



Department for the Economy
Minerals and Petroleum Branch Room 9
Dundonald House
Upper Newtownards Road
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Dear Sirs,

Mineral Prospecting License Applications MPLA1/22 and MPLA2/22

I support the proposal of the Department for the Economy to grant these prospecting licences to Dalradian Gold Ltd.

Since 2010 Dalradian have made a massive commitment to developing the Curraghinalt Project and to mineral exploration in the wider area. I believe that their exploration staff and contractors are highly competent, well-supported, and their fieldwork has been conducted in an exemplary manner.

The exploration will add to the fund of knowledge on the areas mineral resources, and may lead to further development. It will provide employment for local people, increase their skills and help the economy.

In addition, granting the licences will demonstrate that Northern Ireland welcomes investment in its mineral resources and in rural areas.

Yours faithfully

