Facility Audited: Kinross Gold Corporation; Kettle River Operations

Audit Date: June 4 – June 10, 2012

Lead Auditor Credentials

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Lead Auditor Experience:

Year	Type of Facility/Type of Audit Led	Country & State/Province	
2012	Lead Auditor ICMC Preassessment of Agnico Eagle's Pinos Altos Operation, Chihuahua State, Mexico.	Mexico	
2012	Lead Auditor for the recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC, Golden Star Resources, Bogoso/Prestea Operation	Ghana	
2012	Lead Auditor for the recertification audit for compliance with the ICMC, Golden Star Resources, Wassa Operation	Ghana	
2012	Lead Auditor for ICMC Recertification Audit, Kinross Gold Corporation, Compañia Minera Maricunga, Chile	Chile	
2012	Gold Mining Technical Expert for ICMC Certification Audit, Kinross Gold Corporation's Chirano Mine, Ghana	Ghana	
2012	Lead Auditor ICMC Preassessment of Group Frisco's San Felipe Mine, Baja California	Mexico	



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2012	Lead Auditor ICMC Pre-Certification Audit of Minera Mexico La Cienega Mine	Mexico	
2011	Lead auditor ICMC Certification Audit of Centerra Gold Inc's, Boroo Gold Company, Boroo Mine.	Mongolia	
2011	Lead Auditor ICMC Certification Audit of Centerra Gold Inc's, Kumtor Operation Company, Kumtor Mine	Kyrgyz Republic	
2011	Lead Auditor ICMC Certification of Kumtor Transportation Operation, Kyrgyz Republic.	Kyrgyz Republic	
2011	Lead Auditor ICMC Preassessment of Minera Mexico La Cienega Mine	Mexico	
2011	Lead Auditor ICMC Interim Audits Golden Star Resources, Bogoso/Prestea and Wassa Operations, Ghana	Ghana	
2010	Lead Auditor for ICMC Certification Audit of the Kinross Gold Mantos de Oro Mine (La Coipa)	Chile	
2010	Lead Auditor for ICMC recertification audit of Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company, Cripple Creek, Colorado, USA[an AngloGold Ashanti (Colorado) Corp. and Golden Cycle Gold Corporation joint venture]	Colorado, USA	
2009	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit, Kinross Gold Corporation, Kupol Project, Russia	Chukotka AO, Russian Federation	
2008	Lead Auditor for International Cyanide Management Code (ICMC) audit for Golden Star Resources, Wassa Operations, Ghana.		
2008	Lead Auditor for International Cyanide Management Code (ICMC) audit for Golden Star Resources, Bogoso/Prestea Operations, Ghana		
2008	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit, Kinross Gold Corporation, Kettle River Operations, Washington, USA		
2008	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit, Compañia Minera Maricunga (CMM) [a Kinross Gold Corporation operation], Chile		



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2008	ICMC corrective action progress monitoring (CMM) and preassessment for La Coipa Mine [Kinross Gold Corporation operations] Chile	Chile
2008	ICMC preassessment, Golden Star Resources, Bogoso/Prestea and Wassa Operations, Ghana	Ghana
2007	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit of Fairbanks Gold Mining Inc. [a Kinross Gold Corporation USA, Inc., operation] Fort Knox Mine	Alaska, USA
2007	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit of Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company Cripple Creek, Colorado, USA[an AngloGold Ashanti (Colorado) Corp. and Golden Cycle Gold Corporation joint venture]	Colorado, USA
2006	Lead Auditor for ICMC audit of Round Mountain Gold Corporation, Round Mountain, Nevada (a Kinross/Barrick joint venture)	Nevada, USA
2005	Lead Auditor for an environmental compliance audit of an Alcoa aluminum extrusion and fabrication plant in Lethbridge Alberta. Scope of the audit evaluated plant operations against federal, provincial and municipal legislation.	Alberta, Canada
2003	Lead Auditor for an ISO 14001 EMS audit of the BC Hydro's Construction Business Unit (CBU). The audit client was BC Hydro Corporate. The scope of the audit included CBU's main office, field operations facilities in Surrey and Kamloops and one capital project. The audit criteria were CBU's environmental management system; there were two members of the audit team.	British Columbia, Canada
2001	Lead Auditor for audits of three Canadian Coast Guard (CCG) Bases located in Prince Rupert, Victoria and Sydney, British Columbia, for the BC Department of Fisheries. The audit subject included environmental management systems (EMS), environmental compliance, solid waste, water and energy use and efficiency and the scope was limited to onshore facilities (workshops, ship repair, buoy painting and maintenance, helicopter base, research facilities,	British Columbia, Canada



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	marine search and rescue and warehouse support). Audit criteria included federal, provincial and applicable municipal legislation, and the CCG EMS. The team comprised six auditors and the field work was undertaken over a period of 4 weeks.		
2006	One of a team of four auditors on an environmental health and safety audit of Syncrude's main oil sands Aurora open pit mine site 60km north of Fort MacMurray, Alberta. The scope of the audit included all aspects of mine planning, operations, maintenance and closure, as well as then oil hydrotreaters and slurry pipeline to the refinery. The audit criteria were Syncrude's EMS and environmental health and safety procedures. The audit included compliance to the Mine Permit and federal and provincial legal requirements.	Alberta, Canada	
2005	One of a team of four auditors on an environmental health and safety audit of Syncrude's main oil sands open pit mine site in Fort MacMurray, Alberta. The scope of the audit included all aspects of mine planning, operations, maintenance and closure. The audit criteria were Syncrude's EMS and environmental health and safety procedures. The audit included compliance to Mine Permit and federal and provincial legal requirements.	Alberta, Canada	
2005	One of a team of three auditors on an environmental health and safety audit of Syncrude's Central Maintenance Supply Services Division in Fort MacMurray, Alberta. This group is responsible for equipment maintenance, warehousing and worker supply. The scope of the audit included facility operations and maintenance and contract management. The audit criteria were Syncrude's EMS and environmental health and safety procedures; included verification of compliance with federal and provincial legal requirements.	Alberta, Canada	



<u>Cyanide-related Operations Experience – Audit Team Members</u>

G. Mills ((ENVIRON International Corp)

Yrs. CN Ops Experience	Relevant Position /Titles	Type of Operations
8+	 Consultant/ESIA Project Manager/ management plan author/coordinator for multiple plans supporting the project's cyanide management approach (2004 – 2006) 	Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) for the Rosia Montana Project, Romania
	 Lead Auditor, PT Freeport Indonesia 2005 External Environmental Audit 	Copper/gold mine, Papua/Irian Jaya, Indonesia
	 EMS Auditor, PT Freeport Indonesia 2000 Internal Environmental Audit 	 Copper/gold mine, Papua/Irian Jaya, Indonesia
	 Audit Coordinator/ Planner, PT Freeport Indonesia 1999 External Environmental Audit 	Copper/gold mine, Papua/Irian Jaya, Indonesia
	 Conducted ICMC preassessment at Round Mountain Gold Corporation, Round Mountain Mine (2006) 	Gold mine, Nevada, USA
	 Audit team member/ project manager for ICMC audit, Round Mountain Gold Corporation, Round Mountain Mine 	Gold mine, Nevada, USA
	 Conducted ICMC preassessment at Kinross Gold's Ft. Knox Mine (2006) 	Gold mine, Alaska, USA
	 Conducted ICMC preassessments at CMM (Kinross Gold) Maricunga Mine (2006 and 2007) 	Gold mine, Chile
	 Audit team member/ project manager for ICMC audit, Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company, Cripple Creek Mine (2007) 	Gold mine, Colorado, USA
	 Audit team member/ project manager for Kinross Gold's Ft. Knox Mine (2007) 	Gold mine, Alaska, USA



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8+	 Audit team member/ project manager for CMM/Kinross Gold Maricunga Mine (2008) 	Gold mine, Chile
	Audit team member/ project manager for Kinross Gold's Kettle River Operations (2008)	Gold mine, Washington, USA
	Audit team member/ project manager for Kinross Gold's Kupol Project (2009)	Gold Mine, Chukotka AO, Russian Federation
	 Audit team member/ project manager for ICMC recertification audit, Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company, Cripple Creek Mine (2010) 	Gold mine, Colorado, USA
	 Audit team member/project manager for ICMC recertification audit, Kinross Gold/Barrick Gold Round Mountain Mine (2010) 	Gold mine, Nevada, USA
	 Audit team member/project manager for ICMC certification audit, Kinross Gold, Mantos de Oro (La Coipa) Mine, Chile (2010) 	Gold mine, Chile
	 Project Manager, ICMC pre-audits, Eldorado Gold Eastern Dragon, White Mountain, Tanjianshan, and Jinfeng mines and multiple cyanide transporters and producers (2011) 	Gold mines, Heilongjiang, Jilin, Qinghai, and Guizhou proivices, Peoples' Republic of China
	 Gold Mining Technical Expert/ project manager for recertification audit, Kinross Gold's Ft. Knox Mine (2011) 	Gold mine, Alaska USA
	 Audit team member/project manager for ICMC recertification audit, CMM/Kinross Gold Maricunga Mine (2012) 	Gold mine, Chile
	 Lead Auditor/ project manager for ICMC Recertification Audit, Kinross Gold Corporation, Chirano Operations, Ghana (2012) 	Gold mine, Ghana



Statement of No Conflict

I certify that I have not audited any component of this facility for which I was responsible for design or development; nor have I within the past year been an employee of the facility, its parent company, or associated affiliates. Excluding audits, I have not derived more than 30% of my income within the past 5 years from the facility, its parent, or associated affiliates. I have not participated in more than two consecutive Cyanide Code audits of this facility. I have participated in at least 3 health, safety, and/or environmental audits in the past 7 years and am familiar with standard audit procedures as well as with the protocols developed by the International Cyanide Management Institute for implementation of the Code.

Signed,	<u>Name</u>	<u>Signature</u>	<u>Date</u>
Lead Auditor*	John Lambert		27/11/2012
Auditor 1	Glenn Mills	Adul	November 26, 2012

^{*} Notarized as indicated

Signed before me at North Vancouver B.C. By John Lambert on 27 November 2012

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