



Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

December 23, 2005

The Honourable Andy Scott, PC-MP
Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
10 Wellington Street.
Hull, Quebec
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Dear Minister Scott,

Re: Report of Environmental Assessment and Reasons for Decision on the Canadian Zinc Corporation Phase 3 Drilling Program Prairie Creek Mine Area (EA0405-002)

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board is pleased to submit the attached Report of Environmental Assessment on the Canadian Zinc Corporation Phase 3 Drilling Program.

The Review Board has recommended that this development proceed to the regulatory phase of approvals subject to the implementation of mitigation measures outlined in this Report and the implementation of commitments made by the Developer.

If you have any questions regarding this report please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Gabrielle Mackenzie-Scott
Chair, MVEIRB

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