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Environmental Assessment Initiation Package Information Request			
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4.1 Project Description			
4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	1. General project information: a) Project Title	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.1.1
	b) Name and address of the developer i) Names and contact information for responsible individual(s) in the organization	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.1.2
	c) Project Type i) Identify the type of project proposal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the primary project type and any major accessory project components (such as open pit gold mining, all-weather road development, and truck and aircraft transportation). ii) For all resource development projects, identify: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • nature of resource being proposed for exploration or extraction • proven and probable reserves and production capacity • exploration, extraction, and/or processing method(s) 	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.1.3
	d) Project Location i) Describe the proposed project location in terms of its local and regional context. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide maps, photos, and other depictions to show, at minimum, the location of the proposed development relative to other developments, land use areas, wildlife and historical conservation areas, cultural areas and communities. • Include information on the political and administrative location (such as settlement areas and land use planning areas), land ownership, watershed or drainage region, traditional place names, and the developer's right to access the proposed development area. Maps should detail the project footprint (1:50,000 or more detailed), regional area, and other relevant information. 	Volume 1, Sections 1.0, 2.0 Volume 5, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.1.4, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6.1, 2.0, Figures 1-1 to 2-2 Volume 5, Section 1.1, Figures 1-1 and 1-2

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	<p>e) Project Timeline</p> <p>i) Identify the timing of the proposed development, including any proposed or potential future phased development schedules. Details should include dates associated with all proposed project phases and seasonal operations, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • mobilization • construction • operations • closure and reclamation • temporary and permanent closure • other <p>ii) Details related to the proposed project timeline should be supported by process maps and tables to demonstrate the sequencing and timing of all project activities, components, and developments for the proposed life of the project.</p> <p>iii) For proposed projects with indeterminate timelines (such as public all-season roads), developers should identify the phases of the project where applicable, as well as the management responsibilities that would apply to each phase.</p>	Volume 1, Sections 1.0 and 3.0	Volume 1, Section 1.1.5, Table 1-3, Section 3.1
	<p>f) Labour force and human resources</p> <p>i) Discuss the labour requirements, employee programs and policies, and workforce development opportunities for the proposed project. At minimum, details should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • opportunities for employment and training • expected workforce requirements and timelines for employment opportunities • communities of focus for hiring opportunities and anticipated hiring policies (including hiring programs, details on work and transportation schedules) • employee assistance programs (such as career planning, employee counselling, family support, transition planning) • workplace policies and programs (such as codes of conduct, workplace safety programs, cultural training programs) 	Volume 1, Sections 1.0 and 4.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.2.3, 4.1, 4.2, Appendix C

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	2. Purpose of the Project a) Objective i) Discuss project objective and the proposed use of any end-products (such as product sale as a raw material, finished material, intermediate product, or local use).	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.2
	b) Need for the development i) Discuss the need for the development including the benefits to local communities, the Northwest Territories, and Canada.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.2.2
	c) Economic projections i) Discuss the economic projections for the proposed project, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • capital and operating costs (by project phase, including temporary closure scenarios) • procurement strategies (including procurement priorities and sectoral breakdowns) • taxation and royalty revenues • contributions to Gross Domestic Product • economic vulnerabilities (including forecasts of commodity prices where applicable) ii) Identify any anticipated benefit agreements for the proposed project and provide non-confidential details related to their status and progress.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.2.3, Appendix C
4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	3. Project History a) Regulatory History i) Provide details related to previous and/or related projects (such as exploration programs), associated permits or licences, mineral claims, leases, and any additional information related to relevant project history.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.3.2, 1.4
	b) Site History i) Identify current site or local infrastructure and equipment that would be used as part of the proposed development (such as audits, drill holes, buildings, roads) as well as any liabilities.	Volume 1, Sections 1.0 and 3.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.3.1, 3.3, 3.4.6, 3.5.1

