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By Email

Dear [REDACTED]

- 1. 2024/WHR01 – a Public Local Inquiry under Regulation 17 of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licencing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 for application AIL 2024 0008 – NIEA, to abstract and impound water on behalf of Dalradian Gold Ltd.**
- 2. 2024/WHR02 - a Public Local Inquiry under Regulation 17 of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licencing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 for application AIL 2024 0009 – NIEA, to abstract and impound water on behalf of Dalradian Gold Ltd.**

I refer to your letter of 5th September 2024, which directs the Water Appeals Commission to hold public local inquiries in relation to the applications listed above.

The Commission has conducted a review of the papers which accompanied the direction and are satisfied that all procedural aspects have been followed. We note that representations received by NIEA up to and including 29th August 2024 have been included in accordance with the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954.

The Commission will now move to set out revised arrangements for the conjoined inquiries.

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

Yours sincerely

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