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Re: Dew-Line Fox-5, Qikiqtarjuaq – AMENDMENT to original application

Dear Parties:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB) initially received an application from UMA Engineering Ltd. on behalf of Defence Construction Canada in *April of 2001* for water use and waste disposal activities with regards to a camp and dew-line clean-up activities. On *August 10*, 2001, the NWB sent a letter to UMA Engineering Ltd. indicating that it would be necessary to hold a public hearing for this application because of the public concerns that had been raised. UMA Engineering Ltd. responded on *August 31*, 2001 asking NWB to put the application on hold until further information could be gathered.

On January 22, 2002, the NWB received a letter, a copy of which is being attached to this letter, dated January 22, 2002 providing an amendment to their original application. The NWB will now continue processing the application.

The NWB is accepting written comments or concerns with regards to the application and the amendment application prior to **February 15, 2002.** Specifically, the NWB requests comments from the <u>Hamlet of Qikiqtarjuaq</u> in order that NWB may get an assessment on whether or not their previous concerns have been sufficiently addressed in the amendment to the application. The NWB may waive the requirement for a public hearing if no public concern is expressed.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Rita Becker Licensing Administrator

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