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Dear Mr. Azzolini,

Thank you for your email message of 05 March, which forwarded the IR Response from Mr. Soniassy (DIAND) regarding the release of documents pertaining to environmental assessments of the Fuel Cache Recovery and Drilling Program proposed by the Canadian Zinc Corporation (CZN).

Nahanni National Park Reserve (NNPR) is providing professional technical advice to the Review Board for these two assessments. In light of this role, NNPR is of the opinion that the 'Rehabilitation and Site Restoration Model' report could contain important information for the preparation of our technical report - including the assessment of CZN's EA Reports on both the Fuel Cache Removal and Drilling Program. As this document was not included with the response, we ask that the Board does endeavour to obtain this document.

With respect to the other documents listed in the DIAND IR Response, NNPR was previously informed of a Cat Camp site inspection by DIAND field staff, not CZN staff, in fall 1999. This document is not referred to in the response, but it would have relevance to the IR made by the Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society.

I would like to take this opportunity to clarify that NNPR is fully supportive of removal of the fuel cache in a timely manner, and wants to see the work completed in the most environmentally sensitive manner possible. This environmental risk mitigation will help to advance our mandate of maintaining the ecological integrity of NNPR and the South Nahanni watershed.

Sincerely,

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