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File: 1BR-LTU0608 Renewal

January 30, 2009

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**Subject: Transport Canada Environmental Affairs; Renewal Application for the LTU Project;
Licence 1BR-LTU0608**

Dear Mr. Molinski;

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") would like to acknowledge the receipt on January 5, 2009 of the application for renewal of water Licence 1BR-LTU0608. The application has undergone a preliminary-technical review and a number of issues with the application have been identified that require a response:

1. The NWB has not been in receipt of the 2006 or 2007 Annual Reports. The 2008 Annual Report is to be received by the NWB no later than March 31st, 2009. The requirement for submitting Annual Reports can be found under Part B Item 2 of the Licence;
2. The NWB has not been in receipt of design drawings, construction reports, as-built drawings or any other documentation for the landfarm as required under Part E Item 4;
3. The NWB has not approved the submitted Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Plan. The Plan should be resubmitted with the renewal and include the changes specified in a letter dated December 15, 2008 from the NWB;
4. The NWB has not been in receipt of an Abandonment and Restoration Plan. The requirement for submitting an Abandonment and Restoration Plan 6 months prior to the expiry of the Licence can be found under Part I Item 1; and
5. The NWB has not been in receipt of a Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) Plan. The requirement for submitting a QA/QC Plan can be found under Part J Item 7.

At this time, the NWB is unable to process the application further without the information requested above. Once all the information is provided, the application will be deemed complete and the renewal process can proceed with a thirty (30) day distribution of the application for review and comment by interested persons.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (867) 360-6338, at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Original signed by:

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Technical Advisor