APPENDIX B

CUMBERLAND RESOURCES LTD. MEADOWBANK GOLD PROJECT, NUNAVUT

WATER ANALYSIS REPORT

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CHEMICAL ANALYSIS REPORT

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RESULTS OF ANALYSIS - Water

Sample ID	Tap 1	Tap 2	Тар 3	Release Valve 1	Release Valve 2
Sample Date	04-05-26	04-05-26	04-05-26	04-05-26	04-05-26
Sample Time	14:35	14:35	14:35	14:35	14:35
ALS ID	1	2	3	4	5
Bacteriological Tests Coliform Bacteria - Fecal Coliform Bacteria - Total	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1

Coliform results are expressed as Colony Forming Units (CFU) per 100 mL. < = Less than the detection limit indicated.

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Appendix 1 - METHODOLOGY

Outlines of the methodologies utilized for the analysis of the samples submitted are as follows

Coliform Bacteria in Water by Membrane Filtration

This analysis is carried out using procedures adapted from APHA Method 9222 "Membrane Filter Technique for Members of the Coliform Group". Coliform bacteria is determined by colony counting. A known sample volume is filtered through a 0.45 micron membrane filter. The test involves an initial 24 hour incubation of the filter with the appropriate growth medium, positive results require further testing (up to an additional 48 hours) to confirm and quantify the total and fecal coliform. This method is used for non-turbid water with a low background bacteria level.

Recommended Holding Time:

Sample: 1 day Reference: APHA

For more detail see ALS Environmental "Collection & Sampling Guide"

Results contained within this report relate only to the samples as submitted.

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