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Re: Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada's Review of the Licence Review for the Abandonment and Reclamation Plan submitted for 1Br-COR2325.

Dear Richard,

Thank you for the October 17th, 2024 invitation to review the referenced licence Abandonment and Reclamation Plan, submitted by CIRNAC, for Type (B) Water Licence No. 1BR-COR2325.

Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC) examined the application pursuant to its mandated responsibilities under the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut* Surface Rights Tribunal Act and the Department of Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Act.

CIRNAC has no comments on the submitted plan as the activities are already completed.

The proponent is reminded that all plan are to be submitted pursuant to Part B (5) of the license that details that plans include a proposed timetable for implementation. Plans submitted, cannot be undertaken without subsequent written Board approval and direction. The Board may alter or modify a Plan if necessary to achieve the legislative objectives and will notify the Licensee in writing of acceptance, rejection or alteration of the Plan. It is recommended that an Inspector verify the completion of these activities and provide a recommendation to the board in the absence of a timely review.

The applicant should also provide confirmation from the Nunavut Water Board that all outstanding water license fees have been paid in full prior to approval of this Plan.

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact me at (867) 975-4295 or andrew.keim@rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

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