



# REPORT

To: Chair and Directors

Report Number: ADM-BRD-074

From: Kelsey Bates, Deputy Corporate Officer

Date: August 31, 2020

**Subject: Item Previously Released from a Closed Meeting**

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For information only.

The following resolution has been authorized for release to the public from a prior closed meeting.

## **August 13, 2020**

*MOVED, SECONDED, and CARRIED*

That the Regional Board, in response the July 14, 2020 request from the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources (MoEMPR) to provide comment, advise MoEMPR that the Peace River Regional District (PRRD) Board opposes the approval of Deasan Holdings Ltd.'s application to recommence mining activities at the Deasan Holdings mine site located at 9904-240 Road, Area C, Peace River Regional District, due to insufficient information being made available;

Specifically, the PRRD has not been provided a copy of any reports done by the Ministry of Energy, Mines, and Petroleum Resources regarding the cause of the 2018 landslide in the area, nor has it received a final report from geotechnical engineers working on behalf of the PRRD to complete a steep slope hazard assessment and Buffioux Creek hazard assessment;

Further, the PRRD asks that the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources ensure that all due diligence has been undertaken to ensure the safety of the public prior to considering approval of the application to recommence mining at this location.

## **BACKGROUND/RATIONALE:**

The above resolution was authorized for release, and is provided in this report as the official disclosure of the item to the regular Board agenda, as per the 'Closed Meetings and Proactive Disclosure Policy'.

## **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS:**

Not applicable.

## **STRATEGIC PLAN RELEVANCE:**

☒ Not Applicable to Strategic Plan.

## **FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION(S):**

Not applicable.

**COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATION(S):**

Not applicable.

**OTHER CONSIDERATION(S):**

Not applicable.