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Dear Ms. Meyer:

Re: Review of 2000 Annual Report - Cullaton Lake Gold Mine - NWB1CUL9902

Please accept this letter as notification that the 2000 Annual Report submitted by Homestake Canada Inc. as required under licence NWB1CUL9902 Part B, Item 3 has been reviewed and found satisfactory.

Attached for your records is the 2000 Compliance Report; compliance reports are prepared annually in order to assess the Licensee's compliance with the terms and conditions of their licence. As in 1999, the company failed to report on consultations with local organizations and residents. Since restoration activities are to be completed in 2001, the Licensee is urged to communicate the nature of the closure activities to the public and include a summary of such consultations in the 2001 Annual Report.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number above or by e-mail at [johnsonmi@inac.gc.ca](mailto:johnsonmi@inac.gc.ca).

Sincerely,

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