## 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
			Date: March 2014	Date: June 2015	
MNR-5	Tailings		All of the pipeline components should be shown on a map with contours and where the pipeline, berms, and containment areas are expected to be along this corridor.  Need a better description of the plans for the tailings pipeline. Please provide a topographic map (with contours) of where the drainage points and containment berms are expected to be.	The pipeline from the processing facility to the TMF will follow the mine site access road to the extent possible. The pipeline will be placed within a trench for containment and conveyance of potential spillage to containment areas. The trench will be constructed in excavation or as engineered fill according to the topography and the vertical and horizontal alignment of the access road. Containment areas will be located in low-lying areas and will be sized to ensure sufficient containment in the event of a pipe rupture or spill. The conceptual containment volume has been estimated as the 2 hr pumping volume + the volume of the pipe flowing to the containment area. A map showing the site topography and the currently planned pipeline alignment and containment areas is found in the attached memorandum which is also provided in Part D of the Addendum to the Version 3 EIS/EA. Attachment 6 of the Final EIS/EA Report Addendum.  Attachment:  Site Access Road and Tailings Pipeline Alignment Technical Memorandum	