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 Previous Comment	Proponent's Response to Previous Comment	Follow-up comment/ Request for Information	New Proponent Response	Subsequent Comment
			Date: March 2014 <u>MOE SW-4</u>	Date: June 2015	Date: August 2015		
MOE SW-4B	Water Quality/ Seepage		Additional details and clarification must be provided regarding the potential impacts to Lizard Lake due to seepage losses from the Tailings Management Facility and the associated water management facility (i.e.: perimeter ditches).	On April 28, 2014 Canadian Malartic Corporation hosted a water quality workshop with the Government Review Team. We also initiated communications with the Regional Groundwater Group Leader for MOE's Northern Region who stated on May 15, 2014 that upon further clarification he is "satisfied at this time with the estimates of seepage to Lizard Lake." Please also see response to MOE GW-1, which identifies additional modelling completed and confirms Canadian Malartic's commitment to adjust the detailed design, and monitoring based on additional data collected at the detailed design phase, and ongoing discussions with the regulators during the permitting phase. Further details of this modelling evaluation are provided in the memorandum entitled 'Tailings Management Facility, 3D Groundwater Modelling' provided in Part D of the Addendum to the Version 3 EIS/EA Report.	Response is adequate for EA. Additional information and studies may be required at permitting and approvals. GW comments align with SW concerns; see GW response to comment MOE GW-1	Acknowledged	N/A