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**Re: January 2009 – Monthly Monitoring Report for Water License 2BB-BOS0712 under Part J
– Items 2 – 8 and 11 - 14.**

Following is the monthly report for January 2009 as required under Water license 2BB-BOS0712.

1. PART J: ITEM 2

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

2. PART J: ITEM 3

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

3. PART J: ITEM 4

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

4. PART J: ITEM 5

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

5. PART J: ITEM 6 AND PART J: ITEM 7

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

6. PART J: ITEM 8

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

7. PART J: ITEM 11

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

8. PART J: ITEM 12

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

9. PART J: ITEM 13

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

10. PART J: ITEM 14

No sampling was conducted during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

11. INCIDENT REPORTING

No incidents occurred during the month as Boston Camp is closed for operation.

Should there be any questions regarding the monthly report for January 2009, please contact Chris Hanks, Director, Environment and Social Responsibility, Hope Bay Mining Limited on phone number: 720-917-4489 or email: Chris.Hanks@Newmont.com

Yours sincerely,

for

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