



**Conservation and Water Stewardship**

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**CLIENT FILE NO. : 5583.00**

June 4, 2012

Stephen West, P.Eng.  
Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co., Limited  
P.O. Box 1500  
Flin Flon MB R8A 1N9

Dear Mr. West:

**Re: Hudson Bay Mining & Smelting Co., Limited - Lalor Mine**

Thank you for your Proposal submitted pursuant to the Environment Act.

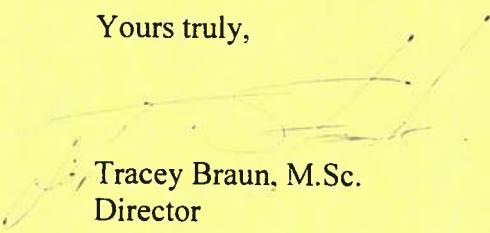
The contact person assigned to co-ordinate review and assessment of the Proposal is:

**Jennifer Winsor**  
**Telephone: 945-7012**  
**E-Mail: [jennifer.winsor@gov.mb.ca](mailto:jennifer.winsor@gov.mb.ca)**

Your Proposal will be advertised in the media (copy attached), placed in the Public Registries and circulated to government departments for review.

The above contact person may be in contact with you for further information as may be required.

Yours truly,



Tracey Braun, M.Sc.  
Director  
Environment Act

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c: Don Labossiere, Director, Environmental Operations  
Public Registries

## Notice of Environment Act Proposal

Conservation and Water Stewardship has received a proposal pursuant to *The Environment Act* regarding the following operation and invites public participation in the review process:

### **HUDSON BAY MINING & SMELTING CO., LIMITED - LALOR MINE - FILE: 5583.00**

A proposal was filed on behalf of Hudson Bay Mining & Smelting Co., Limited (HBMS) for the construction and operation of the Lalor Mine, a 4,500 tonnes/day underground copper-zinc-gold mine located at the site of the existing Lalor Advanced Exploration Project (AEP) approximately eight kilometers west of the Town of Snow Lake within the Town of Snow Lake municipal boundary. The proposed Lalor Mine development consists of the operation of the Lalor main shaft with underground ramp and ventilation raises constructed as part of the previously approved Lalor Ramp Project. The development also includes the construction of an Administration & Dry Complex and a 45,000 L/day sewage treatment plant. Treated sewage effluent, mine discharge water and polishing pond discharge will be pumped to the Chisel Open Pit for additional treatment at the existing Chisel North Water Treatment Plant. All tailings from the development will be sent to the existing Anderson Tailings Impoundment Area.

**Anyone likely to be affected by the above operation and who wishes to make a representation either for or against the proposal should contact the Department, in writing or by E-mail ([jennifer.winsor@gov.mb.ca](mailto:jennifer.winsor@gov.mb.ca)), not later than JULY 9, 2012. Further information is available from the Public Registries located at 123 Main St. (Union Station) Main Floor, Winnipeg; Millennium Public Library, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; Manitoba Eco-Network, 3rd Floor, 303 Portage Ave., Winnipeg; The Pas Public Library, 53 Edwards Ave., The Pas; Flin Flon Public Library, 58 Main St, Flin Flon; Thompson Public Library, 81 Thompson Dr., Thompson, Electronic registry: [www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries](http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal/registries) or by contacting Jennifer Winsor, Environmental Engineer at 204-945-7012.**

Information submitted in response to this proposal is considered public information and will be made available to the proponent and placed on the public registry established in accordance with Section 17 of *The Environment Act*.

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