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Our File: NWB1LUP0008-2005 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 **March 2005**.

The monthly and year-to-date water use volumes are included in the report for your review. The mill did not operate during the month.

No effluent was discharged to the environment during the month. As such, no samples were taken for analysis.

There was an error in the February 2005 SNP report. A corrected February report is attached.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this report, please contact:
Mike Tansey, Reclamation Manager Ph: (780) 890-8797 mike.tansey@kinross.com.

Sincerely,

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

C. Michael Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin

cc Bill Goodhard



WATER LICENCE NWB1LUP0008

SURVEILLANCE NETWORK PROGRAM
MONTHLY REPORT

MARCH 2005

- 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	Hg	Ni	Pb	Zn	F-col #/100mL	BOD ₅
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Total Nitrate-N	Total Nitrite-N	TK-N	NH ₄ -N	Total Ortho-P	Total Phosph.	Total O&G	Alk.	Hard.	uS/cm Cond.
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	MONTHLY		YTD
TOTAL FRESHWATER METERED FROM PUMPHOUSE (925-01)	60,953	CUBIC METERS	181,027
PROCESS	55,163	CUBIC METERS	163,923
POTABLE	5,790	CUBIC METERS	17,104
TOTAL TAILINGS AT 925-12 (CALCULATED TO TCA)	33,790	CUBIC METERS	125,147
SOLUTION	33,790	CUBIC METERS	111,355
SOLIDS	0	CUBIC METERS	13,792
DRY TAILINGS SOLIDS TO BACKFILL	0	CUBIC METERS	0
QUANTITY OF ORE MILLED	0	TONNES	41,484
MINE WATER PUMPED FROM UNDERGROUND	1,365	CUBIC METERS	5,751
SEWAGE LAKES DISCHARGE (925-14)	0	CUBIC METERS	0

COMMENTS :

Mining and milling operations were suspended in February 2005
The property is now on care and maintenance.

Mike Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin



WATER LICENCE NWB1LUP0008

SURVEILLANCE NETWORK PROGRAM
MONTHLY REPORT

FEBRUARY 2005

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DATE	SAMPLING STATION	TEMP °C	pH	TSS	Total CN	Total As	Cd	Cu	Hg	Ni	Pb	Zn	F-col #/100mL	BOD ₅
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Total Nitrate-N	Total Nitrite-N	TK-N	NH ₄ -N	Total Ortho-P	Total Phosph.	Total O&G	Alk.	Hard.	uS/cm Cond.
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	MONTHLY		YTD
TOTAL FRESHWATER METERED FROM PUMPHOUSE (925-01)	57,806	CUBIC METERS	120,074
PROCESS	52,406	CUBIC METERS	108,759
POTABLE	5,400	CUBIC METERS	11,315
TOTAL TAILINGS AT 925-12 (CALCULATED TO TCA)	32,984	CUBIC METERS	91,357
SOLUTION	31,743	CUBIC METERS	77,565
SOLIDS	1,241	CUBIC METERS	13,792
DRY TAILINGS SOLIDS TO BACKFILL	0	CUBIC METERS	0
QUANTITY OF ORE MILLED	3,733	TONNES	41,484
MINE WATER PUMPED FROM UNDERGROUND	2,570	CUBIC METERS	5,751
SEWAGE LAKES DISCHARGE (925-14)	0	CUBIC METERS	0

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