BILCON OF NOVA SCOTIA CORPORATION

October 29, 2007

Hon. Mark Parent Minister - Nova Scotia Environment and Labour PO Box 697 - 5151 Terminal Road Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2T8

Dear Minister Parent:

Re: Whites Point Quarry Environmental Review

We are writing to you as citizens of Nova Scotia and active members of our community. The Environmental Assessment Review Panel has now made recommendations about the Whites Point Quarry. We are, of course, disappointed with the decisions of the Review Panel. We are having a difficult time understanding all of these recommendations as they are not in accordance with the information filed with the Review Panel and in the public records.

We are seeking an opportunity to meet with you to discuss the recommendations in the Environmental Assessment Report. We want to ensure that you have all the information before considering the Review Panel's recommendations so you can make a decision in the best interests of the province.

We would ask that you not make a decision on this Environmental Assessment Recommendation until you have had an opportunity to have our views.

We have every confidence that you, as Minister of the Environment and Labour, will do the right thing. What would be the easiest and best way for us to communicate this information to you and your ministry?

Yours sincerely,

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