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NWB File No: NWB5RES9803

April 25, 2003

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Re: Application Acknowledgement and Requirement for Notice of the Application for Clean-up and Remediation of Abandoned USAF Military Radar Station (BAF-5)

Dear Ms. Plato:

The Nunavut Water Board acknowledges receipt on April 7, 2003 of your water licence renewal application, for the Clean-up Project of BAF-5 Military Radar Station. Your application included the following items:

- Application form
- executive summary in English AND Inuktitut
- supplementary questionnaire
- Maps
- Environmental screening report
- Spill Plan
- Project summary drawings

Since INAC is a Government Agency, it has been determined that the application fee can be waived.

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 Iqaluit and Kimmirut. 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