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File No: NWB1POL0311/TR/B3

September 22, 2005

By email

Bruce J. Donald
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Subject: Submission of Polaris Mine Water License NWB1POL0311-2005 1st & 2nd
Quarter Water License Report

Dear Mr. Donald:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of a submission from Teck Cominco Ltd. titled Polaris Mine Water License NWB1POL0311-2005 1st & 2nd Quarter Water License Report, submitted on August 24, 2005 as a requirement of Part B, Item 3 of water license NWB1POL0311. This submission has been placed on the NWB public registry and is available from the NWB ftp site at the following link:

<http://ftp.nunavut.ca/nwb/NWB1%20MINING/NWB1POL0311%20Polaris/Technical%20Reviews/B3%20Quarterly%20Reports/>

The NWB gives interested persons thirty (30) days to review the submission and make representations to the NWB. All representations shall be submitted to the NWB by mail, fax or email before October 24, 2005. At the end of the review period the NWB will review all submissions and you will be contacted should concerns arise or should additional information be needed. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Richard Dwyer
Licensing Trainee

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