

Update Regarding April 2017 Incident at Highland Valley Copper Mine

Freezing caused a leak in a pipeline servicing the mine's tailings facility resulting in the release of about 850 cubic metres of process water on April 8, 2017.

The spill was contained at the site and the safety and stability of the mine's tailings dam was not affected in any way and there were no environmental impacts as a result of this incident.

The containment facility operated as designed and the water was returned to the tailings facility.