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File No: 2BE-BAF0611

August 4, 2011

Kris Raffle Project Manager Burnstone Ventures Inc. Suite 800-1199 West Hastings St Vancouver BC V6E 3TS

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<u>Subject: Burnstone VenturesInc. – North Central Baffin Project – Renewal – Type "B"</u>

## Dear Mr. Raffle:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt, on July 28, 2011, of a renewal application for a Type "B" water license for water use and waste disposal associated with exploration activities in the Qikiqtani region of Nunavut. The application consists of the following documents:

- Signed cover letter received July 27, 2011
- 2009 and 2010 Annual Reports received July 28, 2011
- Spill Report Form received July 28, 2011
- Application for Water Licence Renewal received July 28, 2011
- BVI A and R Plan received July 28, 2011
- BVI Financial Statements received July 28, 2011
- BVI Final Spill Plan received July 28, 2011
- Figures received July 28, 2011
- MSDS Sheets received July 28, 2011
- Renewal Figures received July 28, 2011
- Waste Manifest received July 28, 2011
- Revised Executive Summary English received August 4, 2011
- Revised Executive Summary Inuktitut received August 4, 2011
- Revised Project Description received August 4, 2011
- Exploration Remote Camp Questionnaire received August 4, 2011

The application can be obtained from our ftp site, Username: public, Password: registry at the following link:

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NIRB Screening Decision on file dated June 27, 2011 NPC Conformity on file dated June 29, 2011

A preliminary review of your application concluded that it meets the requirements of section 48(1) of the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* ("Act"). However, the NWB retains the right to request additional information and studies pursuant to sections 48(2) of the Act or to issue guidelines for the provision of information pursuant to section 48(3) of the Act. A NWB Technical Advisor may be in touch with you to clarify any technical details related to your application.

To ensure this application is dealt with in a timely fashion, the NWB forwards notice of all documentation to regulators and council of the municipality(ies) most affected by the project, inviting interested parties to make representation directly to the NWB within 30 days from the date of this letter. The NWB may provide additional procedural instructions once the application has been reviewed by interested parties.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Ida Porter Licensing Administrative Assistant

Enclosure: Notice of Application

Letter to Local Organizations

Cc: NPC Conformity Info - NIRB

Distribution List – Qikiqtani