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**Minister
Department of the Environment
Province of Nova Scotia
Halifax, Nova Scotia**

Dear Minister:

I am pleased to submit for your consideration my report and recommendations following a government agency review of the Rock Extraction and Processing Development proposed by Blue Mountain Resources Limited for the Kearney Lake Road area of Halifax County.

No groups or individuals outside of government agencies submitted comments to the Administrator during the technical review process, therefore the very important issues relating to the human or social environment are not reflected in this report.

The government agency review of the proposed undertaking leads to the conclusion that it is technically possible for the project to be developed and operated without unacceptable impacts on the bio-physical environment. A final decision however, must carefully weigh the social and human environmental concerns being evaluated by the Environmental Control Council.

If necessary, I will be pleased to provide clarification of any aspect of this report at your request.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. A. Coulter".

**W. A. Coulter, P.Eng.
Environmental Assessment Administrator**



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