

**VIA ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION**

July 18, 2011

TO ALL APPLICABLE EXCHANGES AND COMMISSIONS:**RE: VIKING GOLD EXPLORATION INC**
Confirmation of Notice of Record and Meeting Dates

We are pleased to confirm that Notice of Record and Meeting Dates was sent to The Canadian Depository for Securities.

We advise the following with respect to the Annual General & Special Meeting of Securityholders for **VIKING GOLD EXPLORATION INC**

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| 1. | ISIN:
CUSIP: | CA9267661069
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| 2. | Date Fixed for the Meeting: | September 13, 2011 |
| 3. | Record Date For Notice: | August 12, 2011 |
| 4. | Record Date For Voting: | August 12, 2011 |
| 5. | Beneficial Ownership Determination Date: | August 12, 2011 |
| 6. | Classes or Series of Securities that entitle the holder to receive Notice of the Meeting: | Common Shares |
| 7. | Classes of Series of Securities that entitle the holder to vote at the meeting: | Common Shares |
| 8. | Business to be conducted at the meeting: | Annual General & Special |

Yours Truly,
EQUITY FINANCIAL TRUST COMPANY

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