080527, L14080528, L14080529, L14080530, L14080531, L14080532, L14080533, L14080534, L14080535, L14080536, L14080537, L14080538, L14080539, L14

TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																											
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)
BC Guidelines																														
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1</sup>			100 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>3,4</sup>			50 <sup>2</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>5,6</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>7</sup>			63	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-25	10.8	16.8	<30	1.8	0.808	0.465	0.831	<0.1	0.1	5.5	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.04	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.28	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.133	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-27	10.4	16.7	<30	1.93	0.406	0.463	0.657	<0.1	0.11	5.24	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.05	<0.05	0.88	-	0.277	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.135	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-28	9.1	16.5	<30	1.92	0.509	0.444	0.854	<0.1	0.11	5.45	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.53	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.291	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.141	<1	<3
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-09-30	9.3	16.7	<30	1.96	0.877	0.491	0.835	<0.1	0.12	5.43	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.76	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.277	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.133	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-06	10.7	16.1	<30	1.89	0.816	0.488	0.877	<0.1	0.13	5.88	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.346	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.116	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-09-09	10.1	16.3	<30	1.88	0.443	0.472	0.834	<0.1	0.1	5.28	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.54	-	0.316	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-10	11.2	16	<30	2	1.68	0.524	0.944	<0.1	0.17	6.17	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.55	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.394	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.122	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-09-11	12	15.4	<30	1.87	0.745	0.496	0.871	<0.1	0.12	5.89	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.66	-	0.328	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.123	<1	<3
QUL-19X	QUL-19X	2014-09-11	10.7	15.4	<30	1.89	0.938	0.516	0.908	<0.1	0.12	5.83	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.9	<0.05	1.02	-	0.353	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.123	<1	<3
QUL-19X																														
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-12	9.7	16.2	<30	1.8	0.17	0.438	0.763	<0.1	<0.1	4.85	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.80	-	0.243	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.145	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-13	9.6	16	<30	1.83	0.058	0.438	0.769	<0.1	<0.1	4.70	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	1.01	-	0.282	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.142	<1	<3
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-14	12	16.7	<30	1.88	0.381	0.448	0.763	<0.1	<0.1	4.88	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.73	-	0.289	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3
	QUL-19	2014-08-15	10	16.5	<30	1.86	0.367	0.463	0.768	<0.1	<0.1	5.31	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.285	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.135	<1	<3
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-08-16	9.9	16.3	<30	1.94	0.442	0.484	0.825	<0.1	0.11	5.54	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.78	-	0.318	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.123	<1	<3
	QUL-16	2014-06-17	8.9	16.2	<30	2.12	0.087	0.507	0.945	<0.1	0.15	6.33	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.55	-	0.43	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.121	<1	<3
QUL-19X	QUL-19X	2014-09-17	8.6	16	<30	2.09	0.977	0.522	0.955	<0.1	0.17	6.45	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.441	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.125	<1	<3
QUL-19X																														
QUL-19	QUL-19	2014-09-19	10.2	16.3	<30	1.92	0.322	0.477	0.843	<0.1	0.11	5.4	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.92	<0.05	0.71	-	0.308	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.133	<1	<3
	QUL-16	2014-06-21	8.3	16.7	<30	1.82	0.344	0.454	0.814	<0.1	0.11	5.2	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.83	-	0.292	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
QUL-19-DM	QUL-19-DM	2014-08-27	9.7	16.8	<30	1.89	0.219	0.437	0.811	<0.1	<0.1	4.92	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.78	-	0.244	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
	QUL-19-SSM	2014-08-27	8.1	16.2	<30	2.05	3.23	0.479	0.889	<0.1	0.1	5.59	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.91	<0.05	0.84	-	0.309	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.167	<1	<3
QUL-20	QUL-19-SSM	2014-08-27	4.8	16.2	<30	2.08	0.342	0.439	0.924	<0.1	<0.1	5.04	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.91	-	0.254	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.156	<1	<3
	QUL-20	2014-08-08	7.4	17.7	<30	2.04	0.365	0.453	0.692	<0.1	0.11	5.25	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.73	-	0.276	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.136	<1	<3
QUL-20X	QUL-20X	2014-08-08	7.5	17.7	<30	2.04	0.339	0.488	0.802	<0.1	<0.1	5.14	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.88	-	0.283	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.137	<1	<3
QUL-20X																														
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-08	8.1	17.1	<30	1.95	0.355	0.459	0.647	<0.1	<0.1	5.12	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.81	-	0.267	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3
	QUL-20	2014-08-11	12.1	16	<30	1.83	0.301	0.469	0.647	<0.1	0.11	5.22	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.91	<0.05	1.07	-	0.26	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.132	<1	<3
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-12	9.9	16.1	<30	1.82	0.127	0.463	0.823	<0.1	<0.1	5.51	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.75	-	0.269	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.127	<1	<3
	QUL-20	2014-08-13	9.6	16.1	<30	1.89	0.183	0.478	0.647	<0.1	<0.1	5.2	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	1.04	-	0.312	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.125	<1	<3
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-14	10.8	16.6	<30	1.89	0.302	0.471	0.825	<0.1	0.11	5.29	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	0.7	-	0.299	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.13	<1	<3
	QUL-20	2014-08-15	9.9	16.7	<30	1.9	0.354	0.468	0.826	<0.1	0.12	5.73	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.3	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
QUL-20X	QUL-20X	2014-08-15	10.1	16.7	<30	1.86	0.38	0.472	0.828	<0.1	0.11	5.85	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.299	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3
	QUL-20X	2014-08-16	10.2	16.7	<30	1.86	0.38	0.472	0.828	<0.1	0.11	5.85	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.299	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3
QUL-20X																														
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-16	9.9	16.4	<30	1.93	0.373	0.45	0.791	<0.1	0.11	5.18	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.281	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.132	<1	<3
QUL-20	QUL-20	2014-08-17	9.9	16	<30	1.86	0.423	0.471	0.832	<0.1	0.11	5.28	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<0.05	<0.5	-	0.28	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.137	<1	<3
QUL20	QUL20	2014-06-22	10.2	17	<30	1.91	0.767	0.481	0.837	<0.1	0.3	5.51	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.3	0.63	<0.05	0.88	-	0.287	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.135	<1	<3
QUL-20-DM	QUL-20-DM	2014-06-23	10.7	17.1	<30	1.92	0.046	0.512	0.872	<0.1	<0.1	5.45	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	1.34	0.134	0.93	-	0.282	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
QUL-20-DM	QUL-20-DM	2014-06-23	8.5	17.1	<30	1.91	0.761	0.498	0.829	<0.1	<0.1	5.47	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.3	1.09	0.05	1.03	-	0.274	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3
QUL-20-20M	QUL-20-20M	2014-06-23	11.8	18.2	<30	2.08	0.749	0.476	0.831	<0.1	<0.1	5.46	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.3	1.01	0.05	1	-	0.275								



TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Date (yyyy mm dd)	Total Metals																														
			Aluminum (ppb)	Antimony (ppb)	Arsenic (ppb)	Barium (ppb)	Beryllium (ppb)	Bismuth (ppb)	Boron (ppb)	Cadmium (ppb)	Calcium (ppb)	Chromium (ppb)	Cobalt (ppb)	Copper (ppb)	Iron (ppb)	Lead (ppb)	Lithium (ppb)	Magnesium (ppb)	Manganese (ppb)	Mercury (ppb)	Molybdenum (ppb)	Nickel (ppb)	Potassium (ppb)	Selenium (ppb)	Silicon (ppb)	Silver (ppb)	Sodium (ppb)	Thallium (ppb)	Tin (ppb)	Titanium (ppb)	Uranium (ppb)	Vanadium (ppb)	Zinc (ppb)
BC Guidelines																																	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AWL)**			n/a	20	5	5,600	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.016-0.028*	n/a	1 Cr(VI)	110	6.0-6.2*	1,000	27.3-37.7*	870	n/a	1,800-6-1,319*		2,000	35-65*	373,000-432,000	2	n/a	0.1*	n/a	0.3	n/a	2,000	300	8	33*
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AWL)**			n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000	5.3	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	2-3*	n/a	4.4-5.9*	14	n/a	791.1-940*		1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.05*	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.5*
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW)**			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	250	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW)*			100	8	10	1,930	n/a	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	50	n/a	100	300	10	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	200,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	20	n/a	5,000
QUL-18	2014-08-25	19.2	< 0.1	0.12	6.06	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,700	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.36	< 0.5	0.10	< 0.05	0.9	0.10	< 0.05	0.48	< 0.5	485	< 0.5	485	< 0.5	1,046	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.146	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-27	16.3	< 0.1	0.12	5.45	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.61	< 30	< 0.05	0.7	0.10	1.21	< 0.01	0.295	< 0.5	487	< 0.5	1,519	< 0.01	839	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.143	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-28	20.7	< 0.1	0.14	5.97	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.15	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,840	1.26	< 0.01	0.314	< 0.5	475	< 0.5	1,840	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.144	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-30	22.7	< 0.1	0.15	5.83	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.02	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,590	1.71	< 0.01	0.305	< 0.5	479	< 0.5	1,519	< 0.01	852	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.141	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-08	16.9	< 0.1	0.15	5.79	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.6	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,950	2.49	< 0.05	0.373	< 0.5	476	< 0.5	1,680	< 0.01	867	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.121	< 1	< 3		
QUL-19	2014-08-09	30	< 0.1	0.11	5.88	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.68	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,910	1.27	< 0.008	0.307	< 0.5	481	< 0.5	1,680	< 0.01	834	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.138	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-10	18.7	< 0.1	0.16	6.21	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.63	< 31	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,980	2.84	< 0.05	0.426	< 0.5	519	< 0.5	1,770	< 0.01	948	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.125	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-11	17.6	< 0.1	0.15	5.85	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.6	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,840	1.70	< 0.05	0.39	< 0.5	504	< 0.5	1,930	< 0.01	885	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.133	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-11	19	< 0.1	0.17	6.1	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.76	< 30	< 0.05	0.83	1,960	2.2	< 0.05	0.419	< 0.5	545	< 0.5	1,970	< 0.01	934	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.131	< 1	< 3		
	QUL-19 DW %			6	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.01	16,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.3	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,870	0.81	< 0.05	0.352	< 0.5	437	< 0.5	1,480	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.147	< 1	< 3	
QUL-19	2014-08-12	15.2	< 0.1	< 0.1	4.94	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 30	< 0.05	0.9	1,915	0.823	< 0.05	0.387	< 0.5	455	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.153	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-13	13.5	< 0.1	0.11	5.16	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 30	< 0.05	0.9	1,915	0.823	< 0.05	0.387	< 0.5	455	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.153	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-14	13.8	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.48	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.53	< 30	< 0.05	0.68	1,890	0.81	< 0.05	0.282	< 0.5	447	< 0.5	1,510	< 0.01	807	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.142	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-15	13.5	< 0.1	0.12	5.28	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.53	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,870	1.03	-	0.260	< 0.5	451	< 0.5	1,540	< 0.01	756	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.144	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-16	18.3	< 0.1	0.13	5.86	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.59	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,930	1.88	-	0.345	< 0.5	476	< 0.5	1,580	< 0.01	840	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.14	< 1	< 3		
QUL-19	2014-08-17	17.5	< 0.1	0.18	6.58	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,000	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 1	< 34	< 0.05	0.67	2,120	3.67	-	0.458	< 0.5	520	< 0.5	1,780	< 0.01	977	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.131	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-17	18.5	< 0.1	0.2	6.59	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 1	< 36	< 0.05	0.5	2,060	4.02	-	0.47	< 0.5	532	< 0.5	1,780	< 0.01	978	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.130	< 1	< 3		
	QUL-19 DW %			6	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.01	16,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.3	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,870	0.81	< 0.05	0.352	< 0.5	437	< 0.5	1,480	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.147	< 1	< 3	
	2014-08-19	14	< 0.1	0.13	5.54	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 30	< 0.05	1	1,930	1.64	-	0.333	< 0.5	486	< 0.5	1,570	< 0.01	875	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.139	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-19	22.1	< 0.1	0.12	5.28	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.73	< 30	< 0.05	0.67	1,860	1.34	-	0.280	< 0.5	467	< 0.5	1,500	< 0.01	826	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.149	< 1	< 3		
QUL-20	2014-08-27	19.3	< 0.1	< 0.1	4.85	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 30	< 0.05	0.68	1,810	0.754	< 0.01	0.291	< 0.5	435	< 0.5	1,450	< 0.01	800	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.14	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-27	16.6	< 0.1	0.16	6.01	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.83	< 30	< 0.05	0.83	1,905	0.75	< 0.05	0.354	< 0.5	554	< 0.5	1,905	< 0.01	900	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.178	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-27	20.4	< 0.1	0.1	5.22	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.78	< 30	< 0.05	0.85	2,000	1.47	< 0.01	0.267	< 0.5	471	< 0.5	1,560	< 0.01	836	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.145	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-28	22.4	< 0.1	0.13	5.42	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.56	< 30	< 0.05	0.58	2,040	1.48	< 0.05	0.288	< 0.5	493	< 0.5	1,720	< 0.01	901	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.145	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-08	26.2	< 0.1	0.12	5.43	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.7	< 30	< 0.05	0.59	2,070	1.49	< 0.05	0.295	< 0.5	487	< 0.5	1,740	< 0.01	828	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.135	< 1	< 3		
QUL-20 DW %			16	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.01	16,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.3	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,870	0.81	< 0.05	0.352	< 0.5	437	< 0.5	1,480	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.147	< 1	< 3		
QUL-20	2014-08-09	20	< 0.1	0.11	5.21	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.69	< 30	< 0.05	0.59	1,980	1.34	< 0.05	0.261	< 0.5	475	< 0.5	1,670	< 0.01	897	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.148	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-11	23.4	< 0.1	0.14	5.25	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 30	< 0.05	0.9	1,860	1.16	< 0.05	0.3	< 0.5	487	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	843	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.143	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-12	19.9	< 0.1	0.12	5.12	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.69	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,850	1.18	< 0.05	0.293	< 0.5	471	< 0.5	1,560	< 0.01	836	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.14	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-13	15.8	< 0.1	0.16	5.44	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.74	< 30	< 0.05	0.65	1,940	1.28	< 0.05	0.31	< 0.5	486	< 0.5	1,900	< 0.01	871	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.141	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-14	17.1	< 0.1	0.12	5.44	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.66	< 30	< 0.05	0.69	1,880	1.35	-	0.306	< 0.5	472	< 0.5	1,910	< 0.01	833	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.136	< 1	< 3		
QUL-20	2014-08-15	20.3	< 0.1	0.13	5.81	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.64	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,850	1.31	-	0.323	< 0.5	472	< 0.5	1,930	< 0.01	833	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.14	< 1	< 3		
	2014-08-15	17.4	< 0.1	0.13	5.63	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.61	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,860	1.38	-	0.292	< 0.5	476	< 0.5	1,910	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 0.134	< 1	< 3		
	QUL-20 DW %			17.7	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.01	16,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.3	< 30	< 0.0																	

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4. Derivates concentration less than indicated detection limit or HPLC less than indicated value.

GOOD	Concentration greater than CCWQS Aquatic Life (AAL) guideline.
POOR	Concentration greater than CCWQS Drinking Water (DW) guideline.
POOR	Concentration greater than CCWQS Aquatic Life (AAL) guideline.
POOR	Concentration greater than or equal to Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DWQ) guideline.

\* Laboratory detection limit out of range

<sup>a</sup> Based on Canadian Drinking Water Guidelines, 2012.

