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NWB File No: NWB1JER9801

August 29, 2001


Mr. Greg Missal
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Subject: Extension to Licence NWB1JER9801

Dear Mr. Missal:

The Nunavut Water Board has approved (**Motion #: 2001-41**) your application to extend licence NWB1JER9801 for one year until December 31, 2002, or until the water licence for the mine development at Jericho is issued if prior to December 31, 2002. All terms and conditions of licence NWB1JER9801 are an integral part of this approval.

Sincerely,


Philippe di Pizzo
Executive Director

cc. Paul Smith, DIAND-Water Resources, Iqaluit
Philippe Lavallee, DIAND-Inspector
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June 15, 2001

Mr. Bruce Ott
Environmental Scientist
Tahera Corporation
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RE: Amendment to Licence No: NWBJER9801

Dear Mr. Ott,

I am pleased to send to you Amendment No. 1 to Licence NWBJER9801 duly approved by the Nunavut Water Board pursuant to its authority under Article 13 of the *Agreement between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada*.

Any communication or correspondence with respect to this Licence shall be made in writing to the attention of Mr. Philippe di Pizzo, Executive Director of the Nunavut Water Board, at the address indicated above.

We trust everything will be to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,

Philippe di Pizzo
Executive Director

Enclosure: Amendment No.1 for NWBJER9801

Distribution List

LICENCE AMENDMENT No. 1

Licensee:	Tahera Corporation
Licence No:	NWBJER9801
Effective Date:	June 20, 2001

Pursuant to its authority under Article 13 of the *Agreement between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada*, the Nunavut Water Board hereby grants the following Licence Amendment allowing Tahera Corporation to conduct a pilot spray irrigation study to determine the effect of hydraulic loading on the flow grounds, saturation levels and hydraulic pathways.

The Licence issued on December 2, 1998 shall be amended to include the following terms and conditions:

PART C: CONDITIONS FOR THE WATER USE

- AMEND #3. The daily quantity of water used for all domestic purposes shall not exceed 150 cubic metres. The total maximum quantity allowable for the "Pilot Spray Irrigation Study" is 4500 cubic metres.
- INSERT #5. The Licensee shall obtain all freshwater for the "Pilot Spray Irrigation Study" from Lake C3 or as otherwise approved by the Board.

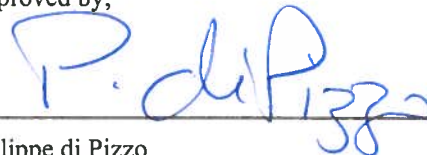
PART E: CONDITIONS APPLYING TO THE UNDERTAKING

- INSERT 16. The Licensee shall not do anything that will cause erosion of the banks of any body of water on or adjacent to the land and shall provide necessary control to prevent such erosion.
- INSERT 17. Sediment and erosion control measures shall be implemented prior to and maintained during the operation to prevent entry of sediment into water.
- INSERT 18. All activities shall be conducted in such a way as to minimize impacts to surface drainage and the Licensee shall immediately undertake any corrective measures in the event of any impacts on surface drainage.
- INSERT 19. The Licensee shall minimize potential for thermal erosion due to channeling or ponding and implement preventative measures.
- INSERT 20. The Licensee shall discharge freshwater to the "Spray Irrigation Area" east of Lake C3 as shown on Map A submitted with the application for amendment dated February 28, 2001.

All terms and conditions of the Licence issued on December 2, 1998 still apply.

This Licence Amendment issued and recorded at Gjoa Haven on June 20, 2001.

Approved by,



Philippe di Pizzo
Executive Director



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DECISION

LICENCE NUMBER: NWB1JER9801

This is the decision of the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) with respect to an application dated August 21, 1998 for the renewal of Licence N7L2-1666 originally issued by the Northwest Territories Water Board, by:

Lytton Minerals Limited

for prospecting, continued surface drilling, on-ice drilling, underground drilling, operation of the bulk sample plant, domestic use and associated activities, environmental baseline data collection, demobilization of equipment and potentially future underground bulk sampling.

DECISION

After having been satisfied that the application did not require screening pursuant to Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement, the NWB decided that the application could proceed, with the exception of the issue of the financial assurance which will be the object of a separate hearing. After reviewing the submission of the Applicant, the NWB, having given due regard to the facts and circumstances, to the purpose, scope and intent of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement, determined that:

Licence Number NWB1JER9801 be issued subject to the terms and conditions contained therein (Motion # 98-10-06).

SIGNED this day 22nd day of December 1998 at Gjoa Haven, NT.

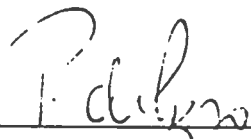

Philippe di Pizzo
Executive Director

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