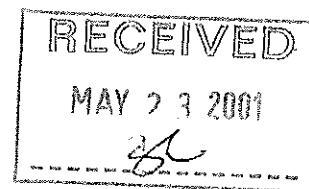




CANADIAN ZINC
CORPORATION

FAX COVER SHEET



Date: 23,05, 2001
To: Tom Lee, CEO, Larry Ostola – Parks Canada
Fax: 1- 819-953-9745
From: Malcolm Swallow
Pages: 1 (including cover sheet)
Subject: Policy of Parks

Dear sirs,

On 24th of April, I wrote to you regarding the actions of your Parks Superintendent, Chuck Blyth in bypassing of the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board Permitting Process, by use of the Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act Section 126 (2)(a) to request a full Environmental Review of our recent permit applications. I enquired whether this action reflects the official policy of Parks Canada and whether it had the full support of your office.

I also asked whether this is to become the Policies of Parks Canada for any development within the watershed of the Nahanni, in the future. I realize that you are busy, but as a Company developing a major resource valued in excess of 2.5 billion dollars in the ground, with an existing mine and mill development on site, we need a formal response from your office in order that we can formulate our development plans, and adjust our timetables accordingly.

I look forward to your response.

Additional details of the Company and the mine can be found on our web site at www.canadianzinc.com.

Yours truly,

Malcolm Swallow,
President and CEO,
Canadian Zinc Corp.

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