

August 22, 2019

## Notice of Proceeding - Temporary closure of the public record prior to public hearings

Depositing Processed Kimberlite into Pits and Underground, Diavik Diamond Mines Inc.

### Temporary closure of the public record

The public record for this environmental assessment will be temporarily closed after Diavik Diamond Mines Inc. (Diavik) submits its responses to interventions on August 22, 2019. During this period of closure and as set out in the Board's workplan, only the hearing presentations listed below will be accepted for inclusion in the public record:

- interveners on August 27, 2019 and
- Diavik on August 30, 2019.

The purpose of closing the public record is to ensure fairness and that no new information is submitted prior to the hearings that could affect Diavik or the interveners' positions. The Review Board may post proceeding directives or other information concerning hearing logistics during this time.

### Re-opening of the public record

The public record for this file will re-open on September 3, 2019 at the start of the public hearings. Examples of items that may be added to the registry during the hearing include exhibits, hearing transcripts, undertaking responses, and a list of commitments from the participants.

### Post-hearing submissions

Filing dates for post-hearing materials (such as outstanding undertakings and final written arguments) will be confirmed during the hearings and described in a separate Notice of Proceeding.

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