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VIA EMAIL

**Re: 2AM-DOH1323 Notification of Effluent Discharge from Containment Areas ST-4, ST-5, ST-6A, ST-6B, ST-1, ST-2, and TL-1**

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Dear Eva,

Please be advised that TMAC Resources Inc., under Part G: Item 1 of the Hope Bay Type A Water Licence, is providing written notice to the Inspector prior to our planned discharges of accumulated water from Fuel Containment Facilities ST-4, ST-5, ST-6A and ST-6B, as well as initiation of annual discharges from the sedimentation (ST-1) and pollution (ST-2) control ponds and the Tailings impoundment facility (Tail Lake; TL-1) at the Doris North Project site.

Water will only be discharged to the environment after receipt of compliant water quality results as per applicable licence requirements. The water quality results as well as actual volume of water removed from the berms will be included in our monthly regulatory reports.

The estimated volumes for the fuel berms are presented below, as are the tundra discharge locations (Table 1). As approved in previous years, we would like to request the option to use the compliant berm water for dust suppression on the Doris North Project roads.

Table 1. Fuel Containment Facility Estimated Volumes to be Discharged and Discharge Locations.

<b>Fuel Containment Facility</b>	<b>Estimated Discharge Volume</b>	<b>Proposed Discharge Location (UTM Nad 83)</b>
ST-4	150 m3	13W 0432450 7559600
ST-5	100 m3	13W 0432960 7559270
ST-6A	200 m3	13W 0432973 7563440
ST-6B	600 m3	13W 0432730 7563200

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this notification and feel free to contact me if you have any questions at [Katsky.venter@tmacresources.com](mailto:Katsky.venter@tmacresources.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Katsky Venter', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Katsky Venter

Environmental Site Manager

Hope Bay Project

cc. Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board

John Roesch, Kitikmeot Inuit Association