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Sent via email: <email address removed>

SUBJECT: Lynn Lake Gold Project – Completion of the Technical Review and Commencement of the Environmental Assessment Report Phase

Dear Colin Webster:

The Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (the Agency), with input from federal authorities, Indigenous nations, and the public, conducted a technical review of the responses to the Round 4 Information Requests (IRs) submitted by Alamos Gold Inc. on September 15, 2022 for the Lynn Lake Gold Project (the Project).

Upon review of the information, the Agency determined that Alamos Gold Inc. has submitted the information and studies necessary to determine whether the Project is likely to cause significant adverse environmental effects and to inform the Agency's preparation of the Environmental Assessment (EA) Report under the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act, 2012* (CEAA 2012).

All submissions from federal authorities, Indigenous nations, and the public with respect to the technical review of Alamos Gold Inc.'s Round 4 IR responses will be made publicly available on the Project's Canadian Impact Assessment Registry (the Registry) page (Reference #80140). Alamos Gold Inc. is encouraged to review all of the comments submitted. An update will also be posted to the Registry regarding the completion of the technical review.

Next Steps

As the required information and studies were submitted prior to the expiry of the three year time limit, as per subsection 181(2) of the *Impact Assessment Act*, or prior to any extension of that time limit granted by the Agency, the environmental assessment for the Project will continue under the CEAA 2012 process as if that Act had not been repealed. The Agency will now prepare a draft EA Report reflecting the information provided by Alamos Gold



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Inc., the perspectives of federal authorities, the public, and Indigenous nations, and the Agency's conclusions on whether the Project is likely to cause significant adverse effects within areas of federal jurisdiction. The draft EA Report, along with draft potential conditions, will be made publicly available on the Registry for a public comment period.

If you have any questions, please contact me at <contact information removed>

Sincerely,

<original signed by>

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