

July 6, 2012

To Parties of the Giant Mine Remediation Project Environmental Assessment:

Re: Upcoming dates, reminders and temporary change of contact

The deadline for technical reports- Wednesday July 11th- is approaching. Parties are reminded to include a **one-page non-technical summary** with their technical report. Please make sure your technical reports clearly provide your views regarding *which parts of the project* will affect *which valued components*, and *how*. Please provide supporting references where possible.

The **pre-hearing conference** for this environmental assessment will be held on Thursday July 26th at 9:30 am in the Review Board boardroom. Those parties who cannot attend in person can dial in toll-free at 1-866-512-0904 (participant code #5841558). Please advise us if you plan on phoning in so that we can plan accordingly.

Appendix G on pages 78-79 of the EIA Guidelines provides useful information about the pre-hearing conferences. This can be seen online at http://reviewboard.ca/upload/ref_library/MVE%20EIA%20Guidelines_1195078754.pdf.

More information about pre-hearing conferences can be found at:

http://reviewboard.ca/upload/ref_library/2011_prehearing_conference_flat_sheet_1318622105.PDF

The **hearings are scheduled for Monday September 10th to Friday September 14th 2012**. Please note that an earlier letter incorrectly said they begin on the 11th.

For the week of July 10 to 13th, please address any materials (including technical reports) to Environmental Assessment Officer Paul Mercredi (pmercredi@reviewboard.ca). Paul can be reached at (867) 766-7063.

Sincerely,

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