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	4. Project Authorizations a) Provide a list of all regulatory permits, licences, and any other authorizations required to carry out the proposed development and the status of those authorizations, as publicly available at the time of submission of the EA Initiation Package, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Water licences and land use permits. ii) Status of conformity with applicable land use plan: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the proposed project would occur in an area with an approved land use plan, the developer should demonstrate how it would comply with the land use plan. It is also helpful to clearly identify whether the proposed project conforms or conflicts with any applicable draft land use plan. iii) Surface and subsurface leases, land tenure. iv) Authorizations or permits from federal, territorial, or Aboriginal governments. For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural Resources Canada • Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada • Environment Canada • Transport Canada • Government of the Northwest Territories • The Tłı̨çho Government • The Délı̨ne Got'ı̨ne Government 	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.4, Table 1-6
	b) Discuss the proposed project's conformity with any current or prospective habitat management plans or protected areas in or near the development area (such as the Bathurst Caribou Range Management Plan or boreal caribou recovery strategies).	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.4

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	5. Description of the Developer a) Provide the following information about the developer (and its partners) responsible for the proposed project: i) A description of the developer, including any subsidiary companies, related corporations, and/or joint venture partners.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.1.2 and 1.5
	ii) Evidence of the financial viability of the developer to cover the costs associated with an EA (including providing a DAR, holding engagement meetings, responding to information requests, participating in public hearings), as well as to undertake the project including closure and reclamation.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.2.1
	iii) A summary of the developer’s corporate history and operational experience in Canada and the Northwest Territories.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.5
	iv) Details on how the developer would ensure that its contractors and subcontractors honour commitments made by the developer throughout the EA process.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.5
4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	v) Environmental performance records for the developer and its partners from prior exploration and development work related to the proposed project and any other projects in the Northwest Territories, or elsewhere, including discussion of regulatory compliance.	Volume 1, Sections 1.0 and 3.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.3, 1.4, 3.9
	vi) A description of any corporate policies, codes of practice, programs or plans concerning the developer’s environmental, sustainable development, community engagement policies. Copies should be provided as appendices to the EA Initiation Package.	Volume 1, Sections 1.0 and 3.0	Volume 1, Sections 1.5, 1.6.2, 3.9.1, Appendix B
4.1 Project Description 4.1.1 Project Overview	6. Traditional Knowledge a) Provide a summary of the Traditional Knowledge resources identified, developed, or obtained during project planning. Include references to your engagement record, where relevant.	Volume 1, Section 1.0	Volume 1, Section 1.6
	b) Describe how Traditional Knowledge was considered and incorporated into project planning.	Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans	Volume 2 – • Engagement and Collaboration Plan Framework, Section 8.0
	c) Describe the steps taken to ensure that Traditional Knowledge was, and will continue to be, accessed and used in culturally appropriate ways that respect local protocols. Also describe how intellectual property would be protected as part of the proposed project’s development, assessment, and undertaking.	Volume 5, Section 4.0	Volume 5, Section 4.1.1, 4.1.4, and 4.1.5

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.2 Project Components, alternatives and plans	<p>Project components</p> <p>Developers are required to provide a description of all activities (such as transportation) and physical characteristics (such as buildings and infrastructure) required to carry out the proposed project, as well as the alternatives considered during project development. In the context of a project description, these activities and characteristics are considered components of the overall undertaking. Project component information should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a description of each component • the methods the developer proposes to operate and/or manage each component • any operational contingencies <p>Standard project components</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Equipment b) Transportation c) Buildings and infrastructure d) Water and water management infrastructure e) Fuel and hazardous materials f) Power g) Waste h) Closure and reclamation activities 	Volume 1, Sections 3.0 and 5.0	<p>Volume 1, Sections 3.1 to 3.9, and 5.1 to 5.3</p> <p>Standard project components:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Section 3.6 b) Section 3.5 c) Section 3.4.6 d) Section 3.8 e) Sections 3.4.3, 3.4.7, 3.4.8 f) Section 3.7 g) Section 3.4 h) Sections 5.1 to 5.3

