

Our File: EA0809-002

June 26, 2009

<u>Canadian Zinc Corporation – Prairie Creek Mine EA Distribution List</u>

Re: Final Terms of Reference and Work Plan for the Environmental Assessment of Canadian Zinc Corporation's Prairie Creek Mine (EA0809-002)

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (Review Board) announces the release of its final *Terms of Reference* and *Work Plan* for the environmental assessment of Canadian Zinc Corporation's proposed Prairie Creek Mine. The *Terms of Reference* outlines information the Review Board requires from the developer in the *Developer's Assessment Report*. The *Work Plan* identifies scheduled process milestones, roles and responsibilities, as well as an estimate of the timeline for the remaining phases in this environmental assessment.

Interested parties can obtain copies of the *Terms of Reference* and *Work Plan* for this environmental assessment at the Review Board's website: http://www.reviewboard.ca.

In addition, this letter serves as notice that I am leaving the employ of the Review Board for a move south. A new Environmental Assessment Officer will be taking over this file as of August 4, 2009. In the meantime, all correspondence, questions and comments can still be forwarded to my email or fax for placement on the public record. It has been a pleasure working with the developer and all



interested parties during this environmental assessment, and the Review Board will ensure a smooth transition for the file.

Sincerely,

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