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YOUR REFERENCE

AIL 2024/0003 & AIL 2024/0004

DATE

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Re: Requests for a Public Local Inquiry under Regulation 17 of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licensing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 for application AIL 2024 0003 & AIL 2024 0004 – NIEA, to abstract and impound water on behalf of Dalradian Gold Ltd.

Dear [REDACTED]

The Commission has previously outlined that once we are in receipt of a valid direction from DAERA and the relevant papers in relation to the new abstraction and impoundment license applications, the appointed Commissioner will review them and the Commission will then move to set directions and new dates for the opening of the re-scheduled hearing sessions for all elements of the conjoined inquiry.

We have now asked on three previous occasions for an approximate timeframe of the processing times for the new applications and referral thereafter and we would appreciate if you could now provide the same to assist in forward planning.

In line with the Commission's policy of openness and transparency, this correspondence will be uploaded to the Commission's website.

Yours sincerely,

[REDACTED]
Chief Administrative Officer
On behalf of the Planning and Water Appeals Commissions