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Doris North Project Distribution List

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Re: Comment Request for Hope Bay Mining Ltd.'s Doris North Project Wildlife
Mitigation and Monitoring Program - 2012 Annual Report and Updated Wildlife
Mitigation and Monitoring Program

Dear Parties:

On February 18, 2013 and March 28, 2013 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received Hope Bay Mining Ltd.'s (HBML)¹ *Doris North Project Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Program - 2012 Annual Report* (WMMP 2012 Annual Report) and the *Updated Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan* respectively.

The WMMP 2012 Annual Report and the Updated Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan can be accessed from the NIRB's online public registry at the following links:

WMMP 2012 Annual Report

http://ftp.nirb.ca/03-MONITORING/05MN047-DORIS%20NORTH%20GOLD%20MINE/02-MONITORING%20AND%20MANAGEMENT%20PLANS/WILDLIFE%20MITIGATION%20MONITORING%20PLAN/02-REPORTS/2012/

Updated Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan

http://ftp.nirb.ca/03-MONITORING/05MN047-DORIS%20NORTH%20GOLD%20MINE/02-MONITORING%20AND%20MANAGEMENT%20PLANS/WILDLIFE%20MITIGATION%20MONITORING%20PLAN/01-PLAN/

In keeping with the NIRB's responsibilities to monitor the Doris North Project pursuant to Section 12.7 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement the NIRB requests that interested parties review this document and provide comments with respect to their jurisdictions and areas of expertise by **June 19, 2013**.

Please send your comments to the NIRB at info@nirb.ca or via fax at (867) 983-2594.

¹ Note that the NIRB received confirmation on April 11, 2013 that TMAC Resources Inc. had acquired the Doris North Project from Hope Bay Mining Ltd. and on April 11, 2013 re-issued the NIRB Project Certificate No. 004 to TMAC Resources Ltd.

If you have any questions or require clarification, feel free to contact me directly at (867) 983-4619 or kgillard@nirb.ca.

Sincerely,

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