



Lupin Operation

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Our File: NWB1LUP0008-2006 Monthly
Your File: 2AM-LUP/TR/A6

Executive Director
Nunavut Water Board
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by email

Dear Sir:

**RE: Kinross Gold Corporation, Lupin 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 is the Lupin Mine Surveillance Network Program monthly report for **October 2006**.

The monthly and year-to-date water use volumes are included in the report for your review. As reported last month, the fresh water pumphouse on Contwoyto Lake was shut down in September. All water supplied to camp in October was hauled by truck. Water tank fill levels and truck counts are documented.

As per the notice provided to the Nunavut Water Board on October 5, the Lupin camp site has been shut down for an indefinite period, effective October 30, 2006. There will be no further water usage at site for the remainder of this year.

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

signed by
Michael Tansey

C. Michael Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin

cc: Mark Ioli Shawn Healey

SURVEILLANCE NETWORK PROGRAM
MONTHLY REPORT

OCTOBER 2006

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

Log No.	Date	Sampling Station	Routine Analysis			Total CN (mg/l)	Total As (mg/l)	Total Metals (mg/l)					
			pH	Cond.	TSS			Cd	Cu	Hg	Ni	Pb	Zn

Log No.	Date	Sampling Station	Nutrient Analysis								NH4-N (mg/l)	T-Alk (mg/l)	Hard. (mg/l)
			Total Nitrate-N	Total Nitrite-N	TK-N	Total Ortho-P	Total Phosph.	Total O&G	F-col #/100mL	BOD ₅			

	MONTHLY		YTD
TOTAL FRESHWATER FROM PUMPHOUSE (925-01)	116	CUBIC METERS	45,912
POTABLE	116	CUBIC METERS	6,553
RAW WATER TO SEWAGE POND	0	CUBIC METERS	39,359
TOTAL WASTE CALCULATED TO TCA	0	CUBIC METERS	0
SOLUTION	0	CUBIC METERS	0
SOLIDS	0	CUBIC METERS	0
SEWAGE LAKES DISCHARGE (925-14)	0	CUBIC METERS	232,081

COMMENTS : All water was hauled by truck to camp from Contwoyto Lake. All loads are documented.
The Lupin campsite was shut down and abandoned on October 30, 2006. The site will remain unoccupied for the remainder of the year.

Mike Tansey
Reclamation Manager, Lupin