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.2 Project Components, alternatives and plans	<p>Project-specific components</p> <p>a) Natural resource development</p> <p>i) the nature of the resource being proposed for extraction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detailed description of the resource features: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ physical nature of resource (such as characteristics of ore body or well) ○ geology and mineralogy of area ○ host rock characteristics ○ results of rock geochemical tests and methodologies • well type (such as production, injection, disposal) and classification (such as exploratory wildcat, exploratory outpost, and development) <p>ii) type of exploration (such as drilling, bulk sampling, and trenching) activities would occur as part of the project and the exploration program plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • timeline • geophysical, geological, and environmental conditions, surveys, and sampling • drill plans (such as locations, depths, volumes, additives, and methodologies) • mobilization and personnel requirements • monitoring and management plans <p>iii) resource development activities would occur as part of the project and the proposed resource development plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • type of development (such as open-pit, underground, and oil drilling), methods, and the life of the development • extraction and milling methods and rates of production • storage and transportation of product (such as trucked, aircraft, and pipeline) and methods • equipment, infrastructure, and personnel requirements • stockpiles, volumes, and management methods (such as overburden, ore, waste rock) • site plan (such as rigs, pits, quarries, mills, portals, ramps, associated infrastructure) <p>iv) What are the plans to monitor and manage all exploration and extraction activities? How were they designed? How do they follow or improve on standard best practices or guidelines in the Canadian north? the proposed resource development plan?</p>	<p>Volume 1, Sections 1.0, 2.0, and 3.0</p> <p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p> <p>Volume 3, Section 3.0</p>	<p>1.1.5, 1.4, 2.1 to 2.3, 3.1 to 3.9</p> <p>Volume 2 –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spill Contingency Plan Framework • Erosion and Sediment Plan Framework • Water Management Plan Framework • Mine Waste Management Plan Framework • Tailings and Waste Rock Management Plan Framework • Closure and Reclamation Plan Framework • Wildlife Protection Plan Framework • Aquatic Effects Monitoring Program Framework <p>Volume 3, Sections 3.1.1, 3.3.1, 3.3.7, Appendix A</p>

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4.1 Project Description	Details on project components (such as dimensions, footprints, and relative locations on a site map) should be presented with accompanying figures, maps, and photos as appropriate.	Volume 1, Section 3.0	All Figures (Figures 1-1 to 3-8)
4.1.2 Project Components, alternatives and plans	<p>Consideration of alternatives For each project component, briefly describe any technically and economically feasible alternative means of carrying out the development. Alternatives may include alternative technologies, designs, management plans, timing, location, methods, and more. The developer will describe:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • reasons for selecting preferred methods, designs, layout, management strategies, technologies, and other project characteristics; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ where applicable, provide a preliminary cost/benefit analysis to further describe the rationale for the selection of the preferred alternative • differences in the impacts on the environment (human and biophysical) that could result from the options considered, including impacts from vulnerabilities related to climate change; • feedback during all engagement processes and how feedback was considered in selecting the preferred approach; and • if and how the viability of options could be improved in the future through, for example, input from public and parties, technological innovation, research findings 	<p>Volume 1, Section 3.0</p> <p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p> <p>Volume 5, Section 4.0</p>	<p>Volume 1, Sections 3.2.1, 3.3.2, 3.4.6, 3.5.3, 3.8.2, and 3.8.3</p> <p>Volume 2 – Engagement and Collaboration Plan Framework, Section 5.0</p> <p>Volume 5, Section 4.1.4</p>

