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Northern Development Canada

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**RE: WATER LICENCE APPLICATION – HOPE LAKE REMEDIATION
        PROJECT**

Dear Ms. Beaulieu:

Please find enclosed a Water Licence Application from Aboriginal Affairs and
Northern Development Canada (AANDC) for the Hope Lake Remediation
Project.

The Hope Lake Remediation Project includes five (5) individual sites that have
been grouped together for efficiency and cost effectiveness. The largest of the
five sites is Hope Lake; the others are satellite sites and include Husky Creek
and Willow Creek – includes South Cabins and Southwest Cabin. Husky Creek
is located approximately 16 kilometres from Hope Lake. Willow Creek is located
approximately 20 kilometres from Hope Lake. The nearest community is
Kugluktuk, located 75 kilometres to the northeast of Hope Lake.

In addition to a Water Licence, AANDC is applying for a Land Use Permit from
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada and an Access to Inuit
Owned Land Permit from the Kitikmeot Inuit Association.   This application
package includes:

APPENDIX	TITLE
1	NIRB Part 1 Form (English, Inuinnaqtun & Inuktitut)
2	NIRB Part 2 Form (PSIR)
3	Executive Summary (English, Inuinnaqtun & Inuktitut)
4	Remedial Action Plan
5	Site Maps and Drawings
6	Environmental Screening
7	Project Schedule
8	Archaeological Impact Assessment
9	List of Additional Documents
10	Site Specific Health & Safety Plan

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Please note that the Hope Lake Remediation Project will be following the recommendations made in the Remedial Action Plan (Appendix 4).

If you have any questions or require additional information please contact the Project Manager, Mark Yetman, at (867) 975-4733 or via e-mail at mark.yetman@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

Natalie Plato
Director, Lands and Contaminated Sites

cc: Mark Yetman, Project Manager, AANDC

Encl: Water Licence Application Package – Hope Lake Remediation Project