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To: Prosperity Review [CEAA]

Subject: My concerns

Hello

I realize this is very last minute, but I hope it's not too late to submit my concern about the project. My primary concern is with the First Nations in the area. They are making valid complaints and I think that it is time that we listen to them. Primarily, once those fish are gone, they can not be replaced. Some of the fish in the area are genetically distinct. It may seem like a small price to pay (killing those fish) to Taseko, but to many of us, in the big picture, it is bigger than a few hundred jobs and short term financial gain.

From a fishery expert's perspective:

"It's estimated at 85,000 genetically distinct fish in Fish Lake and another 80,000 in Little fish Lake and other connected streams and wetlands. A few will be salvaged to become broodstock in a fish hatchery, the rest are goners."

-Andrea Battistel, Environmental Consultant, Calgary Alberta

Please, please hear my voice, I strongly oppose this project, and I plan to protest it until the end.

Val Reimer