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Sent via email: mkeefe@sabinagoldsilver.com

Re: Opportunity to Address Comments Received Regarding Sabina Gold & Silver Corporation's Back River Project 2022 Annual Report

Dear Merle Keefe:

On March 31, 2023, the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received Sabina Gold & Silver Corporation's (Sabina) *Back River Project 2022 Annual Report (2022 Annual Report)* as required by amended Project Certificate No.007. On April 24, 2023, the NIRB requested that interested parties review the *2022 Annual Report* and provide comments with respect to their jurisdiction and/or area of expertise on whether the conclusions reached by Sabina in the *2022 Annual Report* were valid as well as comment on the Proponent's compliance status with regard to authorizations that have been issued for the Project Certificate.

The NIRB received comments from the following interested parties:

Commenting Party	Document ID
Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA)	345499
Government of Nunavut (GN)	345484
Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC)	345479
Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)	345464
Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC)	345478

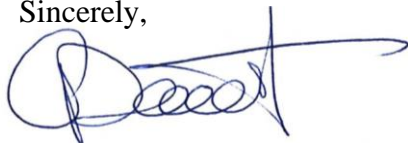
All comment submissions received by the NIRB related to the *2022 Annual Report* can be accessed from the NIRB's online public registry at www.nirb.ca/project/124149 or by searching for the above Document IDs.

The Board would like to provide Sabina with an opportunity to address all parties' comments prior to the completion of the *NIRB 2022-2023 Annual Monitoring Report for the Back River Project* and requests that a response be provided directly to the NIRB by **July 14, 2023**. If Sabina determines that additional time is required to supply a written response, the Board requests written notification as soon as possible with an anticipated date for submission.

Please send any forthcoming submissions directly to the NIRB at info@nirb.ca, or through the NIRB's online Public Registry at www.nirb.ca.

Should you have any questions or require clarification regarding the ongoing monitoring of the Back River Project, please contact Guillaume Daoust, Technical Advisor II directly at (867) 983-4609 or gdaoust@nirb.ca or Kelli Gillard, Manager, Project Monitoring directly at (867) 983-4619 or kgillard@nirb.ca

Sincerely,



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cc: Back River Distribution List
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