

Version 3 Hammond Reef Gold Project EIS/EA – Addendum (Part B)
Responses to Provincial Information Requests

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Identifier	Topic	Reference to EIS/EA Report	Summary of Comment	Proponent's Response	Subsequent Comment
			<i>Date: September 2015</i>	<i>Date:</i>	
EAB9-NEW	Consultation with Waterpower Operators		<p>Two waterpower operators on the Seine River have submitted comments/concerns regarding the potential negative effects on their operations from water level reductions associated with water taking for the project. Canadian Malartic Corporation has provided responses to those comments/concerns.</p> <p>Has there been any consultation activities carried out between the Canadian Malartic Corporation and these two waterpower operators to resolve these issues? If so, please provide a summary of the consultation carried out and the results of that consultation.</p>	<p>A meeting was held between CMC, Brookfield and H2O Power on November 24, 2015. During this meeting, expected water taking volumes, low flow and water level contingency measures (see technical memorandum provided as response to EAB10-NEW) and compensation for potential economic losses were discussed. An agreement has been reached in principle and negotiations and the development of formal agreements with the waterpower operators are in progress. The agreements will consist of a water management and operating framework technical agreement between CMC and both power operators and separate compensation agreements with each individual power operator.</p>	N/A