**Headnote:** Application for an order that an issuer be declared a reporting issuer in Nova Scotia – an issuer seeks an order declaring it to be a reporting issuer in Nova Scotia on the basis that it is a reporting issuer in good standing in Ontario, Alberta and British Columbia and its securities are listed and posted for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange.

## **Applicable Legislative Provisions**

Securities Act, R.S.N.S. 1989, Chapter 418, as amended, section 80

IN THE MATTER OF: THE SECURITIES ACT, R.S.N.S. 1989, C. 418, AS

AMENDED (the "Act")

and

IN THE MATTER OF: ADVANCED PRIMARY MINERALS CORPORATION

## ORDER (Section 80(2) of the Act)

**UPON** an application from Advanced Primary Minerals Corporation ("**APM**") to the Nova Scotia Securities Commission (the "**Commission**") for an order under Section 80(2) of the Act declaring that APM is a reporting issuer and directing pursuant to Section 80(3)(b) of the Act that the order shall have come into force on March 2, 2009;

**AND UPON** considering the application and the recommendation of the staff of the Commission;

**AND UPON** APM having waived its right to an opportunity to have a hearing before the Commission under Section 80(3)(a) of the Act;

**AND UPON** APM having represented to the Commission that:

- 1. APM was incorporated under the *Business Corporations Act* (Ontario) on September 27, 2002. APM is extra-provincially registered in Nova Scotia.
- APM owns or controls through long-term leases, a number of high-quality primary kaolin deposits in Georgia, United States, and is a specialized primary kaolin producer.
- 3. APM is, and has been since at least March 2, 2009, a reporting issuer in British Columbia, Alberta and Ontario and is not on the lists of defaulting reporting issuers maintained pursuant to the legislation of British Columbia, Alberta and Ontario.

- 4. APM is not a reporting issuer in Nova Scotia.
- 5. The head office of APM is located at 99 Wyse Road, Suite 1480, Dartmouth, Nova Scotia B3A 4S5.
- 6. The registered office of APM is located at Suite 1000, 36 Toronto Street, Toronto, Ontario, M5C 2C5.
- 7. APM's common shares are listed and posted for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange (the "**Exchange**") and trade under the symbol of "APD".
- 8. None of the officers nor the directors of APM are the subject of any enforcement or other administrative or legal proceedings, or are subject to any outstanding orders or decisions, in any jurisdiction with respect to the trading or distribution of securities.
- APM wishes to become a reporting issuer in Nova Scotia in order to be able to select Nova Scotia as its principal regulator based on the location of its head office.
- 10. Outside of Nova Scotia, APM's next most significant connection is with Ontario based on the location of the registered office of APM and the location of the Exchange upon which the common shares of APM are listed and posted for trading.
- 11. APM does not have any connection with British Columbia and Alberta where it is a reporting issuer.

**AND UPON** the Commission being satisfied that to do so would not be prejudicial to the public interest;

**IT IS ORDERED** pursuant to Section 80(2) of the Act that APM is declared to be a reporting issuer and it is directed, pursuant to Section 80(3)(b) of the Act, that this order shall have come into force on March 2, 2009.

DATED at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2009.

<u>"H. Leslie O'Brien"</u>	
Nova Scotia Securities Commission	