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April 20, 2023

Q2023_0035
By Email

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Dear Heather Kidd:

Re: Class 1 Notification Q2023_0035 - Logan - Allowed with additional terms and conditions.

This letter is to inform you that your Class 1 Notification Q2023_0035 is valid as of April 20, 2023.

Your Class 1 Notification and proposed work program (May 15, 2023 - November 15, 2023) is allowed to proceed with the following terms and conditions:

1. The map provided identifies areas with elevated potential for heritage resources. The operator shall not conduct land-altering activities within these areas unless prior approval has been granted by the Heritage Resources Unit. The operator may contact heritage.review@yukon.ca for more information on the areas of heritage potential or to discuss potential mitigation options.
2. The operator shall cease work when any goats are observed on active claim blocks

- until the goats move off on their own accord.
3. You are reminded of Schedule 1 Operating Condition #17 which states: "A spill contingency plan for petroleum products and other hazardous substances must be prepared and posted in the camp and at all fuel handling locations used in carrying out the operation."
 4. The operator shall cease work when any caribou are observed on active claim blocks until the caribou move off on their own accord.
 5. To reduce effects to caribou, the operator shall follow applicable Flying in Caribou Country guidelines, when safe to do so, including: a. At all times of year, maintain over-flight altitudes at least 300 m (1,000 ft.) above ground level. b. During sensitive times of the year (rutting), maintain over-flight altitudes at least 600 m (2,000 ft.) above ground level.
 6. The proponent shall communicate plans and timing of activities to First Nations and other land and resource users that may be affected by the proposed project. (e.g. First Nations, trappers).
 7. The operator shall cease activities in caribou fall breeding wildlife key areas, as identified on GeoYukon, between September 15th and October 15th.

Security may be required at any time by the Chief. The operator must furnish security within thirty (30) days of receiving the written notice from the Chief of the requirement to post security.

To help improve the environmental performance of your program, you are encouraged to refer to the attached operational guidelines. In addition, you are encouraged to contact affected First Nations to further discuss your program.

Class 1 work cannot occur on claims/leases that have lapsed or pending claims/leases until they are granted by a Mining Recorder. Please ensure the claims/leases within your Class 1 Notification are in good standing prior to beginning your work program. Any work occurring on pending or lapsed claims/leases will be in contravention of the *Quartz Mining Act* and *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act* and representation work conducted will not be accepted by the Mining Recorder.

Please note: the notification will expire on April 19, 2024 and all reclamation must be completed at the end of the program or prior to the expiry of this notification, whichever comes first. All proposed activities must abide by Schedule 1 (Operating Conditions) of the *Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation*. In the event that claims/leases lapse, a Class 3 or 4 authorization is issued, or that agreements to operate on claims/leases are dissolved, the Class 1 notification becomes null and void for that portion of the program, where there is no right to the minerals.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact the district office by phone at 867-536-7366, fax at 867-536-7842, or email at watson.mining@yukon.ca.

Sincerely,
Kelly Constable

Kelly Crowder

Chief of Mining Land Use

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