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VIA EMAIL

Dear Mr. Hubert:

<u>Disclosure statement regarding Bertha Norwegian participation in Canadian Zinc Corporation's Prairie Creek all-season road environmental assessment – GNWT technical report (EA1415-01)</u>

The Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) is a party to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board's environmental assessment (EA) of Canadian Zinc Corporation's proposed Prairie Creek all-season access road. GNWT has participated actively in the stages of the EA process to date, and has reviewed and considered the board's March 29, 2017 disclosure statement regarding Bertha Norwegian.

GNWT does not object to Ms. Norwegian's continued tenure as a board member during this proceeding, and looks forward to the remaining stages of the EA process.

If the board or any of the participants in this EA have questions regarding the GNWT's participation in this EA, please contact Trish McFaull, Manager, Project Assessment Branch, by email at Trish McFaull@gov.nt.ca, by phone at 867-767-9180 (Ext. 24021), or Paul Mercredi, Project Assessment Analyst, by email at Paul Mercredi@gov.nt.ca and by phone at 867-767-9180 (Ext. 24025).

Sincerely,

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