



8 March 2010

Ms. Phyllis Beaulieu
Licencing Coordinator
Nunavut Water Board
P.O. Box 119
Gjoa Haven
NU, X0B1J0

RE: 2BE-MEP0813 and 2BB-MEL 0914: Water Use Fees for 2011

Dear Ms. Beaulieu,

The calculation of annual water use fees for the above noted licenses was based on the NWT Waters Act Regulations:

Northwest Territories Waters Regulations
Regulations Respecting Inland Water Resources in the Northwest Territories
SOR/93-303

9. (1) Subject to subsections (4) and (5), the fee payable by a licensee for the right to the use of water, calculated on an annual basis, is

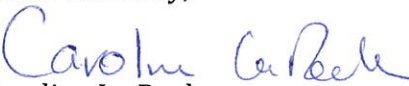
(b) in respect of an industrial, mining and milling or miscellaneous undertaking, the greater of \$30 and the aggregate of

- (i) for the first 2 000 m³ per day that is authorized by the licence, \$1 for each 100 m³ per day,
- (ii) for any quantity greater than 2 000 m³ per day but less than or equal to 4 000 m³ per day that is authorized by the licence, \$1.50 for each 100 m³ per day, and
- (iii) for any quantity greater than 4 000 m³ per day that is authorized by the licence, \$2 for each 100 m³ per day; and

The allowable water use under licences 2BE-MEP0813 and 2BB-MEL0914 is 30 and 296 m³/day, respectively. The quantity of water used on any day will not exceed the allowable amount. The fee payable under the regulations is \$30 for each licence.

Please find attached a cheque for sixty dollars to cover the water use fees for both licences.

Yours sincerely,


Caroline La Roche

Cc. David Frenette, Environment- Exploration

