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via e-mail only:

Mr. David Hohnstein Technical Advisor Mining Nunavut Water Board, P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU, X0E 1J0

Dear Mr. Hohnstein,

Subject: May 2006 Monthly Report for NWB Water License #: 2BB-BOS0106

Camp maintenance personnel arrived at Boston Camp on May 17 2007. Geological personnel arrived on May 24 to start a one drill summer program. A small crew of geological, drillers and camp personnel are now working at Boston.

ENVIRONMENTAL INCIDENCE:

One spill was reported on May 18. A hydraulics hose was broken and spilt approximately 16 litres of fluid onto the snow. The impacted snow was removed and placed in the Land Treatment Farm.

Table 1: MHBL Spill Statistics for NWB Licence # 2BB-BOS0106, 2006 Exploration Program

Spill Statistics for Boston Project 2006						
MHBL	Spill	Years		Month		
Work Areas/Camps	Category	2005	2006	May		
Boston Camp (NWB1BOS0106)	Level 1	0	0	1		
	Level 2	0	0	0		
	Level 3	0	0	0		
Sub-Totals Sub-Totals						
Totals	Minor (L1)	0	1	1		
	Moderate (L2)	0	0	0		
	Major (L3)	0	0	0		
External Reportable		0	0	0		
Grand Totals	All Levels	0	1	1		

WATER SAMPLING

Domestic Water Source (Part C Item 1)

All water lines were frozen. No water drawn during the initial stage of camp opening.

Table 2: Spyder Lake May water uptake rate, May 2006

Location	Daily Drawn Vol	@ May 31	2006
Daily Water (Spyder Lake) Compliance: 150 m³ per day	Average (m³)	Volume Used (m³)	YTD Cumulative (m ³)
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Camp Grey Water Analytical Results (Part E Item 4)

No samples collected during the month. Water samples will be collected during open water season.

Table 3: Open water Season Monthly Water Quality – May 2006

Parameters
Sample Date
Hydrogen ion - field pH
Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)
Field Sample Temperature (°C)
Bacteriological Tests
Coliforms - Faecal (CFU/100mL)
Extractable
Oil and Grease (No Visible Sheen)
Organic Parameters
BOD ₅ (mg/L)
Nutrients
Orthophosphate as P (mg/L)
Phosphate, Total (mg/L)
Subcontracted Nutrients
Kjeldahl Nitrogen, Total
Nitrate+Nitrite as N (mg/L)

PERMITS/LICENSE APPLICATION STATUS

No applications submitted

NON-COMBUSTIBLES SOLID AND HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

No work done as most areas were still covered by snow.

Table 4: Boston Camp non-combustible solid waste backhaul - 2006

Variable	May 2006	May 2006	2006
Empty Drums (Removal)	-	-	-
Scrap Metals (in drums - Ibs)	-	-	-

VISITS AND REQUESTS FROM NWB AND KIA

No requests received from both KIA and NWB.

If you have any questions related to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned on the above numbers or by e-mail at mkawei@miramarmining.com.

Sincerely,

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