

Our reference: AIL 2024/0003 and AIL 2024/0004

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Dear [REDACTED]

**Application AIL 2024/0003 and AIL 2024/0004 at the proposed Curraghinalt Mine, adjacent to 80 Mullydoo Road, Greencastle, County Tyrone, BT797QP
Notice to the Water Undertaker**

Under Regulation 9A of the Abstraction and Impoundment Licensing Regulations (NI)2006

Under Regulation 9A of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licensing) (Amendment) Regulations (NI) 2007, the Department is required, within 14 days of receipt of an application under regulation 8, to serve notice of that application on every water undertaker.

Dalradian Gold Ltd applied for authorisation for two abstraction and impoundment (listed below) at the proposed Curraghinalt Mine, adjacent to 80 Mullydoo Road, Greencastle, County Tyrone, BT79 7QP (E258418, N383902) Applications were submitted to NIEA on the Wednesday 24th April 2024 and deemed complete on the Monday 29th April 2024.

The applications can be viewed at the following link:

[Applications for Abstraction and Impoundment Advertisement Requirement | Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs \(daera-ni.gov.uk\)](#)

Annex A provides the links application form and the supporting information.

NIEA notified NI Water of the previous applications (AIL 2020/0105 and AIL 2020/0106) for the same proposal on 9th March 2021. NI Water did not make representations at that time in response to the notification to NIEA. I will draw your attention to the fact that whilst the

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applications are the same the supporting documents include additional information which has not been previously shared. Annex A provides the additional information.

Under 9A(2) A water undertaker may make representation in writing to the Department within 28 days from the date on which the notice under paragraph (1) was served. If NI Water wish to make a representation on the applications outlined in Annex A please do so by 4th June 2024.

Yours sincerely



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Annex A: Applications Notified Under Regulation 9 A Notice

Abstraction of surface water and storage in the Clean Water Pond. (Application Reference AIL/2024/0003)

1. [Application form for abstraction of surface water \(AIL/2024/0003\).](#)
2. [Supporting documentation for surface water abstraction application \(November 2020 Report\) \(AIL/2024/0003\).](#)
3. [Kaya Letter Dated 17th December 2021](#)
4. [Kaya Letter Dated 28th January 2022](#)
5. [Gahan and Long Letter Dated 28th January 2022](#)
6. [DAERA spreadsheet of responses to 2020 application \(ref AIL 2020/0105 and AIL 2020/0106\)](#)

Abstraction of Mine Water through dewatering of the underground mine and storage within the West Pond. (Application Reference AIL/2024/0004)

7. [Application form for abstraction of mine water \(AIL/2024/0004\).](#)
8. [Supporting documentation for mine water abstraction \(November 2020 Report\) \(AIL/2024/0004\).](#)
9. [Kaya Letter Dated 17th December 2021](#)
10. [Kaya Letter Dated 28th January 2022](#)
11. [Gahan and Long Letter Dated 28th January 2022](#)
12. [DAERA spreadsheet of responses to 2020 application \(ref AIL 2020/0105 and AIL 2020/0106\)](#)

Any representations made on the previous applications reference number AIL/2020/0105 and AIL/2020/0106 will be made available to the PAC and do not need to be repeated. However, the documents in support of the current application include additional information namely the following which has not been previously consulted on and will not therefore have been addressed in previous representations:

- Kaya Letter Dated 17th December 2021
- Kaya Letter Dated 28th January 2022
- Gahan and Long Letter Dated 28th January 2022
- DAERA spreadsheet of responses to 2020 application (ref AIL 2020/0105 and AIL 2020/0106)

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