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Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth

Ministère de la Culture, de la Langue, des Aînés et de la Jeunesse

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Phyllis Beaulieu **Nunavut Water Board** P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, Nunavut X0B 1J0

Re: Nunavut Water Board Licence 2BB-BOS0712/G1, Modification to Sewage Disposal Facility at Boston Advanced Exploration project (C. Hanks, Hope Bay Mining Inc.)

Date due: July 15, 2010

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu

The Government of Nunavut (CLEY) has reviewed the material for the modification of Hope Bay Mining's sewage disposal facility for the Boston advanced exploration site, and enabled generally by the July 6, 2007 Nunavut Water Board licence. The activity appears to be replacing and upgrading current sewage works.

The department does not object to the application. The proponent must appreciate that it is their responsibility to ensure that no heritage resources are directly or indirectly altered from their current state in the course of, or the result of, their activities.

All archaeological and palaeontological sites in Nunavut are protected by law. Should any site be encountered, the proponent must contact the Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth.

Sincerely,

Edward Atkinson, for

Douglas R. Stenton, PhD Director, Culture and Heritage Culture, Language, Elders and Youth