

File No. 5583.00

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Dear Jay Cooper:

**Re: Hudbay Minerals Inc. – Environment Act Licence No. 3096 – Notice of Alteration**

Thank you for the notice of alteration submitted by AECOM Canada Ltd. on behalf of Hudbay Minerals Inc. dated November 10, 2021, in accordance with section 14 of The Environment Act, for an alteration to Environment Act Licence No. 3096 issued for the operation of the Lalor Mine.

The alteration request to the development as licensed is for the construction and operation of the Lalor Dry Facility expansion. Specifically, the project components include the expansion to the existing dry facility; the installation of two 10,000 gallon holding tanks; two 300 gallon holding tanks; decommissioning of the existing polishing pond; and upgrades to the existing fire protection system.

The potential environmental effect of the requested changes to the development as licensed is insignificant and considered to be a minor alteration in accordance with section 14(2) of The Environment Act. Approval is hereby granted for the construction and operation of the Lalor Dry Facility expansion project, including all proposed mitigation measures, as described in your November 10, 2021 submission. The approval is conditional upon the acceptance of a revised Environment Act Licence to be provided at a later date and subject to the following condition:

1. The Licensee shall comply with the provisions of the Onsite Wastewater Management Systems Regulation or any future amendment thereto.

As stated in the notice of alteration submission, an update to the mine closure plan should be submitted to the Mining, Oil and Gas Branch.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Winsor, P.Eng., Senior Environmental Engineer, Environmental Approval Branch, at [Jennifer.Winsor@gov.mb.ca](mailto:Jennifer.Winsor@gov.mb.ca) or 204-945-7012.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by

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