

Our File: EA1314-01
Jay Project

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Re: EA1314-01 Jay Project, technical session follow-up

The Mackenzie Valley Review Board (Review Board) thanks Dominion Diamond Ekati Corporation (Dominion Diamond) for its responses to information requests on July 3, 2015.

The Review Board is requesting a follow-up response to a question that originated during the technical sessions in April between a representative from Diavik Diamond Mines and Dominion Diamond. The discussion and question from Diavik Diamond Mines is found on pages 240-243 of the [April 22 technical session transcripts](#).

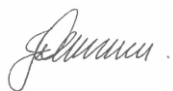
The specific request made in this discussion by Diavik Diamond was for Dominion Diamond to consider industrial uses of water as an assessment endpoint in the effects assessment for the Jay Project. During the technical sessions, the Review Board agreed to consider this request.

The Review Board therefore directs Dominion Diamond to provide a response to the following information request:

Please provide an effects assessment of the Jay Project with consideration of downstream industrial and domestic uses of water in Lac de Gras as an assessment endpoint. This effects assessment should consider inputs from the Jay Project, the Ekati Mine and Diavik Mine including A21, from the present until closure of the mines and include proposed mitigation and monitoring.

The Review Board requests that a response to the above information request be provided by July 28th, 2015, or on an alternate date as proposed by Dominion Diamond. Please contact Chuck Hubert at 766-7052, or chubert@reviewboard.ca, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



JoAnne Deneron
Chairperson
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board