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 Waste 1B</u>	Date: June 2015	Date: August 2015		
MOE Waste 1B	Solid waste – Tailing Management Facility	EIS/EA §5.1.3	In section 5.1.3 of the EA report, the proponent states that demolition wastes from on-site facilities would be "disposed of in a solid waste landfill to be licensed within the TMF (Tailings Management Facility)." It is unknown how much demolition waste will be generated as part of this project. No alternatives were presented for the disposal of these materials.	Thank you for your comment. Canadian Malartic understands that an on-site landfill would be subject to the requirements of Regulation 232/98 depending on the site capacity. Should an on-site landfill be required as part of the Closure Phase, appropriate regulations will be followed and environmental monitoring plans will be put in place as required.	It should be noted that approvals for new landfills greater than 40,000 cubic metres in capacity are subject to approval under the Environmental Assessment Act as well as the Environmental Protection Act with landfills greater than 40,000 cubic metres requiring to undergo the Environmental Screening Process and landfills greater than 100,000 cubic metres requiring an Individual Environmental Assessment. Any new landfill to be proposed within the TMF may be subject to the requirements of Regulation 232/98 depending on the site capacity. Any landfill site proposed will require, as a minimum, long term environmental monitoring and care as well as adequate Financial Assurance.	Acknowledged	N/A