

August 31, 2012

Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing Nunavut Water Board P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU X0B 1J0 Via Email: <u>licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org</u>

Re: Request for Closure – Type "B" Nunavut Water License 2BE-PIX0510

Dear Ms Beaulieu.

Enclosed please find a duly completed application requesting the closure of the above referenced license which expired on August 1, 2010. This license was issued to Ashton Mining (Northwest Territories) Ltd. which is a wholly owned subsidiary of Stornoway Diamond Corporation.

Please note that no water use or waste disposal was conducted under the authority of 2BE-PIX0510 and therefore there are no reclamation activities to report.

I will contact you via telephone to arrange a credit card payment of \$30.00 for the requisite cancellation fee for this application as well as any outstanding water use fees that may be payable in association with this authorization.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence please contact the undersigned at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

STORNOWAY DIAMOND CORPORATION

Per:

Nicote Westcott

Manager of Community and Regulatory Affairs – Exploration

Enclosures:

Application for Water License Cancellation – 2BE-PIX0510

Closure Summary (English)- 2BE-PIX0510 Closure Summary (Inuktitut)- 2BE-PIX0510