



Mineral Resources Branch
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October 16, 2017

LQ00220d
By email

Metallic Minerals Corp.
Box 31215
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Dear Mrs. Craig,

Re: Application for Amendment under the *Quartz Mining Act* for the Keno-Lightening Property (YOR# 2012-0043)

I am writing today to notify Metallic Minerals Corp. of a determination made under subsection 49.1(1) of the *Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act* regarding a request for an amendment of a mining land use approval for the above noted project.

The mining land use approval LQ00220 is set to expire on September 18, 2022. The operator has requested an amendment to the operating plan, which includes the addition of 38 claims to their approval, the approval currently includes 328 claims.

Based on my review, I have determined that the proposed amendment constitutes a significant change to the project; therefore, a new assessment will be required.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 667-3126 or robert.holmes@gov.yk.ca if you have any questions or would like to discuss this process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "R. Holmes".

Robert Holmes, Director
Mineral Resources Branch

cc. Lindsay DeHart, Director, Development Assessment Branch, Executive Council Office
Dana Eisinger, Senior Consultation Advisor, Aboriginal Relations, Executive Council Office
Jay Chou, Mineral Consultation Advisor, Mineral Resources, Energy Mines and Resources
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