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Thanks for the clarification.

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To the MVEIRB and Snap Lake EA distribution list.

In the following e-mail, Steve Wilbur noted his concern regarding the time constraints to review and incorporate the information contained within the De Beers' technical memorandums that have recently been distributed to intervenors by the MVEIRB. While we cannot speak for the Board, De Beers does not expect that this information will necessarily be incorporated into intervenor's Technical Reports. This material is being submitted in response to issues raised during the MVEIRB Technical Sessions, as it is our intent to follow through with our commitment to provide further details to intervenors as a means of resolving outstanding issues prior to the Pre-hearing Conference and/or the Public Hearings.

Over the next few weeks, De Beers will continue to submit information responding to intervenor concerns, while at the same time respecting the date that the MVEIRB identifies as the last day for submission of new information prior to the Public Hearings (yet to be confirmed). It is De Beers' intent to have all memos submitted to the Board for the 28 February 2003 Pre-hearing Conference, allowing close to one month for intervenor review prior to the Public Hearings.

Regards,

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