

File No. **2AM-DOH0713 Renewal**

June 14, 2013

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Re: Notice of June 18, 2013 Teleconference Technical Meeting/Pre-Hearing Conference Regarding the Application for Amendment and Renewal of Type 'A" Water Licence No. 2AM-DOH0713

Dear Ms. Farrow and Mr. Hanks:

Further to communication with the parties on June 12, 2013 by David Hohnstein, the Nunavut Water Board's (the NWB or Board), Director of Technical Services, due to various circumstances, the Technical Meeting and Pre-Hearing Conference (TM/PHC) teleconference set for June 14, 2013 to address the amendment and renewal application of the Doris North Project Water Licence has been postponed for a short period. Although the Board recognizes the importance of adhering to established timelines, regrettably, a short postponement was necessary to accommodate significant scheduling conflicts, to allow for a more complete review by the Board's technical staff and to allow for a response to the submissions of the parties by the Applicant.

As indicated in the Board's recent communication with the parties, a few tentative dates in the week of June 17-21 have been considered for the rescheduled TM/PHC but, reflecting that several key participants are unavailable during the latter part of the upcoming week, the NWB is providing notice that the rescheduled Technical Meeting/Pre-Hearing Conference will now take place on **Tuesday**, **June 18**, **2013**.



The TM/PHC will be conducted by telephone as follows:

Date: June 18, 2013

Start: 07:00 a.m. MT (9:00 a.m. EST) Dial-In Number: 1-888-289-4573 Participant Passcode: 8204234#

Please register your attendance by email to Phyllis Beaulieu, Manager of Licensing at licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org, no later than 3:00 pm Mountain Time on Monday, June 17, 2013.

A copy of the Pre-Hearing Agenda is attached. Technical review comments received from the Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA) which have recently uploaded, Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) and Environment Canada (EC) are available on the NWB Public Registry and at the Board's ftp site using the following access (Username: public and Password: registry) and link:

ftp://nunavutwaterboard.org/1%20PRUC/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-DOH0713%20HBML/2%20ADMIN/3%20SUBMISSIONS/

or by contacting this office.

The NWB apologizes for any inconvenience this late re-scheduling may have caused. Should you have any inquiries on technical matters related to the above, please contact David Hohnstein, Director Technical Services at (780) 443-4406 or by email to dts@nunavutwaterboard.org. For inquiries on procedural matters, please contact Phyllis Beaulieu, Manager of Licensing, at (867) 360-6338 or by email to licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing

Cc: Doris Distribution List



TECHNICAL MEETING/PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE DORIS NORTH PROJECT TELECONFERENCE

JUNE 18, 2013 7:00 a.m. MT; 9:00 a.m. EST

Dial-in Number Toll Free 1-877-579-4178 Participant Passcode 807543#

- 1. Introduction and Registration
- 2. Application to the Board
- 3. Purpose of the Technical Meeting/Pre-Hearing Conference
- 4. Pre-Hearing Review of the Application
 - a. Presentation on current status of project
 - b. Identification of Interested Parties
 - c. Presentation from Interested Parties
 - d. Formulation of Issues
 - e. Identification and Service of Documents to Parties (deadline, public registry, form)
 - f. Translation Requirements and the Hearing Record
- 5. Hearing
 - a. July 12, 2013 (written hearing)
 - b. Directions to be issued following the Pre-Hearing Conference
- 6. Other Issues
- 7. Closing of the Technical Meeting/Pre-Hearing Conference