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May 1, 1998

Mr. Joe Ahmad Executive Director Nunavut Impact Review Board Cambridge Bay, NT X0E 0C0 Taxed 1/V/98 PAP

Subject:

Sisson Project - Request for Screening

Dear Mr. Ahmad.

The Nunavut Water Board received a request to renew licence NWB2SIS from Cogema dated March 25, 1998 for the Kiggavik/Sisson project. You will find herewith a copy of Cogema's letter and Permit No. NWB2SIS, which is due to expire on May 31, 1998. Although this company has prepared a conceptual decommissioning plan for this property, a copy of which was already sent to your office, they would like to maintain a valid approval from the Nunavut Water Board should a decision to resume work in the future be made.

In accordance with applicable provisions of the *Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada*, the Nunavut Water Board requests that this project be screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board to determine whether it has significant impact potential, and whether it requires review, before the application can be processed by the Nunavut Water Board.

Please do not hesitate to contact the NWB should you require additional information regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Philippe di Pizzo Executive Director

c.c. Kristin Pletch, Cogema Resources Inc.