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Dear Mr. Edjericon:

Re: Environmental Assessment of the Giant Mine Remediation Plan (EA0809-001)

- Proposed Date for Submission of Developer's Assessment Report

Please be advised that Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) anticipates that it will submit its Developer's Assessment Report for the Environmental Assessment of the Giant Mine Remediation Plan to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board in April, 2010.

Sincerely,

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