

The logo for Teck Cominco, featuring the word "teckcominco" in a bold, lowercase, sans-serif font. A vertical line is positioned to the left of the text, and a horizontal line is positioned below the text.

Trail Operations

Date: March 13, 2003

Subject: Canadian Industrial Mill Services Ltd. (CIMS)

To Whom It May Concern:

During August 2002 Teck Cominco's Trail Operations undertook extensive boiler work on its Kivcet Smelting Furnace. Canadian Industrial Mill Services Ltd played a lead roll in this work. Based on this work I would comment that CIMS says what it will do and does what it says it will do.

I would have no hesitation using CIMS on another project.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brian Marsh".

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