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9	292	“Physiochemical” should be replaced with “Physicochemical”. Additional subcategories, which are part of the baseline study, EIA and EIS phase, should be included for clarity e.g. Physical Oceanography, Chemical Oceanography and Biochemistry, Geological Properties. Air quality should also be included.
17	624	Table 1- Emergency Response Procedures Program. All staff should be part of emergency scenario training and practice drills. “Involvement” should be changed from “Designated personnel” to “All personnel interacting with project site”.
24	799	Appendix B- Table 2- Polymetallic Sulphides Areas- Item 6. Additional information should be provided on the issues recommended for contractors’ consideration, as is done in Table 1- Polymetallic Nodules Areas.
