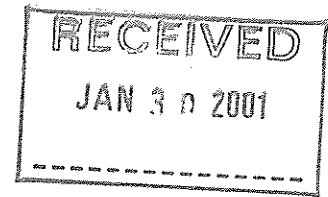




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Dear Mr. Azzolini:

**Re: Environmental Assessment Report  
Mineral Exploration Drilling Program - Prairie Creek Mine  
(Land Use Application MV 2000C0030; MVEIRB File EA00-002)**

Please find enclosed fifteen (15) copies of the Environmental Assessment Report for the Mineral Exploration Drilling Program prepared by Canadian Zinc in response to the Terms of Reference issued by the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board dated December 22, 2000. Individual copies are being forwarded directly to each of the Nahanni Butte Dene Band, Lidlii Kue First Nation, Acho Dene Koe First Nation and Deh Cho First Nations.

An electronic version of this entire document in .pdf format was forwarded by email to your attention earlier this day.

For ease of reference, headings used in the Terms of Reference have been adopted in this EA Report in **bold** print, while details of the information requested are shown in *italics*. Canadian Zinc's response to each of the specific information requests follows in plain type.

I trust that you will find that all of the information requests have been responded to adequately.

Should you have any questions or require any additional information please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Yours very truly,

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