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NWB File No: NWB5LON

April 30, 2003

Ms. Eva Schulz, P.Ag.
UMA Engineering Ltd.
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Re: Application Acknowledgement and Requirement for Notice of the Application for the FOX-2 Longstaff Bluff DEW Line Clean-up

Dear Ms. Schulz:

The Nunavut Water Board acknowledges receipt on March 3, 2003 of your water licence application, filed on behalf of Defence Construction Canada for the FOX-2 Longstaff Bluff DEW Line Clean-up Project. Your application included the following items:

- cover letter dated February 25, 2003
- Project description in English ONLY
- application form
- supplementary questionnaire
- appendix II contingency plans
- Appendix III Maps and figures
- Appendix IV 2002 Due Diligence Inspection Results and Conclusions

Since Defence Construction Canada is a Government Agency, it has been determined that the application fee can be waived. **In order to complete your application we require your project description in Inuktitut.**

This project is currently being screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board for their determination as to whether they require further review, or if it can be processed by the Nunavut Water Board.

I have been asked by the Board to inform you that a notice of your application is required. 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, a notice in both English and Inuktitut will be posted for a period of 30 days, with local establishments in Qikiqtarjuaq and Pangnirtung. Copy of the notice will be available to you during the distribution process.

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

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Phyllis Beaulieu
A/Licensing Administrator