



July 9, 2007

Andrew Mitchell, Project Manager  
Wolfden Resources Inc.  
401-1113 Jade Court  
Thunder Bay, Ontario P7B 6M7

Via email: [andrew.mitchell@zinifex.com](mailto:andrew.mitchell@zinifex.com)

**Re: Wolfden/Zinifex Supplemental Information Received - July 5, 2007**

Dear Andrew Mitchell:

Thank you for your submission of July 5, 2007 entitled “High Lake Project Proposal Volume 10 – Supplemental Information”. This information was submitted in response to the Nunavut Impact Review Board’s (NIRB or Board) June 4, 2007 correspondence to Wolfden, whereby the NIRB suggested that your project proposal qualified as a draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), subject to Wolfden providing supplemental information to address deficiencies previously identified by Parties through the commenting process. The Supplemental Information has been uploaded to the NIRB ftp site and can be viewed using the following link:

[http://ftp.nunavut.ca/nirb/NIRB\\_REVIEWS/CURRENT\\_REVIEWS/06MN082-WOLFDEN\\_HIGH\\_LAKE/1-SCREENING/01-APPLICATION/061122-Project%20Proposal/070706-Supplemental%20Information/](http://ftp.nunavut.ca/nirb/NIRB_REVIEWS/CURRENT_REVIEWS/06MN082-WOLFDEN_HIGH_LAKE/1-SCREENING/01-APPLICATION/061122-Project%20Proposal/070706-Supplemental%20Information/)

Be advised that this supplemental information should be considered as part of the overall project proposal and is subject to any technical review by the NIRB or any other interested party.

After a cursory review of this supplemental information, the NIRB is of the opinion that the project proposal now meets the requirements of a draft EIS in accordance with section 12.5.2 (a-j) and NIRB’s 10 Minimum EIS Requirements. Therefore, by copy of this correspondence to Interested Parties, NIRB is requesting comments in regard to whether any Parties believe the current proposal does not meet the requirements of a draft EIS. Please provide these comments to Leslie Payette, NIRB Manager of Environmental Administration ([lpayette@nirb.nunavut.ca](mailto:lpayette@nirb.nunavut.ca)) by **July 18, 2007**.

Also, you may recall that in the June 4, 2007 letter, the NIRB stated that a final decision on the Project Scope is expected one week after the deadline for scoping comments (extended to July 13, 2007 in correspondence from the NIRB dated June 14, 2007 – therefore, the final decision will be made by July 20, 2007).

For your information, the NIRB is currently conducting community visits throughout the Kitikmeot Region as part of the Part 5 Review of this project. The purpose of these visits is to advise communities of the Minister’s decision and NIRB’s response, as well as to seek citizen’s comments regarding the scope of this project. These community visits will be completed by July 13, 2007.

Sincerely,



Kevin Buck, Director of Technical Services  
Nunavut Impact Review Board

Cc     The Honourable Jim Prentice, PC, QC, MP  
       The Honourable Gary Lunn, PC, MP  
       The Honourable Loyola Hearn, PC, MP  
       The Honourable Lawrence Cannon, PC, MP  
       The Honourable Paul Okalik  
       Mr. Paul Kaludjak  
       Mr. Jean-Claude Bouchard  
       Mr. William Tilleman  
       Ms. Stephanie Briscoe  
       Wolfden High Lake Distribution List