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By email

Mike Tansey
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9818 International Airport
Edmonton AB T5J 2T2

Subject: 2005 Geotechnical Inspection Perimeter Tailings Dams – Kinross Response to Engineer's Recommendations

Dear Mr. Tansey:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of Kinross Gold Corporation's letter dated October 24, 2005 regarding the above. This submission has been placed on the NWB public registry and is available from the NWB ftp site at the following link:

<http://ftp.nunavut.ca/nwb/NWB1%20MINING/NWB1LUP0008%20Lupin/2005%20Geotechnical/>

Sincerely,

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