



British Columbia Securities Commission

By e-mail and Fax

March 16, 2009

SEDAR Project No.: 1375807

Attention: Stacey Bligh
Vancouver, BC

Dear Ms. Bligh:

**Re: Quaterra Resources Inc. (the Company)
Preliminary Screening of Technical Report**

The Company recently filed a technical report dated February 17, 2009 on its MacArthur Copper Project (the Report).

The Corporate Finance Department of the B.C. Securities Commission assessed the Report, on a preliminary basis, for compliance with National Instrument 43-101 *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects (NI 43-101)* and Form 43-101F1 *Technical Report* (the Form). The purpose of our review was to identify and bring to your attention apparent deficiencies in the form and basic requirements for technical reports. Our review was not comprehensive, did not assess the scientific and technical information in the technical report, and did not involve a review by our mining technical staff.

Based on our limited review, the Report, in its current form, does not appear to comply fully with the requirements of NI 43-101.

Please file the revised documents using the same SEDAR project number as the original documents. Please let us know when you have filed the amended documents.

1. Consents of Qualified Person

S.8.3 of NI 43-101 requires the Company to file signed and dated consents for each responsible qualified person. The Company filed the consent of qualified persons that do not clearly identify the written disclosure document (News Release) that the Company is filing. Please file the amended consent correcting this problem.



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Wording for Consent of Author:

"I, _____ do hereby consent to the public filing, with the regulatory authorities referred to above, of the technical report titled – _____, for _____ (the "Company") dated _____, 2009 (the "Technical Report") and to extracts from, or a summary of, the technical report in the News Release dated Jan 26 2009 ~~being filed~~ and •

I confirm that I have read the Company's news release being filed and that it fairly and accurately represents the information in the Technical Report that supports the disclosure."

2. Title Page

Please clarify the Issuer name "Quaterra Alaska Inc." on title page of the technical report.

Quaterra Resources Inc. and

If you would like to discuss the above comments, the specific requirements of NI 43-101 or our interpretation and application of NI 43-101, please call the undersigned or Robert Holland, Chief Mining Advisor, at 604-899-6719 or rholland@bcsc.bc.ca.

Yours truly,

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CONSENT OF AUTHOR

TO: Securities Regulatory Authority

Alberta Securities Commission
British Columbia Securities Commission
Nova Scotia Securities Commission
Ontario Securities Commission
Saskatchewan Financial Services Commission

I, John W. Rozelle, do hereby consent to the filing of the written disclosure of the technical report titled "MacArthur Copper Project NI 43-101 Technical Report, Lyon County, Nevada, USA", dated February 17, 2009 (the "Technical Report") and to extracts from, or a summary of, the Technical Report by Quaterra Alaska, Inc. and to the filing of the Technical Report with the securities regulatory authorities referred to above.

I also certify that I have read the written disclosure being filed and the written disclosure fairly and accurately represents the information in the Technical Report that supports the written disclosure.

(in a news release dated Jan 26, 2009)

Dated this 17th Day of February 2009.

John W. Rozelle, AIPG No. CPG-07216