

Cominco Alaska Inc. awards contract for accommodations

Cominco Alaska Inc. has awarded the accommodations and services complex contract for the Red Dog Mine to Pacific Constructors International Inc. of Anchorage and Woodinville, Wash.

The accommodations complex will house up to 300 people and will include dining and recreational facilities. The complex is being designed by GDM Architects of Anchorage. Once built, the units will be transported to the mine site in mid-1988.

The services complex will consist of office, warehouse space and a maintenance shop. The majority of the services complex will be a steel structure built on the site in the summer of 1988.

The Red Dog zinc-lead mine is being developed by Cominco Alaska Inc. and the NANA Regional Corp. Scheduled to begin production in the early 1990s, it will be one of the largest zinc-lead mines in the world.