



NIRB File No.: 00MN059

DATE: January 19, 2006

TO: Jericho Distribution List

RE: Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan – Deadline for comments

Dear Parties,

The deadline for comments on the Wildlife Mitigation and Monitoring Plan (WMMP) for the Jericho Diamond Project was January 13, 2006. As of that date, the Nunavut Impact review Board (NIRB) had received comments from the Kitikmeot Inuit Association and Environment Canada. Those comments have been posted to NIRB's ftp site at the following link:

ftp://ftp.nunavut.ca/nirb/00MN059%20JERICOH_MONITORING/Monitoring%20&%20Management%20Plans/Wildlife%20Mitigation%20&%20Monitoring%20Plan/Correspondence/

In addition to the comments received, the Government of Nunavut Department of Environment (GN-DoE), submitted a letter to NIRB on January 16, 2006, stating that GN-DoE is unable to provide feedback on the WMMP until March 17, 2006, due to the high volume of development projects currently under review.

GN-DoE is an important party in the approval process of the WMMP and has provided comments on previous drafts. However, prior to making a decision on whether or not to grant an extension to GN-DoE, NIRB would like to hear comments on this proposal from concerned parties. Please submit your comments on the GN-DoE review extension request to Gladys Joudrey (gjoudrey@nirb.nunavut.ca) **no later than January 25, 2006.**

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

(Original signed by)

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Encl. GN-DoE Extension Request