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TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Physical Parameters										Microbiological Tests										Total Inorganics									
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field) (pH)	pH (lab) (pH)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliform (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus* (mg/L)						
BC Guidelines																																
BCWQ Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1</sup>			n/a	6.5-9.0	6.5-9.0		Change of 0	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000-1,700 <sup>2</sup>	32,800	50 (Cl-2)	32,800 <sup>3</sup>	600	986-2,124 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015					
BCWQ Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1,4</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,090-1,770 <sup>2</sup>	3,000	20 (Cl-2)	3,000 <sup>3</sup>	150	n/a	128-300 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a					
BCWQ Drinking Water (DW) <sup>5</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100mL	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>6</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	0.01					
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>5</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0/100mL	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a					
QUL-21	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-08	49.5	7.90	7.91	14.7	0.29	97.8	72	<3	2.51	-	-	0.159	<5	85.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.57	43.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-7M	2014-08-08	50.7	7.85	7.91	8.9	0.25	99.5	72	<3	2.11	-	-	0.174	<5	100	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.56	44.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-30M	2014-08-08	54.3	7.67	7.9	4.4	0.78	108	77	<3	2.16	-	-	0.193	<5	141	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.12	46	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-09	49.3	7.81	7.88	16.1	0.36	86.7	66	<3	2.33	-	-	0.137	<5	73.9	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.52	43.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-11	47.8	7.90	7.92	10.7	0.77	97.8	65	<3	2.27	-	-	0.132	<5	57.3	<1	-	<0.5	33	5.54	44	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-12	46.1	7.98	7.96	-	0.4	95.9	65	<3	1.87	-	-	0.13	<5	55.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.86	43.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21X	2014-08-12	48.9	7.98	7.95	-	0.49	96.3	65	<3	1.95	-	-	0.126	<5	64.1	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.84	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-12M	2014-08-12	48.2	8.15	7.94	12.9	0.55	96.7	65	<3	1.87	-	-	0.171	<5	88.2	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.77	44.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-30M	2014-08-12	54.3	7.57	7.95	4.6	0.36	102	72	<3	1.74	-	-	0.181	<5	139	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.19	49.8	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-13	47.8	-	-	20.9	0.28	96.2	59	<3	2.00	-	-	0.136	<5	44.2	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.92	44.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-14	49.8	7.88	7.66	21.3	0.22	97.2	63	<3	2.11	-	-	0.108	<5	41.5	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.92	43.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-15	48.7	8.12	7.99	20.7	0.22	95.4	66	<3	1.95	-	-	0.102	<5	39.7	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.54	43.1	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-10M	2014-08-15	50.3	7.82	7.84	13.1	0.3	96.3	67	<3	1.73	-	-	0.156	<5	89.9	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.76	44.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-30M	2014-08-15	53.5	7.85	7.9	4.6	0.35	106	71	<3	1.85	-	-	0.175	<5	140	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.17	46	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-16	48.2	8.21	7.97	20.4	0.24	95.1	76	<3	1.81	-	-	0.108	<5	42	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.09	43.6	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21	2014-08-17	48	7.76	7.97	20.8	0.3	95.3	61	<3	2.4	-	-	0.126	<5	40.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.83	43.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-23	50.3	7.77	7.87	16.6	0.35	99.4	61	<3	2.37	-	-	0.133	<5	63.4	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.66	44	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-30M	2014-08-23	54	7.38	7.84	3.2	0.64	107	69	<3	3.11	-	-	0.189	<5	139	<1	-	<0.5	37	5.05	48.2	-	0.0016	<0.0023 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-23	74	7.53	7.95	6.0	0.51	106	104	<3	2.19	-	-	0.267	<5	237	1.8	-	0.59	75	16.9	49.3	-	<0.001	<0.0034 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-25	50	7.76	7.96	17.5	0.92	98.3	66	<3	1.82	-	-	0.137	<5	62.6	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.81	44.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-9M	2014-08-25	50.7	7.80	7.85	14.2	1.11	99.8	67	<3	1.87	-	-	0.184	<5	75.9	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.95	44.5	-	0.0133	0.0161 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-25	70.3	7.53	8	6.2	72	133	107	<3	1.76	-	-	0.269	<5	235	2	-	0.54	80	16.7	50.5	-	0.0331	0.0069							
	QUL-21-9M	2014-08-26	48.8	7.83	7.90	17.0	0.53	97.6	60	<3	2.11	-	-	0.12	<5	57.2	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.77	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-21M	2014-08-26	50.9	7.43	7.89	5.7	1.3	96.3	66	<3	2.21	-	-	0.228	<5	75.9	<1	-	<0.5	35	5	44.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-47M	2014-08-26	70.1	7.59	8.01	6.0	81.6	133	113	<3	2.15	-	-	0.265	<5	237	2.7	-	0.54	69	17	50.9	-	0.0224	0.0059							
	QUL-21-0M	2014-08-26	49	8.10	7.84	18.3	0.32	96.5	68	<3	2.27	-	-	0.142	<5	47.3	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.76	45	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-21-19M	2014-08-26	50.7	7.75	7.85	10.3	0.6	101	60	<3	2.46	-	-	0.199	<5	72	104	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.96	46.9	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>						
	QUL-21-49M	2014-08-26	70.2	7.69	7.96	6.1	79.1	133	104	<3	2.14	-	-	0.266	<5	236	1.9	-	0.52	73	17.4	61.5	-	<0.001	<0.0023 <sup>7</sup>							
QUL-22	QUL-22	2014-08-09	49.6	7.85	7.91	13.6	0.34	96.2	70	<3	2.21	-	-	0.162	<5	65.4	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.82	44.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-09	49.5	7.77	7.87	16.8	0.4	97.1	69	<3	2.26	-	-	0.146	<5	78.6	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.4	43	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-10	48.7	7.90	7.92	18.4	0.35	96.3	64	<3	2.36	-	-	0.135	<5	67.4	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.96	45.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-11	47.3	7.81	7.84	20.0	0.51	96.5	67	<3	2.23	-	-	0.144	<5	60.1	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.94	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-12	47.3	8.01	7.97	20.4	0.51	95.3	64	<3	1.84	-	-	0.132	<5	58.2	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.89	44.3	-	0.0014	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-13	47.4	-	7.68	20.6	0.32	96.1	60	<3	2.2	-	-	0.123	<5	44.8	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.93	44.5	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-14	49.6	7.84	7.91	21.1	0.31	97.2	65	<3	2.1	-	-	0.106	<5	41.2	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.82	43.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-15	45.2	8.11	7.99	20.7	0.21	95.9	70	<3	1.89	-	-	0.101	<5	40.1	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.81	43.7	-	<0.001	<0.0024 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-16	47.9	8.19	7.97	20.7	0.29	94.2	63	<3	2.00	-	-	0.105	<5	40.6	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.59	43.4	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-17	47.4	7.88	7.98	21.1	0.28	96.6	63	<3	2.4	-	-	0.123	<5	41.3	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.81	44.2	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-19	48.5	7.90	7.92	20.1	0.44	96.7	64	<3	2.1	-	-	0.111	<5	39	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.53	44.3	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-21	49.5	8.25	7.76	17.4	0.65	96.6	63	<3	1.85	-	-	0.131	<5	60.7	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.87	43	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-22	49.9	7.98	7.92	17.3	0.54	96.9	68	<3	2.41	-	-	0.136	<5	64.5	<1	-	<0.5	34	5.71	51.2	-	<0.001	0.0051 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22	2014-08-23	49.8	7.85	7.86	17.1	0.55	99.2	62	<3	2.2	-	-	0.132	<5	58	<1	-	<0.5	32	5.69	44.7	-	<0.001	<0.002 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22-0M	2014-08-26	49.6	7.76	7.98	17.3	0.52	96.9	69	<3	2.16	-	-	0.124	<5	56.6	<1	-	<0.5	35	5.77	44	-	<0.001	0.0021 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22-0M	2014-08-26	50.1	7.75	8	17.2	0.64	97.4	67	<3	2.1	-	-	0.133	<5	57.8	<1	-	<0.5	36	5.79	44.7	-	0.0023	0.0038 <sup>7</sup>							
	QUL-22-0M	2014-08-26	50.5																													

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Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																												
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BC Guidelines																															
BOWGO Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			100 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BOWGO Aquatic Life (30day) (AV) <sup>1,2,3</sup>			50 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BOWGO Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
GUL-21	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-08	9.2	16.7	< 30	1.50	0.368	0.462	0.832	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.21	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.273	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.158	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-1M	2014-08-08	8.8	17.1	< 30	1.54	0.2	0.478	0.983	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.2	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.269	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.163	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-30M	2014-08-08	4.0	18.3	< 30	2.00	0.26	0.474	0.919	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.26	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.93	< 0.05	0.51	-	0.269	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.176	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-09	10	18.6	< 30	1.8	0.46	0.465	0.83	< 0.1	0.11	5.28	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.50	-	0.266	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.152	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-11	10.3	16.1	< 30	1.84	0.573	0.487	0.832	< 0.1	0.11	5.27	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	1.02	-	0.282	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.129	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-12	8	16.1	< 30	1.84	0.275	0.488	0.855	< 0.1	0.1	5	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.81	-	0.324	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.08	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-12	11	16.4	< 30	1.92	0.553	0.458	0.823	< 0.1	0.11	5.37	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.54	-	0.276	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.13	< 1	< 3	
	CASO RPD %			2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	GUL-21-12M	2014-08-12	10.5	18.3	< 30	1.82	0.212	0.46	0.815	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.06	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.77	-	0.288	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.146	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-30M	2014-08-12	6	18.3	< 30	2.00	0.407	0.468	0.916	< 0.1	0.1	4.80	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.66	-	0.250	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.140	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-13	8.5	16	< 30	1.84	0.222	0.473	0.830	< 0.1	0.11	5.34	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.88	-	0.314	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.127	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-14	10.3	16.7	< 30	1.94	0.721	0.493	0.812	< 0.1	0.1	5.28	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.58	-	0.284	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-15	10.4	18.4	< 30	1.80	0.488	0.45	0.837	< 0.1	0.12	5.84	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.35	-	0.280	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.110	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-10M	2014-08-15	10	17.1	< 30	1.87	0.143	0.458	0.832	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.12	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.92	-	0.282	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.184	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-30M	2014-08-15	6	18.1	< 30	2.03	0.345	0.479	0.92	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.28	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.86	-	0.272	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.177	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-18	8.7	16.2	< 30	1.8	0.415	0.479	0.822	< 0.1	0.12	5.41	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.58	-	0.30	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.12	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21	2014-08-19	6.8	16.1	< 30	1.5	0.545	0.454	0.823	< 0.1	0.12	5.47	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.54	-	0.295	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-23	10.5	18.0	< 30	1.94	0.886	0.458	0.815	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.4	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.87	< 0.05	0.96	-	0.283	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.13	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-30M	2014-08-23	6.4	18.2	< 30	2.03	0.629	0.48	0.902	< 0.1	< 0.1	6.06	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 0.05	0.90	-	0.255	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.140	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-23	13.2	25	< 30	2.5	108	0.952	3.2	0.23	0.72	17.9	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.5	< 0.05	1.17	-	4.88	< 0.5	0.98	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.643	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-25	10	16.8	< 30	1.92	0.724	0.491	0.805	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.48	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.93	< 0.05	0.93	-	0.288	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-25	8.8	17.2	< 30	1.91	1.24	0.443	0.851	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.88	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.37	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.14	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-25	13.9	23.8	< 30	2.83	94.7	0.95	3.92	0.22	0.66	17.5	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.05	< 0.05	0.91	-	4.66	< 0.5	0.93	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.68	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-26	9.3	16.8	< 30	1.82	0.668	0.448	0.789	< 0.1	0.12	5.8	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.66	< 0.05	0.84	-	0.287	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.125	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-12M	2014-08-28	9.8	17.2	< 30	1.94	1.01	0.452	0.82	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.62	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.21	< 0.05	0.57	-	0.284	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.128	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-28	11.7	23.7	< 30	2.84	85.8	0.907	2.99	0.21	0.66	17.3	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	4.84	< 0.05	0.79	-	4.63	< 0.5	0.94	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.581	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-28	10.1	16.5	< 30	1.92	0.508	0.458	0.823	< 0.1	0.11	5.3	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.58	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.278	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-16M	2014-08-28	9.4	17.1	< 30	1.84	1.04	0.456	0.853	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.59	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.17	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.272	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.151	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-21-0M	2014-08-28	15.3	23.7	< 30	2.67	85.8	1.03	2.59	0.26	0.76	18.8	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	5.32	< 0.05	0.8	-	5.51	< 0.5	0.97	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.671	< 1	< 3	
	GUL-22	GUL-22	2014-08-08	9	16.7	< 30	1.92	0.518	0.466	0.836	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.15	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.281	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.15	< 1	< 3
		GUL-22	2014-08-09	9.6	16.7	< 30	1.5	0.467	0.452	0.827	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.19	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.8	-	0.283	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3
		GUL-22	2014-08-10	10.6	16.4	< 30	1.84	0.53	0.478	0.840	< 0.1	0.11	5.16	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	0.5	-	0.281	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.132	< 1	< 3
		GUL-22	2014-08-11	11.7	15.9	< 30	1.84	0.992	0.458	0.833	< 0.1	0.11	5.23	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	1.02	-	0.271	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.125	< 1	< 3
		GUL-22	2014-08-12	10.5	18.3	< 30	1.85	0.58	0.471	0.821	< 0.1	0.11	5.09	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	0.91	-	0.308	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	0.145	< 1	< 3
GUL-22		2014-08-13	10.6	15.9	< 30	1.91	0.185	0.487	0.828	< 0.1	0.1	5.31	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5															



TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quesnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Total Metals																														
			Aluminum (µg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Bismuth (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Calcium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Magnesium (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Potassium (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silicon (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Sodium (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Tin (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)
BC Guidelines																																	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>a</sup>			n/a	20	5	5,000	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.016-0.020 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	1 (Cr+Cr <sub>6</sub> )	110	5.0-6.2 <sup>a</sup>	1,000	27.3-57.7 <sup>a</sup>	570	n/a	1,000.0-1.370 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	2,000	25-60 <sup>a</sup>	373,000-432,000	2	n/a	0.1 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	0.3	n/a	2,000	300	6	33 <sup>a</sup>
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>a,b</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000	5.3 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	2-3 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	4.4-5.6 <sup>a</sup>	14 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	791.1-940 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.05 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.5 <sup>a</sup>
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>a</sup>			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	290	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	n/a	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (CDW) <sup>a</sup>			100	5	10	1,000	n/a	n/a	5,000	5	n/a	30	n/a	1,000	200	10	n/a	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	200,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	20	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,000
QUL-Q1	QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-08	17.4	< 0.1	0.12	5.43	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,700	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.6	< 30	< 0.05	0.83	1,900	1.04	< 0.05	0.305	< 0.5	473	< 0.5	1,850	< 0.01	847	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.167	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-7M	2014-08-08	18.7	< 0.1	0.11	5.24	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.58	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,970	1.03	< 0.05	0.298	< 0.5	470	< 0.5	1,840	< 0.01	854	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.167	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-30M	2014-08-08	70.4	< 0.1	0.13	5.55	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.04	67	< 0.05	0.74	1,170	4.07	< 0.05	0.283	< 0.5	484	< 0.5	1,870	< 0.01	813	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.18	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-09	17.8	< 0.1	0.11	5.42	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.96	< 30	< 0.05	0.83	1,810	0.004	< 0.05	0.311	< 0.5	471	< 0.5	1,590	< 0.01	840	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.14	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-09-11	22.5	< 0.1	0.14	5.51	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.79	< 30	< 0.05	0.82	1,550	1.25	< 0.05	0.291	< 0.5	490	< 0.5	1,520	< 0.01	845	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-12	16.4	< 0.1	0.12	5.38	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 30	< 0.05	0.75	1,880	1.24	< 0.05	0.322	< 0.5	478	< 0.5	1,590	< 0.01	848	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.138	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-X	2014-08-12	18	< 0.1	0.12	5.45	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.73	< 30	< 0.05	0.58	1,940	1.25	< 0.05	0.299	< 0.5	487	< 0.5	1,570	< 0.01	825	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.143	< 1	< 3
	QCOW RPP																																
	QUL-Q1-13M	2014-08-12	20.8	< 0.1	0.1	5.15	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.84	< 30	< 0.05	0.6	1,800	1.08	< 0.05	0.298	< 0.5	475	< 0.5	1,500	< 0.01	824	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.148	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-12	17.8	< 0.1	0.12	5.3	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 30	< 0.05	0.77	2,110	1.02	< 0.05	0.282	< 0.5	480	< 0.5	1,730	< 0.01	821	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.153	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-13	15.4	< 0.1	0.14	5.54	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.87	< 30	< 0.05	0.66	1,950	1.6	< 0.05	0.332	< 0.5	488	< 0.5	1,540	< 0.01	872	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.134	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-14	17	< 0.1	0.13	5.42	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.81	< 30	< 0.05	0.58	1,940	1.58	-	0.34	< 0.5	486	< 0.5	1,850	< 0.01	860	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.133	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-15	14.8	< 0.1	0.13	5.48	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.58	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,890	1.37	-	0.334	< 0.5	479	< 0.5	1,610	< 0.01	842	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-10M	2014-08-15	17	< 0.1	0.1	5.01	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,500	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.57	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,840	0.008	-	0.271	< 0.5	450	< 0.5	1,580	< 0.01	817	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.148	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-30M	2014-08-15	19.3	< 0.1	0.1	5.38	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	18,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.79	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	2,040	1.43	-	0.298	< 0.5	488	< 0.5	1,760	< 0.01	826	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.156	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-16	14.5	< 0.1	0.13	5.48	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,600	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.54	< 30	< 0.05	0.53	1,870	1.22	-	0.324	< 0.5	467	< 0.5	1,590	< 0.01	851	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.136	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1	2014-08-17	18.7	< 0.1	0.13	5.49	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,700	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 1	< 30	< 0.05	0.60	1,870	1.38	-	0.319	< 0.5	470	< 0.5	1,540	< 0.01	852	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.14	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-23	39.1	< 0.1	0.1	5.13	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	15,700	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.66	< 30	< 0.05	0.88	1,800	1.77	< 0.05	0.32	< 0.5	448	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	783	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-20M	2014-08-23	50.6	< 0.1	0.12	5.50	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,900	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.53	48	< 0.05	1.03	2,070	3.13	< 0.05	0.278	< 0.5	494	< 0.5	1,630	< 0.01	818	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.157	< 1	< 3
	QUL-Q1-46M	2014-08-23	3,810	0.3	1.89	50.2	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	0.023	25,400	2.11	1.65	76.1	2,600	1.39	2.84	3,650	179	< 0.05	5.03	2.39	2,420	0.67	11,100	0.031	3,700	0.013	0.12	188	0.742	77	77
QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-25	31.1	< 0.1	0.1	5.85	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,200	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.83	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,830	1.3	< 0.05	0.267	< 0.5	474	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	826	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-9M	2014-08-25	70.9	< 0.1	0.14	5.78	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	17,100	< 0.5	< 0.1	2.04	83	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,830	3.58	< 0.05	0.334	< 0.5	486	< 0.5	1,660	< 0.01	872	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.153	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-45M	2014-08-25	3,810	0.28	1.78	25.4	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	0.02	24,600	1.97	1.45	79.1	2,170	1.28	2.24	3,530	187	< 0.05	5.08	2.01	2,330	0.61	10,300	0.026	3,880	0.012	0.11	140	0.733	7	7	
QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-26	36	< 0.1	0.12	5.85	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.89	< 30	< 0.05	0.54	1,930	1.77	< 0.01	0.301	< 0.5	484	< 0.5	1,570	< 0.01	823	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.137	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-21M	2014-08-26	81.9	< 0.1	0.12	6.44	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,300	< 0.5	< 0.1	2.01	33	< 0.05	0.54	1,890	3.07	< 0.01	0.321	< 0.5	458	< 0.5	1,560	< 0.01	825	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.141	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-47M	2014-08-26	3,840	0.28	1.78	25.1	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	0.02	23,800	2.01	1.44	80.2	2,080	1.22	2.44	3,510	182	< 0.01	4.84	2.02	2,250	0.63	9,740	0.029	3,780	0.013	0.11	133	0.694	6.9	6.9	
QUL-Q1-0M	2014-08-28	21.5	< 0.1	0.13	5.52	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,400	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.82	< 30	< 0.05	< 0.5	1,830	1.25	< 0.01	0.301	< 0.5	476	< 0.5	1,530	< 0.01	843	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.144	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-16M	2014-08-28	84.9	< 0.1	0.14	6.88	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	< 0.01	16,800	< 0.5	< 0.1	2.01	36	< 0.05	0.55	1,950	3.64	< 0.01	0.299	< 0.5	490	< 0.5	1,720	< 0.01	874	< 0.01	< 0.1	< 10	0.154	< 1	< 3	
QUL-Q1-46M	2014-08-28	3,760	0.31	1.87	24.7	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 10	0.02	24,600	2.1	1.45	74.8	2,110	1.21	2.02	3,580	166	< 0.01	5.73	2.02	2,340	0.71	10,000	0.021	4,220	0.011	0.12	148	0.802	7.7	7.7	
QUL-Q2																																	

TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Queneau Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Physical Parameters							Microbiological Tests					Total Inorganics												
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field)	pH (lab)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliform (MPN/100L)	E. Coli (MPN/100L)	Total Nitrate-Nitrogen (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (µg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (µg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (µg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (µg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (µg/L)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphate (mg/L)	
BC Guidelines																											
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-9.0	6.5-9.0		Change of 0	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,600-16,400 <sup>3</sup>	32,800	80 (CH <sub>2</sub> )	32,800 <sup>4</sup>	600	888.2-1,224.3 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.000-0.010	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (Dosey) (AW) <sup>1,2,6</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	+/-1 Degree change from ambient	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>3</sup>	3,000	20 (CH <sub>2</sub> )	3,000 <sup>4</sup>	150	n/a	126-306 <sup>5</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a <sup>7</sup>	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a <sup>7</sup>	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUL-23	QUL-23	2014-06-25	49.9	7.96	7.97	17.4	3.25	89	67	< 3	1.86	-	-	0.145	< 5	54.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.81	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-23A	2014-06-25	49.7	7.95	7.94	17.4	0.71	98.9	64	< 3	1.92	-	-	0.151	< 5	54.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.8	44.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-26	QUL-26	2014-06-27	48.1	8.03	7.99	18.0	2.58	98.9	72	3.7	2.09	-	-	0.121	< 5	42.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.77	45	-	0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-26A	2014-06-26	50.1	7.69	7.64	18.2	0.31	88	68	< 3	2.29	-	-	0.138	< 5	43.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.77	44.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28	QUL-28	2014-06-28	48.2	8.19	7.95	18.9	0.36	97	63	< 3	2.28	-	-	0.134	< 5	45.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.72	45.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28A	2014-06-28	50.3	-	7.90	-	0.86	97.8	90	< 3	2.17	-	-	0.112	< 5	30.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.64	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M	QUL-28M	2014-06-11	49	7.37	7.9	18.4	0.82	98.2	68	< 3	2.07	-	-	0.132	< 5	41	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.71	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M1M	2014-06-11	50.3	7.74	7.82	9.5	0.2	102	88	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.179	< 5	108	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.68	45.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M2M	QUL-28M2M	2014-06-11	50.2	7.56	7.82	9.0	0.68	109	69	< 3	1.84	-	-	0.180	< 5	137	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.19	48.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M3M	2014-06-12	47.8	7.67	7.63	20.2	0.4	96.1	85	< 3	2.21	-	-	0.141	< 5	45.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.88	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M4M	QUL-28M4M	2014-06-13	46.5	-	7.87	20.5	0.77	101	66	< 3	3.22	-	-	0.136	< 5	< 5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.55	46.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M5M	2014-06-14	49.3	7.65	7.95	20.7	0.34	97.7	84	< 3	2.28	-	-	0.115	< 5	32.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.81	43.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M6M	QUL-28M6M	2014-06-14	52.3	7.63	7.97	12.1	7.07	103	73	12.5	1.9	-	-	0.134	< 5	63.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	6.10	46.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M7M	2014-06-14	55	7.66	7.96	4.7	4.14	110	74	5.7	2.02	-	-	0.174	< 5	143	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	6.48	49.6	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M8M	QUL-28M8M	2014-06-15	49.1	7.97	7.97	22.0	0.34	97	62	< 3	1.99	-	-	0.198	< 5	38.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.83	43.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M9M	2014-06-15	49.9	8.06	7.96	20.4	0.25	95	58	< 3	2.13	-	-	0.114	< 5	42.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.62	43.8	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M10M	QUL-28M10M	2014-06-17	47.9	6.75	7.9	20.3	0.43	96.6	70	< 3	2.47	-	-	0.146	< 5	28.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.81	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M11M	2014-06-17	51.6	7.65	7.95	8.8	4.85	103	60	9.7	2.1	-	-	0.178	< 5	111	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.98	48.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M12M	QUL-28M12M	2014-06-17	54.4	7.40	7.54	4.7	3.31	108	67	4.6	2.09	-	-	0.2	< 5	148	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	6.38	48.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M13M	2014-06-18	48.8	7.78	7.63	18.9	0.33	96.5	69	< 3	2	-	-	0.118	< 5	42.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.99	43.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M14M	QUL-28M14M	2014-06-19	50.4	7.77	7.82	14.4	8.47	100	99	5.5	1.93	-	-	0.15	< 5	75.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	6.97	45.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M15M	2014-06-19	52.5	-	7.53	-	6.86	107	99	6.2	1.92	-	-	0.178	< 5	121	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	6.08	49.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M16M	QUL-28M16M	2014-06-21	49.2	6.27	7.87	18.9	1.07	95.1	82	< 3	2.15	-	-	0.114	< 5	48.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.71	44.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M17M	2014-06-21	49.3	7.52	7.82	17.5	0.53	101	69	< 3	2.32	-	-	0.134	< 5	34.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.71	45.6	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-28M18M	QUL-28M18M	2014-06-22	48.1	7.73	7.65	20.9	0.77	96.8	82	< 3	2.08	-	-	0.121	< 5	45.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	5.88	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-28M19M	2014-06-22	47.6	-	7.93	21.1	0.45	98.7	62	< 3	2.81	-	-	0.125	< 5	33.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.63	44.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-30	QUL-30	2014-06-27	45	7.54	7.99	20.4	1.97	95.4	63	< 3	1.85	201	< 1	0.086	< 5	54.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.67	46.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-30A	2014-06-27	47.5	8.20	7.97	21.0	0.6	95.8	88	< 3	2.08	130	2	0.117	< 5	47.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	33	5.61	44.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-31	QUL-31	2014-06-28	48.7	-	7.86	-	0.38	101	81	< 3	1.89	-	-	0.162	< 5	77.8	1.8	79.4	< 0.5	34	5.8	49	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-31A	2014-06-28	49	-	7.85	20.0	0.32	99	63	< 3	1.9	-	-	0.129	< 5	63.8	< 1	63.8	< 0.5	34	5.83	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-32	QUL-32	2014-06-28	47.2	-	7.67	20.2	0.31	97.8	62	< 3	2.03	-	-	0.118	< 5	50.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	32	5.62	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-32A	2014-06-28	48.8	8.16	7.9	21.1	0.34	97.5	63	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.102	< 5	40.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.82	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-33	QUL-33	2014-06-14	48.4	8.08	7.85	18.0	0.29	97.3	60	< 3	2.05	-	-	0.12	< 5	52.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.82	43.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-33A	2014-06-15	49.1	8.13	7.88	20.1	0.27	96.9	66	< 3	1.77	-	-	0.103	< 5	48.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.86	44.3	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-34	QUL-34	2014-06-15	49	8.13	7.97	18.8	0.25	97	63	< 3	1.72	-	-	0.113	< 5	58.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.84	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-34A	2014-06-15	49.4	-	-	-	0.32	-	63	3.8	1.68	-	-	0.111	< 5	82.0	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.87	43.7	-	< 0.001	0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-35	QUL-35	2014-06-18	48.4	7.11	7.97	16.3	0.35	97.5	59	< 3	2.44	48	< 1	0.155	< 5	48.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.84	43.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-35A	2014-06-20	50.2	7.85	7.96	17.8	0.71	100	62	< 3	2.1	-	-	0.128	< 5	35	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.78	45.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-36	QUL-36	2014-06-20	48.8	7.84	7.9	18.1	0.46	96	71	< 3	2.3	24	< 1	0.153	< 5	86.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.75	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-36A	2014-06-20	49.4	7.70	7.97	18.3	0.64	97.8	88	< 3	2.43	27	< 1	0.145	< 5	72.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.71	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
QUL-37	QUL-37	2014-06-26	49.8	7.91	7.84	17.4	0.76	100	62	< 3	2.23	-	-	0.131	< 5	58.5	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.70	45	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>8</sup>	-	
	QUL-37A	2014-06-26	49.2	7.78	7.97	13.9	0.54	97	66	< 3	2.25	15	< 1	0.154	< 5	79.3	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.73</						

