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2AM-WTP1826 O&M Arsenic Water Treatment Plant V2 Re:

Dear Mr. Dwyer,

Thank you for the email notice, received on February 1, 2019, regarding the revised version (Version 2) of the 2AM-WTP1826 operation and maintenance (O&M) manual of the arsenic water treatment plant. The Water Resources Division of Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC) reviewed the O&M manual, pursuant to CIRNAC's mandated responsibilities under the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act and the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Act.

CIRNAC's recommendation regarding the previous version of the O&M manual was that it should include a step-by-step description of the operational and maintenance procedures for the operator to follow. Sections 3.5 and 3.7 of the revised version of the O&M manual added the lists of parameters and operation and maintenance checkups for the operator to monitor and perform daily. However, it would be more practical if a detailed (or step-by-step) instruction on how the daily tasks need to be executed is included for the operator to follow. Such instruction will standardize the operational and maintenance procedures and be important in avoiding or reducing human errors.

If you have any questions or require any further information with respect to this matter, please contact me at (867) 975-4555 or email david.zhong@canada.ca, or Godwin Okonkwo at (867) 975-4550 or email godwin.okonkwo@canada.ca.

Regards,

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