



APPENDIX G ENVIRONMENTAL BASELINE





NOTE TO READER APPENDIX G

In April 2015, Treasury Metals submitted an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed Goliath Gold Project (the Project) to the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency (the Agency) for consideration under the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act (CEAA), 2012. The Agency reviewed the submission and informed Treasury Metals that the requirements of the EIS Guidelines for the Project were met and that the Agency would begin its technical review of the submission. In June 2015, the Agency issued a series of information requests to Treasury Metals regarding the EIS and supporting appendices (referred to herein as the Round 1 information requests). The Round 1 information requests included questions from the Agency, other federal and provincial reviewers, First Nations and other Aboriginal peoples, as well as interested stakeholders. As part of the Round 1 information request process, the Agency requested that Treasury Metals consolidate the responses to the information requests into a revised EIS for the Project.

Appendix G to the original EIS (Environmental Baseline) presented a high level review of the baseline environment in the vicinity of the Project prepared by Klohn Crippen Berger. As part of this work, Klohn Crippen Berger undertook baseline field studies in 2010 and 2011. This appendix has been removed for the revised EIS. The information presented in Appendix G to the original EIS has either been replaced by more current and relevant information presented in the revised EIS and appendices, or has been incorporated into new appendices prepared as part of the responses to the Round 1 information requests. For example, the relevant fisheries baseline information in Appendix G to the original EIS relied on in the revised EIS has been incorporated into Appendix Q (Summary Fisheries Baseline Report (2011–2016)) to the revised EIS.

As part of the process to revise the EIS, Treasury Metals has undertaken a review of the status for the various appendices. The status of each appendix to the revised EIS has been classified as one of the following:

- **Unchanged**: The appendix remains unchanged from the original EIS, and has been reissued as part revised EIS.
- **Modified**: The appendix remains relatively unchanged from the original EIS, and has been re-issued with relevant clarification.
- **Re-written**: The appendix has been substantially changed from the original EIS. A rewritten appendix has been issued as part of the revised EIS.
- Discarded: The appendix is no longer required to support the EIS. The information in the
 original appendix has been replaced by information provided in a new appendix prepared
 to support the revised EIS.
- **New**: This is a new appendix prepared to support the revised EIS.

The following table provides a listing of the appendices to the revised EIS, along with a listing of the status of each appendix and their description.





List of Appendices to the Revised EIS		
Appendix	Status	Description
Appendix A	Modified	Table of Concordance
Appendix B	Unchanged	Optimization Study
Appendix C	Unchanged	Mining Study
Appendix D	Re-written	Tailings Storage Facility
Appendix E	Unchanged	Traffic Study
Appendix F	Re-written	Water Management Plan
Appendix G	Discarded	Environmental Baseline
Appendix H	Unchanged	Acoustic Environment Study
Appendix I	Unchanged	Light Environment Study
Appendix J	Unchanged	Air Quality Study
Appendix K	Unchanged	Geochemistry
Appendix L	Discarded	Geochemical Modelling
Appendix M	Unchanged	Hydrogeology
Appendix N	Unchanged	Surface Hydrology
Appendix O	Discarded	Hydrologic Modeling
Appendix P	Unchanged	Aquatics DST
Appendix Q	Re-written	Fisheries and Habitat
Appendix R	Re-written	Terrestrial
Appendix S	Re-written	Wetlands
Appendix T	Unchanged	Socio-Economic
Appendix U	Unchanged	Heritage Resources
Appendix V	Unchanged	Public Engagement
Appendix W	Unchanged	Screening Level Risk Assessment
Appendix X	Re-written	Alternatives Assessment Matrix
Appendix Y	Unchanged	EIS Guidelines
Appendix Z	Unchanged	TML Corporate Policies
Appendix AA	Modified	List of Mineral Claims
Appendix BB	Unchanged	Preliminary Economic Assessment
Appendix CC	Unchanged	Mining, Dynamic And Dependable For Ontario's Future
Appendix DD	Re-written	Aboriginal Engagement Report
Appendix EE	Unchanged	Country Foods Assessment
Appendix FF	Unchanged	Photo Record Of The Goliath Gold Project
Appendix GG	Modified	TSF Failure Modelling
Appendix HH	Unchanged	Failure Modes And Effects Analysis
Appendix II	Unchanged	Draft Fisheries Compensation Strategy and Plans
Appendix JJ	New	Water Report