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File No: 2BE-BKL0609

November 28, 2007

Mr. Matthew Pickard, B.Sc. Hon, P.Geo, MBA, CRSP, CCEP Safety, Health and Environment Manager De Beers Canada Inc. Exploration Division 65 Overlea Boulevard, Suite 300 Toronto ON M4H 1P1

Email: Teresa.Gillespie@ca.debeersgroup.com

<u>Subject: De Beers Canada Inc. – Baker Lake Exploration Project – Withdrawal of Application to</u> Amend License

Dear Mr. Pichard:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB) acknowledges receipt of letter of withdrawal of the amendment to water license 2BE-BKL0609.

It is our understanding that at this time there are no plans for uranium exploration or for the establishment of a temporary camp. Please ensure that your annual report, due on March 31, 2008 reflects these deferments.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing

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