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Phyllis Beaulieu, Manager of Licensing Nunavut Water Board P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU X0B 1J0

## Re: March 2013 - Monthly Monitoring Report for Water License 2BB-BOS1217

Boston Camp was shut down in November 2011 and has not been reopened since that time.

Winter site inspections are being conducted monthly while Doris Camp is seasonally closed and the ice between the mainland and Victoria Island allows snowmobile transit. Doris Camp was re-opened on March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2013. A winter site inspection was conducted by the winter check crew prior to the opening of Doris camp, and the results are summarized below. The full inspection is also attached to this report to comply with AANDC's request to see them.

# 1. Part D Items 8 and 21 (also Part J Items 2 and 5): Containment Pond, Bulk Fuel Containment, and Land farm

Water was not discharged from BOS-6 (land farm), BOS-5 (bulk fuel containment) or BOS-2 (containment pond).

## 2. Part J Item 3 and 4: Sewage Treatment Plant Effluent

No samples were taken from monitoring station BOS-3 or BOS-4 as the Sewage Disposal Facility was not operational.

## 3. Part J: Item 5 and 6: Seepage monitoring

There was no seepage observed in this month.

### 4. Part J: Item 8 (Reference to Part F: Item 7): Under-Ice Drilling Sampling

Under-ice water quality samples were not collected.

#### 5. Part I Item 11: Water Use Volumes

No water was used as the camp is temporarily closed.

### 6. Part I Item 12: Mine Water Discharge Volumes

Mine water was not pumped from underground during this period.

## 7. Part J Items 13 and 14: Sewage Treatment Effluent and Sewage Sludge

Effluent was not discharged at BOS-3 and no sludge was removed from the Sewage Disposal Facility.

### **Incident Reporting**

There were no incidents reported during the month pertaining to this licence.

## **Winter Site Inspection**

The Boston Site and was inspected on March 19, 2013.

No issues of concern were identified during the inspection. Snowmobile trails at site from the January & February inspections were observed. The full inspection report is attached.

Should there be any questions regarding this monthly report, please contact Katsky Venter, ESR Site Manager for TMAC Resources Inc. at (604) 358-7325 or <u>Katsky.Venter@Newmont.com.</u>

Yours sincerely,

## Katsky Venter

Environmental and Social Responsibility Site Manager

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2 ) Signs of damage to exterior			Yes	No	
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2 ) Signs of damage to exterior			Yes	No	
Area: Boston Fuel Tank Farm					THE PARTY OF THE P
1) Signs of damage to tank walls / valves			Yes	No	
2 ) Signs of leaks or spills			Yes	No	
Inspection Review & Summary (Please report any findings or concerns)					
Area:					
Findings or concerns (provide photos):					
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Findings or concerns (provide photos):					
General notes on snow conditions (may provide photos):  AIRSTRIP CLEAL OF SAGW					
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	Inspector #2		Ins	spector #4	
	Primary Contact or designate: Date Reviewed:				



