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File No: 1BR-CUL1118/TR/D8(d) & (e)

January 16, 2012

Mr. Paul Brugger Site Manager Cullaton Lake Barrick Gold Inc. 171 Copper Cliff Rd E Neebing, ON P7L 0B6

Email: pbrugger@eplornet.com

Subject: Submission of 2011 Tailings Dam Examination – 1BR-CUL1118

Dear Mr. Brugger:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of a submission from Barrick Gold Inc. entitled 2011 Tailings Dam Examination, received on January 3, 2012, as a requirement of Part D, Item 8 (d) and (e) of water license 1BR-CUL1118. This submission has been placed on the NWB public registry and is available from the NWB ftp site, *Username*: public, *Password*: registry.

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Sincerely,

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