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.2 Project Components, alternatives and plans	Monitoring and Management Programs and Plans Waste Management Plan Spill Management Plan Tailings and Waste Rocks Management Plan Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan Aquatic Effects Management Design Plan Closure and Reclamation Plan Water Management Plan Sediment and Erosion Plan	Volume 1, Sections 3.0 and 5.0 Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans	Volume 1, Sections 3.9.1 to 3.9.10, and 5.0 Volume 2 – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spill Contingency Plan Framework • Erosion and Sediment Plan Framework • Water Management Plan Framework • Mine Waste Management Plan Framework • Tailings and Waste Rock Management Plan Framework • Closure and Reclamation Plan Framework • Wildlife Protection Plan Framework • Aquatic Effects Monitoring Program Framework

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4.1 Project Description 4.1.3 Plain Language Summary and map	<p>Developers are required to provide a plain language summary (the summary) of the project description. The summary should provide an effective snapshot of the proposed development and introduce details on the proposed project and the developer that will be further expanded in more detailed sections of the project description. Information in the summary should include, at minimum, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • type of project • timeline • location and proximity to communities, planning and/or conservation areas • main project components, including activities and physical infrastructure • project history and related projects • history of the developer 	Volume 1	Plain Language Summary
4.1 Project Description 4.1.3 Plain Language Summary and map	<p>Maps should identify, at minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • all areas of proposed development activities (such as transportation corridors, exploration sites and survey areas) • location of any proposed infrastructure (such as temporary and permanent infrastructure, as well as existing and additional infrastructure) • boundaries of the proposed land use permits, surface leases, or subsurface mineral tenure and, if applicable, identification of any other permit boundary areas • local and regional governance boundaries • common or traditional place names • proximity to conservation areas, national and territorial parks, and areas of known cultural • importance, traditional use, and recreational or other public use 	<p>Volume 1</p> <p>Volume 3</p> <p>Volume 5</p>	<p>Volume 1 – All Figures (Figures 1-1 to 3-8)</p> <p>Volume 3 – Figures 1-1 and 1-2</p> <p>Volume 5 – Figures 1-1 and 1-2</p>

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4.2 Description of the Existing Environment 4.2.1 Components of the biophysical environment	The list of biophysical environmental features below includes common components that should be described, at minimum, for natural resource development projects: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • geological setting and resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ description and physical nature of resource <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ characteristics of ore body ▪ structural geology including identification of faults or fractures ○ geochemistry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ore and waste rock properties ▪ geochemistry and characterization of contamination potential (such as potential acid rock drainage, metal leaching) 	Volume 1, Section 2.0 Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 1, Sections 2.1, 2.2, and 2.3 Volume 3, Sections 3.1.1, 3.3.1, and Appendix A
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • surficial geology and soils <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ characterization of soil composition and soil stability ○ presence and characterization of permafrost 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.1, 3.1.4, 3.2, 3.3.7, and Appendix A
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • climate and meteorology (project area) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ temperature, precipitation, wind, humidity ○ air quality 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.2, 3.3.2, and Appendix B
4.2 Description of the Existing Environment 4.2.1 Components of the biophysical environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • groundwater <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ hydrogeology ○ characterization of project area ○ ground water level ○ flow regime, direction, infiltration ○ influences of geologic structures ○ water type and quality 	Volume 1, Section 2.0 Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 1, Section 2.3 Volume 3, Sections 3.1.3 and 3.3.3
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • surface water <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ location and characteristics of water bodies (such as rivers, wetlands, lakes) ○ description and uses of key waterbodies (such as aquatic life, drinking water, cultural uses) ○ watersheds and water drainage patterns ○ surface water balance ○ water quality 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.3, 3.3.4, 3.3.5, 3.4.2, and Appendix C

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • biological environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ecosystems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ terrestrial ▪ wetlands ▪ aquatic ○ vegetation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ species, abundance, distribution ▪ endangered, rare, threatened species ○ fish and wildlife <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ species, population, distribution, seasonal variations, migration patterns, habitat ▪ endangered, threatened, rare, or game species ▪ ecosystem characteristics, species interdependence ○ protected areas, wildlife corridors, buffer zones 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.4, 3.3.6, and 3.3.9
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ vegetation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ species, abundance, distribution ▪ endangered, rare, threatened species 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.4 and 3.3.8
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ fish and wildlife <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ species, population, distribution, seasonal variations, migration patterns, habitat ▪ endangered, threatened, rare, or game species ▪ ecosystem characteristics, species interdependence 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.3, 3.1.4, and 3.3.6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ protected areas, wildlife corridors, buffer zones 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.4, 3.3.8.1, 3.3.8.2, and 3.3.9

