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BY FACSIMILE (403) 360-6369

Dear Dionne;

**Re: Water Licence Application - Monopros Ltd. - Mineral Exploration - Kikerk Lake**

On behalf of the Environmental Protection Branch (EPB), Environment Canada, I have reviewed the information submitted with the above licence application.

EPB's contribution to your request for specialist advice is based primarily on the mandated responsibilities for the enforcement of Section 36 of the *Fisheries Act* and the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act* (CEPA). On the basis of the information provided, EPB believes that the above noted project has the potential to affect fish pursuant to the *Fisheries Act*.

**Comments and Recommendations**

1. The proponent shall ensure that any chemicals, fuel or wastes associated with the proposed project do not enter waters frequented by fish. All sumps, spill basins and fuel caches should be located a minimum of thirty (30) metres from the normal high water mark of and in such a manner that no fuel or wastes can enter any such waterbody.
2. No drilling shall take place within 30 meters of the normal high water mark of any waterbody.
3. Chemical additives or drilling muds used in connection with this drilling program shall be disposed of such that they do not enter any waterbody.
4. The deposition of slash, drill cuttings, debris or sediment into any waterbody is prohibited. These materials shall be disposed of above the high water mark in such a fashion that they do not enter the water.
5. The permittee shall not erect camps or store material on the surface ice of lakes or streams.




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6. EPB shall be advised of any material changes to operating plans or conditions associated with this land use activity.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (403) 920-6053 with any questions or comments regarding the foregoing.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anne Wilson".

Anne Wilson  
Water Pollution Specialist

cc: Steve Harbicht (Head, Assessment & Monitoring, EPB)  
Neil Scott (Inspector, EPB)