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## Bruce:

I just received a call from Phil Zamora, DFO providing a heads up that DFO is intending to refer this project to the Minister for referral to a Panel. The decision seems to be dependent on DFO's confirmation that it will be an RA. Following review of a draft Project Description, DFO has concluded it requires additional information before being able to confirm its status. I do not have any better detail on timing.

The province will also have environmental assessment requirements for this project. I will be contacting Chris Daly to start the thinking process concerning whether the province will also be leaning towards a public review and whether it will be interested in consideration of a joint public review.

## Derek:

Please have a copy of the draft project description forwarded to Bruce.

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