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4.2 Description of the Existing Environment 4.2.2 Components of the human environment	<p>Developers are required to describe the human environment in the area where the project would be located, as well as in other areas where project-related effects could occur (such as communities along transportation routes, where hiring would occur, or that use the project area for cultural or other uses). The developer should identify environmental conditions at both a local and regional context. Where applicable, the information provided should include both current and historical baseline data and trends.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • general <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ population demographics (including in- and out-migration) ○ status of social, recreational, and physical infrastructure (including transportation) ○ housing statistics ○ cost of living and income levels 	<p>Volume 3, Section 3.0</p> <p>Volume 1, Section 1.0</p> <p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p>	<p>Volume 3, Sections 3.1.7 and 3.4.3</p> <p>Volume 1, Section 1.6.2</p> <p>Volume 2 – Engagement and Collaboration Plan Framework, Section 6.0</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • economic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ employment statistics ○ labour force characteristics ○ levels of training and education (status and opportunities) ○ level of existing industrial development ○ levels and types of business activity ○ characteristics of the traditional economy (including components, participation rates) ○ stated community priorities and concerns (such as feedback from engagement, community development plan, and community resilience plans) ○ economic or social development plans 	<p>Volume 3, Section 3.0</p> <p>Volume 1, Section 1.0</p> <p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p>	<p>Volume 3, Sections 3.1.7, and 3.4.3</p> <p>Volume 1, Section 1.6.2</p> <p>Volume 2 – Engagement and Collaboration Plan Framework, Section 6.0</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • health and wellbeing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ general community wellness (from resources such as community wellness reports and studies, community feedback on wellbeing, and results of early engagement) ○ health rates ○ crime rates ○ addiction rates 	<p>Volume 3, Section 3.0</p>	<p>Volume 3, Sections 3.1.7 and 3.4.3</p>

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4.2 Description of the Existing Environment 4.2.1 Components of the biophysical environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • culture, way of life, and historic and current land use <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ places of cultural and spiritual value ○ harvesting activities and their importance to the community ○ harvest species, levels, and importance of the traditional economy ○ traditional land or water use (including past, present, and intended future types of uses) ○ heritage resources and sites in the project area (such as archaeological, historical, or burial sites, spiritual places, trails, special landscape features) described in an archaeological assessment report or traditional land use study ○ recreational land or water use (including user groups, types of uses) ○ other land or water use (such as tourism, resource extraction, infrastructure corridors) ○ community and regional land use plans 	Volume 3, Section 3.0	Volume 3, Sections 3.1.5, 3.1.6, 3.1.8, 3.4.1, 3.4.2, 3.4.4
4.3 Identification of Potential Impacts and Proposed Mitigation Measures			
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4.3 Identification of Potential Impacts and Proposed Mitigation Measures 4.3.1 Preliminary description of potential impacts and mitigations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) List and briefly describe any mitigation measures that would be used to prevent or minimize the identified impacts. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Where applicable, developers should: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • clearly indicate how the mitigation measures were developed (for example, through community engagement, best practices, regulatory standards), and how they would reliably and sufficiently mitigate the identified impacts (with references to case studies, proof of concept, relevant examples as applicable); and • refer to management and monitoring plans provided as appendices to the EA Initiation Package. 	<p>Volume 1, Section 1.0 and 3.0</p> <p>Volume 4, Section 2.0</p> <p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p> <p>Volume 5, Section 4.0</p>	<p>Volume 1, Sections 1.6.2 and 3.10</p> <p>Volume 4, Sections 2.1 and 2.2, Tables 1 to 19</p> <p>Volume 2 –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spill Contingency Plan Framework • Erosion and Sediment Plan Framework • Water Management Plan Framework • Mine Waste Management Plan Framework • Tailings and Waste Rock Management Plan Framework • Closure and Reclamation Plan Framework • Wildlife Protection Plan Framework • Aquatic Effects Monitoring Program Framework <p>Volume 5, Sections 4.1.7 and Appendix A</p>

