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[Licensing] Baffinland Water Licence 2AM-MRY1325 - Geotechnical Inspections Report

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Hi Phyllis.

Under Part H, Items 12 and 13 and Part D, Item 19, two geotechnical inspections are required for the projects between the months of July and September each year, the specific wording in the licence under Part H is as follows:

12. The Licensee shall undertake a geotechnical inspection on all engineered facilities designed to contain Water or Waste, to be carried out bi-annually by a Geotechnical Engineer, between the months of July and September. The inspection shall be conducted in accordance with the Canadian Dam Safety Guidelines where applicable, to include:

Pit walls

Quarries

Landfills

Landfarms

Bulk Fuel Storage Facilities

Sediment Ponds

Collection ponds

Polishing Waste Stabilization Ponds

13. The Licensee shall submit to the Board, within sixty (60) days of completion of the geotechnical inspection referred to in Part I, Item 12, a Geotechnical Engineer's Report that shall include a cover letter from the Licensee outlining an implementation plan to address the recommendations of the Geotechnical Engineer.

Our consulting geotechnical engineer completed the first geotechnical inspection in late July. The second geotechnical inspection was completed early this week. It is our intention to provide a single geotechnical inspection report that will present the results and recommendations of both inspections. As required, a cover

letter will be provided by Baffinland that outlines the implementation plan to address the recommendations. We will submit the report and cover letter within 60 days of the completion of second bi-annual inspection. The planned submission date would therefore be prior to the end of November.

We trust that you will find this reporting scheme acceptable. If you have any concerns or comments, do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,



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