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**File No: 2AM-MEA0815/TR/I4**

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By email

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Subject: 2AM-MEA0815 Submission of Operational  
ARD/ML Sampling & Testing Plan

Dear Mr. Connell:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of Agnico-Eagle letter dated July 24, 2008, Re: 8BC-TEH0809 & 2AM-MEA0815 – Meadowbank Gold Project Water License Operational ARD/ML Sampling & Testing Plan (Plan).

Under terms and conditions of the licence 2AM-MEA0815:

**Part B, Item 1** This Licence incorporates two previously issued Type B licences, 8BC-TEH0809 for the All Weather Private Access Road and 8BC-MEA0709 for the Baker Lake Marshalling Facility. To the extent that any reports, studies and plans pursuant to the Type B licences are not yet received or approved by the Board, the requirement(s) becomes part of this Licence.

**Part B, Item 2** In the event of a conflict between the previously issued Type B licences and this Type A Licence, the condition of this Type A Licence prevail.

The Minister's Approval of 2AM-MEA0815 was granted July 10, 2008 which effectively invoked Part B, Item 1 of water licence 2AM-MEA0815. The Plan, due on July 9, 2008 under licence 8BC-TEH0809, is now considered a requirement of the Type "A" licence 2AM-MEA0815.

The NWB looks forward to receipt of the Plan on or before August 11, 2008.

Sincerely,

*Original signed by:*

Richard Dwyer  
Licensing Administrator