



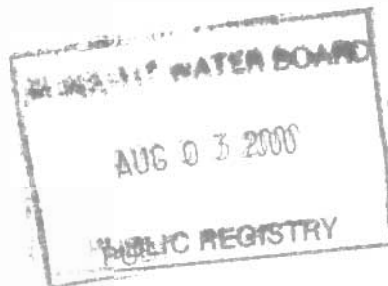
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Dear Lorna Porter:

Re: NWB Water Licence Application NWB2WET - Wet Coast Capital Corp. - Exploration Camp Relocation - Muskox North mineral property, south of Kugluktuk, NT.

On behalf of the Environmental Protection Branch (EPB), Environment Canada I have reviewed the information submitted with the above application, and recommend the following conditions for inclusion in the water licence. This advice is provided pursuant to Section 12(3) of the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act* (CEAA), and is based primarily on EPB's mandated responsibilities for the enforcement of the *Canadian Environmental Act* (CEPA) and Section 36 of the *Fisheries Act*. It is a requirement of Section 36 of the *Fisheries Act* that all effluent discharge into water frequented by fish be non-deleterious.

- The proponent shall ensure that any fuel or wastes associated with the proposed project do not enter waters frequented by fish. All sumps, spill basins, and fuel stores should be located a minimum of thirty (30) metres from the normal high water mark of, and such that they do not enter any water body.
- The proponent shall not deposit nor permit the deposit of slash, debris or sediment into any water body. These materials shall be disposed of above the high water mark in such a fashion that they do not enter the water.
- EPB should be advised of any material changes to plans or operating conditions associated with this land use activity.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 669-4736 with any questions or comments regarding the foregoing.

Yours truly,

Wade Romanko
Aquatic Environmental Officer

cc: Sid Bruinsma (EPB Inspector/Investigator)

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