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Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																											
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)
BCWG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			100 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			50 <sup>3</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
QUL-23	QUL-23	2014-08-25	11.5	15.8	< 30	1.81	1.07	0.466	0.801	< 0.1	0.11	5.7	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.283	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.136	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-23x	2014-08-25	10.1	15.8	< 30	1.9	0.039	0.464	0.832	< 0.1	0.1	5.59	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.96	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.288	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.137	< 1	< 3	
QUL-25	QUL-25 Rpt 1		10.7	15.5	< 30	1.82	1.05	0.453	0.851	< 0.1	0.11	5.32	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.97	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.137	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-23	2014-08-27	10.7	15.5	< 30	1.82	1.05	0.453	0.851	< 0.1	0.11	5.32	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.97	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.137	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-23	2014-08-26	9.6	15.8	< 30	1.51	3.57	0.48	0.83	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.84	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.86	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.298	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.145	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-23	2014-08-26	10.2	15.5	< 30	1.83	0.8	0.47	0.839	< 0.1	0.12	5.38	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.97	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.305	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.138	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-23	2014-08-29	9.8	15.6	< 30	1.65	3.45	0.484	0.848	< 0.1	0.12	5.92	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.71	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.137	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-11	11.3	16.5	< 30	1.86	4.79	0.541	0.849	< 0.1	0.12	6.05	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.94	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.303	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.145	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-13M	2014-08-11	9.6	17	< 30	1.83	0.325	0.486	0.856	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.18	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.282	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.131	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-24M	2014-08-11	5.7	17.8	< 30	2.03	0.677	0.481	0.911	< 0.1	0.11	5.19	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.284	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.143	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26	2014-08-12	10.6	16.1	< 30	1.87	0.554	0.498	0.856	< 0.1	0.11	5.42	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.308	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.132	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26	2014-08-13	11	16.3	< 30	1.92	10.4	0.598	0.842	< 0.1	0.15	7.06	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.8	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.33	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.132	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-14	11.2	16.6	< 30	1.91	2.64	0.509	0.837	< 0.1	0.1	5.61	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.82	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.294	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.133	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-12M	2014-08-14	11.7	17.8	< 30	1.93	5.07	0.483	0.878	< 0.1	0.11	6.11	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.63	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.345	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.145	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-27M	2014-08-14	5.5	16	< 30	2.1	8.77	0.476	0.952	< 0.1	0.13	8.14	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.93	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.375	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.159	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26	2014-08-15	10.2	16.5	< 30	1.92	1	0.478	0.824	< 0.1	0.12	5.84	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.294	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.135	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26	2014-08-16	10.2	16.4	< 30	1.9	0.843	0.475	0.816	< 0.1	0.12	5.46	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.51	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.338	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.135	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-17	9.6	16.1	< 30	1.88	3.59	0.516	0.828	< 0.1	0.11	5.83	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.82	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.288	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.138	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-12M	2014-08-17	8.7	17.4	< 30	1.96	1.5	0.459	0.84	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.02	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.33	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.28	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.130	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-25M	2014-08-17	5.1	16.3	< 30	2.09	4.49	0.462	0.939	< 0.1	0.11	5.72	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.01	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.346	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.141	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-18	10.3	16.4	< 30	1.89	0.417	0.464	0.818	< 0.1	0.1	5.16	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.291	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.135	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-10M	2014-08-19	10.9	17.1	< 30	1.9	3.66	0.475	0.879	< 0.1	0.11	7.32	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	2.21	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.462	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.142	< 1	< 3	
QUL-26-20M	2014-08-19	5.6	17.6	< 30	2.04	2.03	0.488	0.923	< 0.1	0.1	8.14	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	1.27	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.324	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.142	< 1	< 3		
QUL-26-0M	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-21	10.7	16.8	< 30	1.91	1.47	0.467	0.82	< 0.1	0.12	5.59	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.78	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.312	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.136	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26-0M	2014-08-21	11.4	16.6	< 30	1.91	7.17	0.531	0.842	< 0.1	0.11	6.08	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.96	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.339	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.139	< 1	< 3	
QUL-26	QUL-26	2014-08-22	11.1	16.2	< 30	1.89	2.58	0.485	0.86	< 0.1	0.11	5.73	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.96	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.312	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.137	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-26	2014-08-23	11.2	15.8	< 30	1.9	2.4	0.508	0.846	< 0.1	0.14	5.83	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.92	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.306	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.123	< 1	< 3	
QUL-30	QUL-30	2014-08-27	11.5	15.8	< 30	1.84	0.412	0.48	0.781	< 0.1	< 0.1	4.74	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.292	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.147	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-31	2014-08-27	11.4	15.8	< 30	1.89	0.789	0.485	0.837	< 0.1	0.12	5.19	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.311	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.133	< 1	< 3	
QUL-32	QUL-32	2014-08-28	10.8	16.4	< 30	1.85	0.355	0.454	0.833	< 0.1	0.1	4.86	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.293	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.142	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-33	2014-08-28	10.9	16.6	< 30	1.84	0.237	0.434	0.787	< 0.1	0.1	4.61	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.225	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.14	< 1	< 3	
QUL-34	QUL-34-0M	2014-08-13	10.8	15.8	< 30	1.84	0.13	0.456	0.826	< 0.1	< 0.1	5.23	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	0.3	< 0.05	< 0.5	-	0.31	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 0.141	< 1	< 3	
QUL-35	QUL-35-3M	2014-08-14	11.1	16.4	< 30	1.91	0.547	0.466	0.808	< 0.1	0.11																			





TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Queens Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Physical Parameters										Microbiological Tests										Total Inorganics									
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (field) (pH)	pH (lab) (pH)	Temperature (field) (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)	Total Coliforms (MPN/100 mL)	E. Coli (MPN/100 mL)	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrite Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrate+Nitrite (mg/L)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Bromide (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus* (mg/L)						
BC Guidelines																																
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	6.5-9.0	6.5-9.0	+/-1 Degree change from ambient	Change of 8	n/a	n/a	Change of 25	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	5,600-18,400 <sup>3</sup>	32,800	80 (Cl+2)	32,800 <sup>3</sup>	600	1,224.3 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015					
BCWQG Aquatic Life (DCEY) (AW) <sup>1,2</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a		Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1,090-1,770 <sup>5</sup>	3,000	20 (Cl+2)	3,000 <sup>5</sup>	150	n/a	126-500 <sup>6</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a					
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	Change of 1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.100/ml	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>8</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.01					
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>7</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.100/ml	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a					
QUL-06	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-19	72.5	7.81	8	8.8	122	159	113	32.9	1.9	-	-	-	-	0.375	46.9	232	1.7	-	0.63	73	16.2	60.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-00M	2014-08-19	72.9	7.81	7.89	8.8	127	150	117	40.6	1.93	-	-	-	-	0.378	50.6	230	1.6	-	0.61	72	16.1	60.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06 RPB %			4.1	0	4.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-21	69.4	8.08	7.9	8.9	111	146	109	20.9	1.86	-	-	-	-	0.339	40.1	209	1.4	-	0.56	66	16.5	58.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-26	50.5	7.70	7.87	18.6	155	98.5	69	< 3	2.36	-	-	-	-	0.132	< 5	46.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	5.86	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-26	53	7.70	8	12.5	155	109	73	4.9	2.14	-	-	-	-	0.184	5.4	83.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	38	6.79	51.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-26	74.0	7.76	8.04	6.5	71.3	180	129	36.2	2.18	-	-	-	-	0.427	36	250	2.3	-	0.62	71	16.8	61.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-26	46.3	8.10	7.97	18.9	9.4	97	67	6.5	2.71	-	-	-	-	0.119	5.2	< 50	< 10	-	< 5	220	9.3	43.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-28	54	8.02	7.95	9.4	17.3	107	66	29.6	2.17	-	-	-	-	0.185	7.5	115	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	8.36	50	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-28	67.5	7.92	8	9.3	73.4	149	102	20.8	2.19	-	-	-	-	0.409	50.3	214	1.4	-	0.52	69	16.2	60.8	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-28	84.4	7.92	7.98	6.3	71.8	137	83	66.7	2.11	-	-	-	-	0.319	37.8	197	1.1	-	< 0.5	63	13.9	59.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06 RPB %			1.0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-30	49.1	8.04	7.97	18.2	0.6	96.6	61	3.8	1.97	-	-	-	-	0.123	< 5	44.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.69	44.7	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-30	53.4	7.85	7.99	10.5	7.06	106	68	7.6	1.92	-	-	-	-	0.177	6.8	108	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.17	48.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-30	69.9	7.88	8.02	9.6	53.1	157	104	31.6	2.03	-	-	-	-	0.399	64.3	211	2.6	-	0.62	66	16.2	59.5	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-30	64.6	7.74	7.9	5.6	49.5	136	81	10	1.91	-	-	-	-	0.334	32.1	195	< 1	-	< 0.5	62	12.4	57.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-31	68.9	7.85	7.85	5.6	70.6	146	100	28.7	2	-	-	-	-	0.384	42.2	228	1.5	-	< 0.5	69	15.3	57.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-31	58.6	7.72	7.84	5.1	26.9	110	77	13.9	2.02	-	-	-	-	0.254	14.3	109	< 1	-	< 0.5	48	8.97	51.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-31	60.9	7.90	7.85	4.9	37.5	124	83	7.9	1.79	-	-	-	-	0.280	23	193	< 1	-	< 0.5	60	10.5	52.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-31	62	7.97	7.85	5.4	42.3	127	90	4.7	1.84	-	-	-	-	0.301	27.2	191	< 1	-	< 0.5	53	11.3	53.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-22	50.4	7.66	7.65	10.9	0.67	98.4	69	< 3	2.2	-	-	-	-	0.154	< 5	85.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.77	48	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	47.3	7.99	7.89	18.3	0.28	97.2	69	< 3	1.81	-	-	-	-	0.127	< 5	44.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.76	43.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	64.7	7.19	7.8	5.3	4.87	110	63	2.5	1.84	-	-	-	-	0.213	< 5	147	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.85	49.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	54	7.25	7.8	4.8	1.74	110	75	2.5	1.84	-	-	-	-	0.217	< 5	153	< 1	-	< 0.5	40	7.56	50.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	49.4	7.95	7.89	19.0	0.23	98.5	82	< 3	1.99	-	-	-	-	0.112	< 5	43.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	6.75	44	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	54.7	-	7.93	-	0.99	108	96	< 3	1.9	-	-	-	-	0.105	< 5	145	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	6.35	48.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-28	49.7	-	7.95	-	0.22	96.5	60	< 3	2.18	-	-	-	-	0.13	< 5	42.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.69	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-29	54.3	-	7.95	-	5.99	107	88	< 3	1.93	-	-	-	-	0.202	< 5	144	< 1	-	< 0.5	39	6.43	48.9	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	49.7	8.11	7.95	18.1	0.33	96.4	70	< 3	2.27	-	-	-	-	0.133	< 5	47.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.73	44.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	49.6	-	7.94	-	3.24	96.5	67	< 3	2.27	-	-	-	-	0.141	< 5	62.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.79	44.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	49.6	7.94	7.84	18.3	0.25	96.8	65	< 3	2.33	-	-	-	-	0.122	< 5	46.9	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.71	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	50.2	7.91	7.93	18.3	0.3	98.3	66	< 3	2.2	-	-	-	-	0.128	< 5	47.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	36	5.71	44.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	49.6	7.93	7.86	18.4	0.4	99.3	67	< 3	2.15	-	-	-	-	0.128	< 5	47.4	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.76	44.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	50.4	7.99	7.99	18.5	0.27	99.9	69	< 3	2.02	-	-	-	-	0.121	< 5	47.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.76	45.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	49.8	8.02	7.99	18.4	0.26	97.3	71	< 3	1.98	-	-	-	-	0.132	< 5	42.6	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.69	44.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	51.2	7.79	7.91	11.5	0.5	103	69	< 3	1.68	-	-	-	-	0.206	< 5	121	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	6.01	48.4	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-25	53.8	7.29	7.93	5.1	3.58	197	75	< 3	1.76	-	-	-	-	0.207	< 5	144	1.4	-	< 0.5	36	6.14	48	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-26	50.5	7.83	7.98	18.0	0.27	100	62	< 3	1.99	-	-	-	-	0.114	< 5	41	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.7	44.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	49.5	8.00	7.9	17.5	3.85	89.2	67	< 3	2.21	-	-	-	-	0.12	< 5	92.8	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.79	44.6	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	49.5	8.04	8.01	16.0	3.76	89.7	68	< 3	2.21	-	-	-	-	0.133	< 5	40.1	< 1	-	< 0.5	35	5.73	45.1	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	50.3	7.73	7.77	9.3	1.49	89	69	< 3	3.48	-	-	-	-	0.116	8.7	21.2	< 1	-	< 0.5	37	5.9	43.2	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-27	49.3	7.97	7.97	18.0	1.35	96.7	69	< 3	2.11	-	-	-	-	0.131	5.2	93.7	< 1	-	< 0.5	34	5.79	44.3	-	< 0.001	< 0.002 <sup>9</sup>					
QUL-06-01M	QUL-06-01M	2014-08-28	49.3	7.96	7.91	18.0	1.35	96.7	6																							



