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Steven Fraser
Senior Enforcement Officer
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RE: Kemess - daily vs yearly outputs

Dear Steven Fraser,

As per the discussion last week I have updated Section 5 of the November 8th, 2019 amendment submission to reflect our updated yearly output estimates.

KEMESS UNDERGROUND PROJECT
Application for an Amendment to the Decision Statement

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

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In consideration of the above information and assessment, AuRico Metals requests the following amendments to the Decision Statement as follows:

1. Description of the Designated Project

- REPLACE:

The Designated Project would have an ore production capacity of approximately 24,650 tonnes per day (105,000 ounces of gold and 44 million pounds of copper per year) using underground block caving methods, over a predicted 13 year mine life.

- WITH:

The Designated Project would have an ore production capacity of approximately 37,500 tonnes per day (149,000 ounces of gold and 63 million pounds of copper per year) using underground block caving methods, over an estimated 11 year mine life.

2. Condition 3.6

- REPLACE:

The Proponent shall divert all runoff from the East Pit quarry into the tailings storage facility.

- WITH:

The Proponent shall divert all runoff from the East Pit quarry into the Kemess Underground tailings storage facility



Please let me know if require any further documentation.

Regards,

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