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

COMMENT –T-56

Source: Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency

Summary of Comment

Section 6.3.2.5 states that the removal of land base within traplines in the Aboriginal Interests Local Study Area will be mitigated through agreements with the trapline holders. It is not clear whether these impacts to Aboriginal rights can be mitigated as agreements have not been put in place.

Proposed Action

Provide more information on the effects of the removal of traplines to Aboriginal interests and feasibility of securing agreements as mitigation measures.

Reference to EIS

Section 6.3.2.5

Response

Agreements are in place with First Nations communities and individual trapline holders. The nature of the individual agreements are private, however the details regarding consultation and the use of committees under the Resource Sharing Agreement are detailed in Chapter 7 Consultation of the Final EIS/EA Report. The Resource Sharing Agreement was signed between Canadian Malartic Corporation and 8 First Nations communities in December 2012.