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Mr Chris France  
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Dear Mr France,

**NORTH YORK MOORS: NORTH YORKSHIRE POLYHALITE PROJECT: NOTIFICATION OF  
COMMENCEMENT OF DEVELOPMENT UNDER PLANNING PERMISSION NYM/2014/0676/MEIA**

Pursuant to the requirements of condition 3 of Planning Permission NYM/2014/0676/MEIA, Sirius Minerals Plc is now pleased to confirm that, subject to the discharge of all outstanding pre-commencement conditions, works associated with the construction of the North Yorkshire Polyhalite Project (including Minehead, underground tunnel and all associated infrastructure) will commence on **01 April 2017**.

We would like to thank the Authority for its assistance in getting to this point. If you have any questions in relation to this or any other matter relating to the project, please do not hesitate to contact either Robert Staniland or Aisling Kelly directly.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Carter  
Chief Development Officer

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