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Dear Frank Callaghan:

I am writing to provide to you a Section 11 order which sets out the framework for the ongoing review of the proposed Cariboo Gold Project. As noted in correspondence dated January 13, 2003 from Sheila Wynn, the new *Environmental Assessment Act* provides flexibility to custom-design review procedures for individual projects. The attached Section 11 Order identifies the scope of the project for the purposes of the review, the scope of the assessment, and the key steps in the review process.

The next step in the review is for you to develop draft terms of reference for information to supplement your application. To assist in identifying the information requirements, I have provided to Jo Harris a number of draft documents that were developed by government agencies in response to your initial application. You will need to work with our office, to consult with government agencies on a draft of the terms of reference, and to provide the public and First Nations with the opportunity to comment on the draft. The time line for final approval of the terms of reference by the Environmental Assessment Office is November 30, 2003.

If you have any questions about the Section 11 Order, please do not hesitate to call me at (250) 356-7484.

Yours truly,

Marcia Farquhar  
Project Assessment Director

cc Jo Harris