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Ms. Stephanie Autut
Executive Director
Nunavut Impact Review Board
P.O. Box 1360
Cambridge Bay, NU X0B 0C0

Dear Ms. Autut:

Re: Anticipated submission date for the Draft Kiggavik Environmental Impact Statement by AREVA Resources Canada Inc.

Thank you for the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) correspondence on May 3, 2011 and issuance of the final guidelines for the preparation of the Kiggavik Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). AREVA appreciates the work done by the NIRB to facilitate participation in the Kiggavik review, particularly in the development of the project specific guidelines, and on communicating regulatory expectations to AREVA.

We have reviewed the final guidelines and are targeting November 30, 2011 for a submission date for the Kiggavik DEIS. AREVA anticipates further communication with the NIRB throughout preparation of the DEIS in order to communicate progress and a continued shared understanding of regulatory expectations. Please do not hesitate to contact Diane Martens, Regulatory Coordinator, at 306-343-4042 or diane.martens@areva.ca with any questions or to request a Project update.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Frederic Guerin', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Frederic Guerin
Kiggavik General Manager

cc: Ryan Barry, Director Technical Services, NIRB
Sophia Granchinho, Technical Advisor, NIRB

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