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File No: 1BR-FOD

February 2, 2006

Philip Warren
Defence Construction Canada
Constitution Square, Suite 1720
350 Albert Street
Ottawa ON K1A 0K3

Subject: Defence Construction Canada – FOX-3 – DEW-Line Cleanup - New – Type “B”

Dear Mr. Warren:

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) acknowledges receipt of your new application for a Type “B” water license on January 5, 2006, for water use and waste disposal associated with cleanup operations for the FOX-3 DEW-Line, in the Qikiqtani region of Nunavut. All documents received, and pertaining to the application, can be obtained from our ftp site (<http://ftp.nunavut.ca>) in “nwb /1BR/ 1BR-FOD. They include the following:

- cover letter dated December 13, 2005
- water license application form, received January 5, 2006
- supplementary questionnaire, received December 13, 2005
- Inuktitut & English summary, received December 13, 2005
- Spill Contingency Plan received February 1, 2006
- MSDS Sheets received February 1, 2006

We undertook a preliminary review of your application and conclude that it meets the requirements of section 48(1) of the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* (“Act”). This said, I must inform you that the NWB reserves the right to request additional information and studies pursuant to sections 48(2) of the Act or, alternatively, issue guidelines for the provision of information pursuant to section 48(3) of the Act.

The NWB Technical Advisor Sarah Gagne (867) 873-8948 assigned to your application may be in touch with you to clarify any technical details related to your application.

This application is within an area where there is no land use plan approved in accordance with Part 5 of Article 11 of the NLCA, and is therefore not subject to the requirements of Section 38 (1) to 38 (5) of the Act.

Any comments on this file should be referred to as file number 1BR-FOD.

Finally, by copy of this letter to the distribution list and the enclosed notice of application sent to the council of the municipality or municipalities most affected by your application, we invite interested persons to make representation directly to the NWB **within 30 days from the date of this letter.** Take note that included in the application is a Spill Response Plan which requires review and comment. The NWB may provide additional procedural instructions once the application has been reviewed by interested parties.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Richard Dwyer
Licensing Trainee

Enclosure: Notice of Application

Cc: Qikiqtani Distribution List