

1   **Q.     In reference to page 3 of Philip Hughes’ statement and “the future prospects of**  
2   **Voisey’s Bay”, please provide details as to what the Company anticipates will be the**  
3   **requirements on the Island from the Voisey’s Bay Development and over what**  
4   **period of years the Company anticipates when these requirements will be needed.**  
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6   **A.**     With reference to page 3 of Philip Hughes’ statement concerning the future prospects of  
7     Voisey’s Bay, the exact load requirements on the Island for the various stages of the  
8     Development are unknown to the Company. However, preliminary information indicates  
9     that the Demonstration Plant, which is scheduled to be completed in 2006, will require  
10    approximately 1 MW and the Processing Plant, which is scheduled to be completed in  
11    2011, will require approximately 50 MW.