HAMMOND REEF GOLD PROJECT RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON FINAL EIS/EA

COMMENT – T-53

Source: Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency

Summary of Comment

With respect to the loss of habitat for Canada Warbler, it is recommended to remove the comparison to Bald Eagle which is not directly comparable.

Proposed Action

Reference the number of Canada Warblers estimated to be displaced by the habitat loss from mine site construction (i.e., as reported in the Proponent's response to IR EC-49) instead of the comparison to Bald Eagle.

Reference to EIS

EIS Section 6.2.1.4 Page 6-127, para. 4

Response

Thank you for this comment. There will be no further changes to the Final EIS/EA Report, since the estimated number of Canada Warblers displaced by the Project is provided in the IR EC-49 which is part of the Final EIS/EA Report. The number of Canada Warblers estimated to be displaced by the habitat loss from mine site development is 41.

