



February 7, 2010

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Dear Mr. Hubert

**RE: Environmental Assessment EA0809-002, Prairie Creek Mine  
Submission of Developer's Assessment Report**

We refer to your letter dated January 29, 2010 on the above noted subject. Canadian Zinc Corporation ("CZN") is presently compiling reports from various consultants, and integrating results into our Developer's Assessment Report ("DAR"). We hope to be able to submit the DAR to you in early March.

We will update you as we progress towards completion.

Yours truly,  
CANADIAN ZINC CORPORATION

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