

# LUPIN MINES INCORPORATED

July 17, 2014

Ms. Phyllis Beaulieu  
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Via Email: [Phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca](mailto:Phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca)

**Re:** Request to reschedule Technical Meeting and Pre Hearing Conference

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Dear Ms Beaulieu,

Lupin Mines Incorporated (LMI) acknowledges receipt of the Nunavut Water Board's (NWB) letter dated July 8, 2014 regarding the Notice of Application and Commencement of Technical Review Period for the renewal of LMI's Type A water licence for the Lupin Mine. The letter notes scheduling of the technical meeting and pre-hearing conference during the week of September 1, 2014 in the community of Kugluktuk.

LMI looks forward to meeting with interested parties and community members in person to discuss the renewal application. However, due to the prior and immovable scheduling of an Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) of Shareholders in Toronto on September 3, LMI's senior management is not able to attend the technical meeting and pre-hearing conference during the week of September 1. LMI believes that senior management attendance and participation in the technical meeting and pre-hearing conference is key to having productive discussions with parties, resolving technical matters and dealing with administrative matters leading to the public hearing. LMI respectfully requests that the NWB consider holding the technical meeting and pre-hearing conference the following week, or any other time in September 2014 that may be convenient for all parties. LMI appreciates that moving the meeting as per this request may result in a corresponding revision to the overall renewal timeline, however given the circumstance LMI believes this is a preferred option to better ensure the success of the technical meeting and pre-hearing conference.

LMI is committed to ongoing discussions with interested parties during the detailed technical review period and will be available via teleconferences to discuss topics of interest with parties to further facilitate preparation for the upcoming meetings in Kugluktuk. Should you require any additional information or clarification please contact our office ([klewis@elginmining.com](mailto:klewis@elginmining.com)).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Patrick Downey', with a stylized, flowing script.

Patrick Downey  
President

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         Damien Cote, NWB  
         Robin Ikkutisluk, NWB  
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