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## 8WLC-ESG Application for water use / waste deposit without licence

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Dear Capt Pelletier-Bedard

This email is with respect to the request submitted to the Board on January 27, 2014 seeking an authorization for water use and/or waste disposal without licence. The review of submitted documents did show that no authorization is required for the stated exercises as no water use or waste disposal is involved.

It was noted that the Block 12 "Quantity and Quality of Waste Involved" indicates that some wastes may be open burned? If this is the case I would like to emphasize that open burning is not generally a recommended waste disposal/treatment practice.

However, if the open burning is the only practical way to deal with the stated wastes, the *Government of Nunavut's Environmental Guideline on the Burning and Incineration of Solid Wastes (January 2012)* should be followed. Any residual waste and/or ashes shall be collected and disposed of (i.e. incinerator ash after every burn), in an appropriate and approved facility.

It is also recommended to contact and inform the Government of Nunavut, Department of Environment about proposed activities.

Regards

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