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NIRB File No.: 17EN029 Proponent Response to Comments

As per the recommendations provided by Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC), the Corporate and Social Responsibility Action Plan (CSRAP) has been updated to include the Migratory Birds Convention Act (MBCA) in the list of Acts, Regulations, Guidelines and Recommendations. The Flora and Fauna section of the CSRAP has also been amended and now specifically states that "NCGC will ensure that eggs, nests and migratory birds are not disturbed by any activities." The Spill Contingency Plan has been updated and now states that Curtis Didham is an enforcement officer working for the ECCC.

North Country Gold Corporation (NCGC) acknowledges and appreciates the comment received from Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) regarding community consultations. Community consultations are currently scheduled to be completed at the end of May, prior to the commencement of the program. In the future NCGC will endeavor to perform consultations prior to submitting project proposals.