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March 4, 2003

*Via Email*

To: Distribution List and all Polaris parties on record

Subject: NWB File # NWB1POL

Dear Parties:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") has received the following written submissions in the matter of the Application for Licence Renewal for the Decommissioning and Reclamation of the Polaris Mine, which are available from the NWB ftp site (<ftp.nwb.yk.com>), in "Current Hearing/NWB1POL/Licence Renewal 2002/Hearing Submissions") or from the undersigned upon request:

- **Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada ("DFO"):** Letter dated January 21, 2003 and submission titled *Fish Habitat Management Report- Decommissioning of the dock, marine foreshore, and Garrow Lake Dam at Polaris Mine, January 16, 2003*. With Inuktitut translation of submission.
- **TeckCominco Ltd. ("TeckCominco"):** Letter dated February 26, 2003 and submission titled *Submission to the Nunavut Water Board Regarding the Application for the Renewal of the Polaris Mine Water Licence # N412-0262, February 28, 2003*. With Inuktitut translation.
- **Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development ("DIAND"):** Letter dated February 28, 2003 and submission titled *Written Intervention by Department of Indian and Northern Affairs, February 28, 2003*. With Inuktitut translation.
- **Environment Canada ("EC"):** Letter dated March 3, 2003 and submission titled *Environment Canada's Submission to the NWB on an Application for Renewal of Licence N412-0262 NWB File NWB1POL by Teck Cominco Ltd. for the Decommissioning and Reclamation of Polaris Mine, March 2003*. With Inuktitut translation.

I also attach for your information the proposed Order of Events for the March 10, 2003 hearing in Resolute Bay.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Yours truly,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:**

Patrick Duxbury  
Mine Reclamation Coordinator

Encl. Order of Events