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Sent via Email: <u>licensing@nwb-oen.ca</u>; <u>derek.donald@nwb-oen.ca</u>

Re: Notification to the Nunavut Water Board regarding construction of approved Pad U on the Doris Site.

Dear Mr. Donald,

TMAC Resources Inc. (TMAC) is providing notification to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) regarding construction and subsequent operation of Pad U located at the Doris Site of TMAC's Hope Bay Project (see layout in Attachment A). The construction of Pad U was proposed and approved as part of Amendment No. 1 of Project Certificate No.003 and Type 'A' Water Licence 2AM-DOH1323. Pad U is designed to function as a general laydown area and temporary ore or waste rock storage pad.

As described in the Application¹, in the event that Pad U was used for temporary storage of ore, all contact water was to be collected in a sedimentation/pollution control pond constructed immediately downstream of Pad U, to ensure proper water management. The design criteria for Pad U, in addition to the associated detail design drawings, were provided in *Package* 6 (document *P6-11*) of the Application.

TMAC is notifying the NWB it plans to construct the approved Pad U and associated water management structures as per the Application and commence construction in January 2019. Additionally, TMAC notifies the NWB that it plans to use Pad U as both a general laydown area, temporary ore and waste rock storage area as proposed, reviewed and approved as part of Amendment No. 1 of Type 'A' Water Licence 2AM-DOH1323.

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 $^{^1}$ TMAC Resources Inc., Application for Amendment No. 1 of Project Certificate No.003 and Water Licence 2AM-DOH1323. Submitted June 15, 2015.

Should you have any further questions please feel free to contact me at <u>oliver.curran@tmacresources.com</u>.

Sincerely,

Oliver Curran

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Attachments:

Attachment A: Pad U General Layout



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