

Our File: EA1314-01

April 14, 2015

## Note to File

To: Parties

**Re: EA1314-01 – Jay Project, information requests and scope of development and scope of assessment considerations**

The Review Board received responses to information requests from Dominion Diamond Ekati Corporation (Dominion), Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) and other parties on April 7, 2015. In their responses, both Dominion and GNWT identified some of the information requests they had received as being outside of the scope of assessment for the Jay Project.

Technical sessions for the Jay Project take place April 20-24. The Review Board does not intend to allocate time to discussing whether specific information requests are inside or outside of the scope of assessment during the technical sessions because the available time is limited and there are many additional matters that need to be discussed.

The Review Board requests that parties submit to the Board a list of the information requests that have been identified by either GNWT or Dominion as being outside of the scope of development or the scope of assessment. If the questioners still believe these information requests are relevant to the Environmental Assessment for the Jay Project, please provide additional clarification of the information request in question and a rationale for why your organization believes it is within the scope of assessment. Please provide your written submission to the Board by April 17. GNWT and DDEC will be provided the opportunity to reply.

The Review Board intends to rule on any contested information requests after the completion of the technical sessions at its next scheduled Board meeting.

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