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Our File: NWB1LUP0008-2004 Monthly
Your File: Water Register
NWB1LUP0008

Executive Director
Nunavut Water Board
P.O. Box 119
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Dear Sir:

**RE: Echo Bay Mines Ltd., Lupin Gold Mine, Contwoyto Lake, NU.; Water
License NWB1LUP0008; Surveillance Network Program Monthly Report**

As required by Part A, Item 6 of the Surveillance Network Program (Schedule 1) of Water License NWB1LUP0008, attached are three copies of our monthly report for **May 2004**.

The monthly and year-to-date water use volumes, and mill production data, are included in the report for your review.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this report, please contact:
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C. Michael Tansey".

C. Michael Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin

cc Bruce Bried
Greg Budge



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SURVEILLANCE NETWORK PROGRAM
MONTHLY REPORT

MAY 2004

- all units are in mg/L except pH which is
unitless and where otherwise indicated.

DATE	SAMPLING STATION	TEMP °C	pH	TSS	Total CN	Total As	Cd	Cu	TOTAL METALS				Hg	Ni	Pb	Zn	F-col #/100mL	BOD ₅
5-May-04	925-01	0.9	6.86	<5		0.0083	0.00001	0.001					0.0011	0.0004		0.006		

DATE	SAMPLING STATION	Total Nitrate-N	Total Nitrite-N	TK-N	NH4-N	Total Ortho-P	Total Phosph.	Total O&G	Alk.	Hard.	uS/cm Cond.
5-May-04	925-01										4.0

	MONTHLY		YTD
TOTAL FRESHWATER METERED AT PUMPHOUSE (925-01)	64,712	CUBIC METERS	222,242
PROCESS	58,961	CUBIC METERS	197,959
POTABLE	5,751	CUBIC METERS	24,283
TOTAL TAILINGS AT 925-12 (CALCULATED TO TCA)	70,266	CUBIC METERS	196,092
SOLUTION	64,257	CUBIC METERS	179,423
SOLIDS	6,009	CUBIC METERS	16,669
DRY TAILINGS SOLIDS TO BACKFILL	5,047	CUBIC METERS	14,400
QUANTITY OF ORE MILLED	31,868	TONNES	87,957
MINE WATER PUMPED FROM UNDERGROUND	3,165	CUBIC METERS	21,634
SEWAGE LAKES DISCHARGE	0	CUBIC METERS	0

COMMENTS :

Mike Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin