

AMENDMENT TO PERMIT

Pursuant to the *Water Resources Act*, SNL 2002 cW-4.01, specifically Section(s) 49

Date: **JANUARY 12, 2021**

File No:
Permit No: **ALT11041-2020**
Amendment No: **1**

Permit Holder: **Vale Newfoundland and Labrador Limited**
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Attention: **Ms. Amy Copeland**

Re: **Voisey's Bay Mine - Discovery Hill Expansion Pond and Outflow Infilling**

The original Permit dated MAY 21, 2020 is amended as follows:

As per amendment request received on November 13, 2020 and WUL-20-11038, the Proponent shall dewater and remove two unnamed waterbodies (located at 56.333839N, 62.111368W and 56.332688N, 62.115770W) at the Discovery Hill Voisey's Bay Mine Site with approximate volume of 255 and 130 cubic meters respectively, and remove an estimated 698 cubic metres of organic matter, for the purpose of development of the open pit at the Voisey's Bay Site.

All other terms and conditions of the original Permit will apply and failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this amendment and the original Permit will render this Permit null and void, place the Permit Holder and their agent(s) in violation of the *Water Resources Act* and make the Permit Holder responsible for taking any remedial measures as may be prescribed by this Department.



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