TABLE 1a: Summary of Analytical Results for Mount Polley, Quatnel Lake and River - Surface Water

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Dissolved Metals																												
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BC Guidelines																															
BCWOG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>a</sup>			100 <sup>b</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWOG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>a,c</sup>			50 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BCWOG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>a</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>a</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
QUL-68	QUL-68-ADM	2014-08-19	15.9	24.5	<30	2.7	100	1.12	3.63	0.29	0.84	10.7	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.58	<0.05	1.2	-	6.30	<0.5	0.62	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.728	1	<3	<3
	QUL-68-ADM	2014-08-19	16.8	24.7	<30	2.76	100	1.12	3.87	0.29	0.85	10.8	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.65	<0.05	1.1	-	6.31	<0.5	0.64	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.723	1	<3	<3
QUL-68 RPD %			8	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
QUL-69	QUL-69-ADM	2014-08-21	13.7	23.5	<30	2.59	77.3	1.05	3.51	0.25	0.7	18.8	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.52	<0.05	0.85	<0.05	5.66	<0.5	0.58	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.656	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-ADM	2014-08-26	9.8	17.1	<30	1.83	2.31	0.45	0.819	<0.1	<0.1	5.74	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.66	<0.05	0.81	-	0.288	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.132	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69-10M	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-26	9.8	17.8	<30	2.01	6.44	0.40	0.974	<0.1	0.14	7.36	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	2.92	<0.05	0.6	-	0.448	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.147	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-26	15.3	25.3	<30	2.7	158	1.02	3.56	0.29	0.81	18.1	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.28	<0.05	0.64	-	5.83	<0.5	0.68	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.673	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69-18M	QUL-69-18M	2014-08-28	10.1	18.6	<30	1.83	0.447	0.471	0.822	<0.1	0.14	6.28	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.54	<0.05	0.79	-	0.284	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.138	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-18M	2014-08-28	10.6	18.3	<30	2.0	9.34	0.48	0.804	<0.1	0.12	6.82	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	3.43	<0.05	0.5	-	0.387	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.162	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69-40M	QUL-69-40M	2014-08-28	35.3	22.8	<30	2.54	89.3	0.951	3.3	0.24	0.7	17.1	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.71	<0.05	0.64	-	4.98	<0.5	0.52	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.585	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-40M	2014-08-28	12.7	21.8	<30	2.44	54.5	0.858	2.73	0.34	0.73	14.7	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	5.01	<0.05	0.95	-	3.94	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.592	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69 RPD %			8	1	4	5	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18
QUL-69-10M	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-30	9.8	18.5	<30	1.83	0.607	0.499	0.818	<0.1	0.11	5.41	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.58	<0.05	0.56	<0.05	0.269	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-30	3.3	16.1	<30	1.89	7.86	0.488	0.811	<0.1	0.12	8.36	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	3.87	<0.05	0.62	-	0.253	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.155	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69-10M	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-30	16.2	22.3	<30	2.82	74.9	1.15	4.06	0.3	0.83	18.4	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.01	<0.05	0.81	-	6.88	<0.5	0.58	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.693	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-10M	2014-08-30	11.8	21.8	<30	2.47	75.8	0.78	2.97	0.15	0.52	15.5	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	3.87	<0.05	0.53	-	3.14	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.405	<1	<3	<3
QUL-69-32M	QUL-69-32M	2014-08-31	11.7	22.3	<30	2.67	106	0.889	3.46	0.2	0.67	17.3	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	4.2	<0.05	1.08	-	4.45	<0.5	0.51	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.593	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-69-32M	2014-08-31	10.1	18.8	<30	2.35	47.4	0.597	1.72	<0.1	0.31	10.3	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	2.53	<0.05	0.89	-	1.48	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.287	<1	<3	<3
QUL-74	QUL-74-ADM	2014-08-31	11.4	20.8	<30	2.20	42.8	0.852	2.11	0.11	0.26	11.4	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	3.33	<0.05	0.85	-	2.09	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.262	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-74-ADM	2014-08-31	10.5	21	<30	2.31	46.1	0.845	2.08	0.12	0.42	12	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	3.39	<0.05	1	-	2.81	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.408	<1	<3	<3
QUL-77	QUL-77	2014-08-22	10.2	17	<30	1.83	0.945	0.458	0.829	<0.1	<0.1	5.96	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	1.08	<0.05	0.86	-	0.272	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.137	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-77-ADM	2014-08-25	8.1	14.2	<30	1.61	0.259	0.242	0.589	<0.1	<0.1	4.43	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.5	-	0.229	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.111	<1	<3	<3
QUL-79	QUL-79-ADM	2014-08-25	6.3	18.5	<30	2.03	5.8	0.491	1.74	<0.1	0.12	8.1	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	1.62	<0.05	0.5	-	0.828	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.177	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-79-ADM	2014-08-27	10.2	16.7	<30	1.91	0.304	0.44	0.818	<0.1	0.1	4.81	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.74	-	0.294	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.139	<1	<3	<3
QUL-79-10M	QUL-79-10M	2014-08-27	4.9	18.5	<30	2.03	0.562	0.48	0.823	<0.1	<0.1	5.16	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.51	<0.05	0.8	-	0.27	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.152	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-79-10M	2014-08-29	10	15.2	<30	1.9	0.293	0.448	0.793	<0.1	<0.1	4.95	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.68	-	0.299	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.14	<1	<3	<3
QUL-79-32M	QUL-79-32M	2014-08-29	8.7	18.3	<30	2.03	5.41	0.490	1.05	<0.1	0.14	8.05	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	1.25	<0.05	0.68	-	0.588	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.162	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-82-ADM	2014-08-25	9	16.7	<30	1.83	0.498	0.485	1.01	<0.1	0.11	5.26	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.5	-	0.279	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.131	<1	<3	<3
QUL-83	QUL-82-TAP	2014-08-25	9	16.7	<30	1.81	0.148	0.45	0.806	<0.1	<0.1	5.28	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	17.8	<0.05	0.5	-	0.273	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.13	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-83-ADM	2014-08-25	8.1	16.7	<30	1.82	0.382	0.458	0.831	<0.1	0.11	5.33	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.5	-	0.269	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.125	<1	<3	<3
QUL-84	QUL-84-1M	2014-08-25	9.8	16.8	<30	1.83	0.405	0.487	0.824	<0.1	<0.1	5.36	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.51	-	0.269	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.128	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-85	2014-08-25	8.8	16.7	<30	1.82	0.416	0.48	0.822	<0.1	0.13	5.34	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.5	-	0.277	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.136	<1	<3	<3
QUL-86	QUL-85-1M	2014-08-25	8.8	17	<30	1.83	0.467	0.490	0.827	<0.1	0.18	5.34	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.5	<0.05	0.5	-	0.269	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.14	<1	<3	<3
	QUL-87-ADM	2014-08-25	10.3	16.4	<30	1.83	0.41	0.485	0.807	<0.1	<0.1	5.07	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.8	<0.05	0.5	-	0.273	<0.5	<0.5	<0.01	<0.01	<10	0.13	<1	<3	<3
QUL-87	QUL-87-12M	2014-08-25	8.1	17.3	<30	1.93	0.271	0.495	1.04	<0.1	<0.1	4.98	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<0.5	<0.1	0.53	<0.05	0.5</											



Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Physical Parameters							Total Nitrogen (N) (mg/L)	Ammonia Nitrogen (ppm)	Nitrate Nitrogen (ppm)	Nitrite Nitrogen (ppm)	Nitrate+Nitrite Nitrogen (ppm)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (ppm)	Sulphate (mg/L)	Total Alkalinity (as CaCO3) (mg/L)	Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)
			Hardness (mg/L)	pH (pH)	Turbidity (NTU)	Conductivity (µS/cm)	TDS (mg/L)	TSS (mg/L)	DOC (mg/L)											
BC Standards																				
BCWGG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>6,4</sup>			n/a	5.5-8.0	Change of 8	n/a	n/a	Change of 20	n/a	n/a	5,680-18,400 <sup>4</sup>	32,800	50 (Cl-2)	32,800 <sup>5</sup>	800	666.2-1224.3 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.005-0.015
BCWGG Aquatic Life (Sludge) (AW) <sup>6,5,4</sup>			n/a	n/a	Change of 2	n/a	n/a	Change of 5	<20% of median background	n/a	1,000-1,770 <sup>4</sup>	3,000	20 (Cl-2)	3,000 <sup>5</sup>	150	n/a	125-300 <sup>4</sup>	n/a	n/a	
BCWGG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>6</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	10,000 <sup>5</sup>	250	1,000	500	n/a	n/a	0.01
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (QW) <sup>6</sup>			n/a	6.5-8.5	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10,000	1,000	n/a	250	1,500	500	n/a	n/a	n/a
QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-12	<0.5	6.67	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-14	<0.5	6.67	<0.1	-	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-15	<0.5	-	<0.1	-	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-16	<0.5	-	<0.1	-	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-19	<0.5	6.68	0.28	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002	
	QUL-SCUMMUS-BLANK	2014-08-19	<0.5	6.44	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002	
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-21	<0.5	6.72	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002	
	DI-BLANK	2014-08-29	<0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<0.5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	0.0223
	FILTER-BLANK	2014-08-29	<0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	KEM1B	2014-08-29	<0.5	6.49	0.15	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	<0.05	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002	
QUL-FIELD BLANK	FIELD BLANK	2014-08-06	-	6.58	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	-	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	-	<0.5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	FIELD BLANK DI	2014-08-06	<0.5	6.48	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	<0.5	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	-	<0.5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	FIELD BLANK	2014-08-10	-	6.97	<0.1	<2	<10	<3	-	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	-	<0.5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	QUL-FIELD BLANK	2014-08-15	-	-	<0.1	-	<10	<3	-	<0.05	<5	<5	<1	-	<0.5	<20	<0.5	<1	<0.001	<0.002
	FIELD BLANK	2014-08-12</																		

All terms defined within the body of SNC-Lavalin's report (available upon request).

- \* Denotes concentration less than indicated detection limit or RPD less than indicated value.
- \* Denotes analysis not conducted.
- n/a Denotes no applicable standard.
- \* RPDs are not normally calculated where one or more concentrations are less than five times MCL.

SHADED	Concentration greater than BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) guideline.
BOLD	Concentration greater than BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) guideline.
SHADED	Concentration greater than BCWQG Aquatic Life (Sed.) (AW) guideline.
BOLD	Concentration greater than or equal to Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) guideline. Concentration greater than SCL.

<sup>a</sup> Laboratory detection limit out of range.<sup>a</sup> Laboratory detection limit out of range.

\* British Columbia Approved Water Quality Guidelines 2006 Edition, updated 2014.

<sup>4</sup> A Compendium of Working Water Quality Guidelines for South Columbia, update.<sup>4</sup> A Compendium of Working Water Quality Guidelines for British Columbia, update.

\* Guideline varies with pH, and/or either Temperature or Hardness.

<sup>†</sup> *Gouldian* varies left side, and as *Tachycineta* as *Handless*.

\* Guideline varies with pH, and/or Temperature or Hardness.

\* Health Canada Drinking Water Guidelines, 2002

<sup>a</sup> Health Canada Drinking Water Guidelines, 2012.<sup>b</sup> Guideline for Nitrate applied.

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<sup>a</sup> Calculated based on an individual sample basis.

Calculated on the basis of an average value of 0.85.

<sup>2</sup> Recordar el punto de destino sales, no 30 días más.

Secondary chronic or chronic value, not 30 day mean

<sup>1</sup> Guidelines not applicable for this situation.

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is not sufficient to create a prima facie case of this kind as there

a root equivalent to a single harmonic wave, at this point in time.

Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy mm dd)	Dissolved Metals																											
			Dissolved Aluminum (µg/L)	Dissolved Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved Iron (µg/L)	Dissolved Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved Manganese (µg/L)	Dissolved Potassium (mg/L)	Dissolved Sodium (mg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Sodium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BC Standards			100 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	350	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>b,c</sup>																														
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>b,c,h</sup>			50 <sup>a</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>b,c</sup>			200	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>b</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 12	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3		
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 14	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3		
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 15	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 16	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 19	< 3	0.129	< 30	< 0.1	0.446	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	0.114	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 19	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014 08 21	< 3	0.121	< 30	< 0.1	0.186	< 0.05	0.574	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	0.14	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	DI-BLANK	2014 08 26	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1	< 0.5	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.01	< 0.01	< 10	< 0.01	< 1	< 3	
	FILTER-BLANK	2014 08 26	< 3	< 0.05	< 30	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.05	< 0.1	< 10	< 0.01	< 0.5	< 0.1													

\* RPDs are not normally calculated where one or more concentrations are (or) higher than five times MDL.

**SHADED** Concentration greater than BC-AQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AQL) guideline.

Concentration greater than 50 DL

<sup>1</sup> British Columbia Approved Water Quality Guidelines 2006 Edition, updated 2014.<sup>4</sup> Guideline varies with pH, and/or other Temperature or Humidity.<sup>a</sup> The total atmospheric gaseous is a measure of lake productivity and is based on<sup>a</sup> Guidelines not applicable for this situation.

\* The local atmospheric guidance is a measure of lake productivity and is based on spring overwash or an average of summer samples and is not applicable to single sample results of this period or year.

<sup>11</sup> Calculated based on an individual sample bottle, not average of 30 day results.



Sample Location	Sample ID	Sample Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Total Metals																															
			Aluminum (µg/L)	Antimony (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Bismuth (µg/L)	Boron (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Calcium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Cobalt (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Lithium (µg/L)	Magnesium (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Molybdenum (µg/L)	Nickel (µg/L)	Potassium (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Silicon (µg/L)	Silver (µg/L)	Sodium (µg/L)	Thallium (µg/L)	Tin (µg/L)	Titanium (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)	Vanadium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	
BC Standards																																		
BCWQG Aquatic Life (AW) <sup>1,c</sup>			n/a	20	5	5,000	n/a	n/a	1,200	0.016-0.026 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	1 (Cr+6)	110	8.0-9.2 <sup>d</sup>	1,000	27.3-57.7 <sup>d</sup>	870	n/a	1000.6-1370 <sup>d</sup>			2,000	25-85 <sup>d</sup>	373,000-422,000	2	n/a	0.1 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	0.3	n/a	2,000	300	6	33 <sup>d</sup>
BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AW) <sup>1,c,e</sup>			n/a	n/a	n/a	1,000	5.3	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	4	2-3 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	4.4-5.6 <sup>d</sup>	14 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	791.1-940 <sup>d</sup>			1,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.06 <sup>d</sup>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	7.5 <sup>d</sup>	
BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) <sup>1,c</sup>			n/a	14	25	n/a	4	n/a	5,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	500	n/a	50	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	250	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	6,000	
Canadian Drinking Water Quality (DW) <sup>2</sup>			150	8	10	1,000	n/a	n/a	5	n/a	50	n/a	1,000	300	10	n/a	n/a	50	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	n/a	n/a	200,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	20	n/a	6,000		
QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-12	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	<50	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-14	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	<50	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-15	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	<50	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-16	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	<50	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-19	11.4	<0.1	<0.1	0.272	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	84	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	0.11	<0.5	<150	0.314	-	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	QUL-EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-19	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	50	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	EQUIPMENT BLANK	2014-08-21	<3	<0.1	<0.1	<0.05	<0.1	<0.5	<10	<0.01 <sup>a</sup>	106	<0.5	<0.1	<0.5	<30	<0.05	<0.5	<100	0.09	-	<0.05	<0.5	<50	<0.5	<50	<0.01	<50	<0.01	<0.1	<10	<0.01	<1	<3	
	DI-BLANK	2014-08-28																																
	FILTER-BLANK	2014-08-28	</																															

WAIVED	Concentration greater than BCWQG Aquatic Life (AQL) guideline.
BOLD	Concentration greater than BCWQG Drinking Water (DW) guideline.
WAIVED	Concentration greater than BCWQG Aquatic Life (30day) (AQL) guideline.
BOLD	Concentration greater than or equal to Canadian Drinking Water Quality (CDWQ) guideline. Concentration greater than SLD.

<sup>1</sup> Health Canada Drinking Water Guidelines, 2012. <sup>2</sup> Secondary crevices or chronic release, not 30 day mean.

<sup>3</sup> Guidelines for nitrate applied. <sup>4</sup> Guidelines not applicable for site situation.

<sup>5</sup> The total phosphorus guideline is a measure of lake productivity and is based on spring overturn on an average of summer samples and is not applicable to single sample results at this point in time.

<sup>6</sup> Calculated based on a individual sample basis, not average of 30 day results.