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4.3 Identification of Potential Impacts and Proposed Mitigation Measures 4.3.1 Preliminary description of potential impacts and mitigations	<p>c) List and briefly describe any cumulative impacts that could result from the proposed project. The discussion of cumulative impacts should consider the cumulative impacts from past, current, and reasonably foreseeable future developments and activities, as well as natural environmental vulnerabilities and events (such as climate change, forest fires, and flooding), that could interact with project impacts.</p> <p>i) Potential cumulative impacts should be discussed for each project impact identified that could add to the effects of other developments and activities, as well as any adverse impacts of natural events or indirect impacts that the project's impacts could add to.</p> <p>ii) For project impacts not expected to interact with potential cumulative impacts provide a rationale why and describe how changing conditions or activities could affect the determination.</p>	<p>Volume 4, Sections 2.0 and 3.0</p> <p>Volume 5, Section 4.0</p>	<p>Volume 4, Sections 2.2 and 3.0</p> <p>Volume 5, Section 4.1.3.3</p>

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4.4 Public Engagement and Traditional Knowledge			
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4.4 Public Engagement and Traditional Knowledge 4.4.1 Engagement record and engagement plan	<p>Engagement plan The developer will provide a comprehensive engagement plan. Engagement plans will include details on the proponent's overall engagement strategies, objectives, and the prospective engagement schedules throughout the EA, and (at least conceptually) the life of the project. This information will further describe:</p> <p>a) specific engagement activities that will be undertaken; b) methods for effective engagement; c) the rationale for selecting the chosen activities and methods; and d) contingencies should the prospective schedules or methods not be sufficient.</p>	<p>Volume 2 – Management and Monitoring Plans</p>	<p>Volume 2 –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engagement and Collaboration Plan Framework

Environmental Assessment Initiation Package Information Request			
Guideline Section	Description	Applicable Sections in EA Initiation Package	Applicable Sub-Section in EA Initiation Package
5. Developer's Assessment Proposal			
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	b) a description of the proposed key issues (project interactions) and questions prioritized in terms Key Lines of Inquiry or Subjects of Note; and	Volume 5, Section 3.0	Volume 5, Section 3.1 and 3.2
	c) a description of the proposed assessment methods for all valued components and the investigation of key issues, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • general assessment approach and methodology for each valued component, including assessment techniques, study boundaries (temporal and spatial), etc. • information sources to be used including anticipated primary data collection (such as baseline and site-specific studies) • timelines, assumptions, information gaps, uncertainties, and approach to addressing information gaps and uncertainties (such as additional studies required and study details) 	Volume 5, Section 4.0	Volume 5, Sections 4.1, 4.2, and 4.3, Tables 4-5 to 4-19
5. Developer's Assessment Proposal 5.2 Developer's Assessment Proposal – plain language summary	At minimum, the summary should describe: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the proposed valued components to be carried forward in the EA • the proposed key issues and questions (related to project interactions) prioritized in terms of Key Lines of Inquiry or Subjects of Note • the rationale for the selection of the proposed valued components and key issues 	Volume 5	Volume 5, Plain Language Summary

Note:

Volume 1 = Project Description; Volume 2 = Management and Monitoring Plans; Volume 3 = Description of Existing Environment; Volume 4 = Identification of Potential Project-Interactions and Proposed Mitigation Measures, Volume 5 = Developers Assessment Proposal
EA = Environmental Assessment