



September 22, 2025

Hon. Mélanie Joly
Minister of Industry
Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada
C.D. Howe Building,
235 Queen Street
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0H5

Dear Minister Joly,

On behalf of the Royal Inland Hospital (RIH) Foundation, I wish to acknowledge the many years of Teck Highland Valley's philanthropic support of the Royal Inland Hospital (RIH) Foundation and the communities in the Interior of BC.

At the Foundation, our mandate is to strengthen healthcare for patients and families in our region. We see great alignment between Anglo American and Teck's commitments — including community investment, Indigenous partnerships, workforce development, and sustainable practices — and the conditions that support healthier, more resilient communities.

We recognize that strong industries and responsible investment contribute to social and economic stability, which in turn support better health outcomes. The RIH Foundation remains dedicated to ensuring that as our communities grow and prosper, the hospital and health system grows with them.

We have been fortunate to count Teck as a dedicated supporter of Royal Inland Hospital Foundation over many years. Their generosity has helped advance patient care close to home, and we look forward to continuing this important relationship.

We value the leadership of your Ministry in supporting initiatives that both strengthen the economy and improve the health and well-being of British Columbians.

With respect,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading 'Heidi Coleman'.

Heidi Coleman, CEO
Royal Inland Hospital Foundation

Cc:

Minister Tim Hodgson
Premier David Eby
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