

February 13, 2018

Note to MVEIRB Public Registry: Prairie Creek All Season Road MVEIRB Review

RE: Meeting Between Canadian Zinc and Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada

Canadian Zinc requested a meeting with INAC's Northern Affairs Organization Assistant Deputy Minister Stephen Van Dine to seek clarity on the information requests contained in Mr. Van Dine's letter of January 19, 2018.

An in-person meeting was held at the INAC offices in Gatineau, QC on February 6, 2018. Topics discussed were as follows:

- General environmental assessment decision process concerns of Canadian Zinc.
- Use of the MVRMA s. 130 (4.06) instrument to seek additional information, and clarification of responsible Ministers' expectations re: outcomes.
- Crown consultation process / activities and indigenous engagement activities of the proponent, including engagement of LKFN, DFN, NBDB and ADK.
- Canadian Zinc raised the issue of Indian Affairs Branch lands in relation to the all-season road.
- Follow-up letter sent by Mr. Van Dine on February 6, 2018, inviting Canadian Zinc to participate in a meeting in Yellowknife with officials of key responsible Ministers' departments who can speak at greater detail to the specifics of the information requests.

Participants

Canadian Zinc: John Kearney, Joseph Lanzon

INAC: Stephen Van Dine, Mark Hopkins, Sandra Stevenson, Kim Pawley, Matthew Spence (by phone from Yellowknife)