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LAC MINERALS (USA) LLC

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**RE: Responses to Joint Agency Technical Comments on the Amendment to Application for Revision 20-1 and Proposed Cost Estimate, Closure/Closeout Plan Update, Cunningham Hill Mine, Permit No. SF002RE**

Dear Ms. Maurer and Ms. Rose,

LAC Minerals (USA) LLC received Joint Agency comments on the Amendment to Application for Revision 20-1 Closure/Closeout Plan (CCP) update on October 25, 2022 and January 9, 2023. Accordingly, LAC was required to provide responses to certain agency comments on February 7, 2023, February 23, 2023 and April 9, 2023. LAC submitted a request for modification of submittal dates to respond to Joint Agency and Public comments on February 3, 2022 which was approved that same date. In accordance with the approved modification of submittal dates, LAC hereby provides responses to all agency comments in the attached documents listed below:

1. LAC Responses to Comments on CCP Amendment to Application for Rev 20-1.
2. Net Present Value Calculations for AP-27 and DP-55 Financial Assurance.
3. Financial Assurance Cost Estimates Summary for SF002RE, AP-27 and DP-55.
4. MMD SF002RE Financial Assurance Cost Estimate Model.
5. NMED AP-27 Financial Assurance Cost Estimate Model.
6. NMED DP-55 Financial Assurance Cost Estimate Model.

If you have questions, please contact me at (775) 397-7215 or [dlattin@barrick.com](mailto:dlattin@barrick.com).

Sincerely,

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