

# NOTICE

## Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on February 18, 2015, National Gypsum (Canada) Ltd. registered the National Gypsum Mine Extension Project for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the *Environment Act*.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to extend the existing approved mine site that has been in operation since 1954. The mine, located near Milford Station, Nova Scotia, currently supplies gypsum rock for several wallboard plants in the Maritimes and eastern US. The extended mine will occupy an additional 144 ha of land, of which 135 ha will support mining activities, with the remaining area being set aside as an Ecological Buffer Zone. Pending approval, the extension will advance in the northeastern direction over the next 35 to 40 years (depending on market demand). Proposed mining activities (i.e., blasting, crushing, stockpiling), associated levels of production, and rail/truck traffic, will be generally consistent with current mining operations.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Carrolls Corner Community Centre, 9 Milford Road, Carrolls Corner, NS
- Corridor Co-op Food Market, 2295 Highway 2, Milford NS
- Ecology Action Centre, 2705 Fern Lane, Halifax, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, 30 Damascus Road, Suite 115  
Bedford Commons, Bedford NS
- Nova Scotia Environment Library, 2nd floor, Halifax Office, Suite  
2085-1903 Barrington St. Halifax, NS
- EA website (when available) <http://www.gov.ns.ca/nse/ea>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:  
Environmental Assessment Branch  
Nova Scotia Environment  
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, NS, B3J 2P8

on or before March 20, 2015 or contact the department at (902) 424-2574, (902) 424-0503 (Fax), or e-mail at [EA@gov.ns.ca](mailto:EA@gov.ns.ca).

All submissions received, including personal information, will be made available for public review in the Nova Scotia Environment Library, Barrington Place Suite 2085, 1903 Barrington Street, Halifax, NS.

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