

March 15th, 2012

To Parties of the Giant Mine Remediation Project Environmental Assessment:

Re: Further extension to deadline for technical reports

On Feb. 3, 2012, the deadline for technical reports was extended to March 16th, 2012, based on delayed developer responses to the second round of information requests and an estimated hearing date of mid-April.

As the attached correspondence states, the developer has recently advised the Review Board that it will not be prepared for the public hearing until mid-May 2012. Accordingly, **the deadline for parties' technical reports has now been extended to Monday, April 16th, 2012.**

Please make sure your technical reports clearly provide your views regarding *which parts of the project* will affect *which valued components*, and *how*. Please provide supporting references where possible. Parties must include a one-page plain language summary of their report.

The Review Board's Feb. 3, 2012 letter to parties provides more instructions on how to prepare technical reports. Further instructions can be viewed on our website at:

http://reviewboard.ca/upload/project_document/EA0809-002_Technical_Report_Preparation_1304628633.PDF

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or for further information.

(Original signed by)

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Subject: Giant Mine Public Hearing

Hi Alan,

The Giant Mine Remediation Project Team will not be prepared to proceed to a public hearing until mid-May, 2012.

Please post this email to the registry.

Thanks,
Adrian Paradis
A/Manager
Giant Mine Remediation Project