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May 15, 2001

Ms. Eva Schulz, P.Ag., Environmental Scientist UMA Engineering Ltd. 2540 Kensington Road NW Calgary, AB T2N 3S3

Re: Application Acknowledgement and for PIN-3 Lady Franklin Point

Dear Ms. Schulz:

Further to my letter dated May 7, 2001, I am sending further information with regards to the requirement for posting a notice for this application.

I have been asked by the Board to inform you that a <u>notice of your application is required</u>. This notice of requirement is based on Article 13.3.14 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), which states that the Board should take "...all steps necessary by way of notice...to provide and promote public awareness [of hearings]."

Accordingly, please have the enclosed notice in both English and Inuinaqtun published in a two-column width format in the **News North** as per enclosed "Instructions for Publication of Notice in Newspaper." The Applicant is responsible for payment of the publication.

Upon request from the public, we ask you to make available, free of charge, copies of all documents pertaining to this application. Any person who is affected by this application or concerned with it, may submit a letter of concern, which must be submitted to the Board within the period of time shown on the public notice.

Please note that the confirmation of notice posting, must be submitted to our office before your application process will be completed.

Please call the undersigned at (867)360-6338 or rbecker@polarnet.ca if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Rita Becker Licensing Administrator

Enclosures

cc. Natalie Plato, UMA Engineering Paul Smith, DIAND Paula Pacholek, EC Gladys Joudrey, NIRB Chris Nichols, DSD