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Subject: Diamondex's Amendment Request for Change in Camp Location - Brodeur Penisula

Attachments: 070808-05EN104-Amendment Distribution-OTAE.pdf

Dear Janet Stritychuk,

On July 31, 2007, the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received an application from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) for a camp location amendment to Diamondex Resources Ltd.'s "Brodeur Property" project.

The original application (submitted by Kennecott Canada Exploration Inc.) for the above project was received by the NIRB on June 29, 2005 from INAC. The project proposal was screened in accordance with Part 4, Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA). On July 29, 2005 the NIRB issued a 12.4.4(a) screening decision to INAC allowing the proposed project to proceed subject to specific recommended terms and conditions. Project components/activities included the following:

Continuing operation of mineral exploration camp located on Brodeur peninsula

In this application, Diamondex Resources Ltd is proposing to amend their camp location. Related additional components/activities planned for prior to the close of this field season include:

- 1-14x16 floor with sump for grey water (if possible a wooden structure this year where we could keep all our appliances over the winter).
- 1-32x14 floor for a kitchen with sump for grey water.
- 7-sleep tent floors 14x16.
- 2-sleep tent floors 10x12.

The INAC application and the original NIRB screening file, 05EN014 are available from NIRB's ftp site at the following link:

http://ftp.nunavut.ca/nirb/NIRB\_SCREENINGS/ACTIVE\_SCREENINGS/2007\_AMENDMENTS\_RENEWALS/05EN-Diamondex%20Resources%20Inc/

The NIRB is of the opinion that the request for the relocation of the camp does not significantly change the general scope of the original project activities. Therefore the NIRB is *proposing* to re-issue the same terms and conditions as those in the attached July 29, 2005 Screening Decision (**Appendix A**), along with any new terms and conditions the NIRB feels are appropriate. The NIRB is copying interested Parties and municipalities most

affected by this project and we invite interested persons to comment directly to the NIRB by August 15, 2007.

The NIRB would like Parties to provide comments regarding:

- whether the proposed component or activity was a part of the original proposal;
- whether its inclusion would significantly modify the project;
- any additional mitigation measures that are appropriate; and
- any other matter of importance to the Party related to the project proposal.

Please send your comments to the attention of the NIRB's Manager of Environmental Administration Leslie Payette at <a href="mailto:lpayette@nirb.nunavut.ca">lpayette@nirb.nunavut.ca</a> or via fax to (867) 983-2594.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the NIRB's Technical Advisor Li Wan at <a href="mailto:lwan@nirb.nunavut.ca">lwan@nirb.nunavut.ca</a> or by phone 967-983-4608.

Best regards,

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