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

Re: Application Acknowledgement and Requirement for Notice for the Amendment of Application for Fox-5, Qikiqtarjuaq DEW Line Site

Dear Ms. Schulz:

The Nunavut Water Board acknowledges receipt on February 19, 2003 of an amendment application, filed on behalf of Defence Canada Construction, for the Clean Up of Fox-5, Broughton Island Dew Line Site. The following documents were received:

- cover letter dated February 14, 2003
- application form
- letter of February 12, 2003 from UMA Engineering to NIRB re screening decision 01DN004
- design drawings
- landfarm construction details and summary of impacts
- temporary cutoff trench report

Since Defence Construction Canada is a Federal Government Agency, it has been determined that the application fee can be waived. To complete the administrative requirements of this application we require an executive summary in both English and Inuktitut. Please forward electronically.

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 <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, a notice in both English and Inuktitut will be posted for a period of 30 days, with local establishments in Qikiqtarjuaq and Pangnirtung.

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

Enclosures

cc. Paul Smith, DIAND
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