## **EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN**

# COMMITTEE BAY PROPERTY NUNAVUT, CANADA

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#### 1 Introduction

This Emergency Response Plan (ERP) applies to mineral exploration activities conducted by, or on behalf of, 5530 Nunavut Inc. (the "Company") on the Committee Bay Property (the "Property"), Nunavut, Canada.

This ERP will come into effect June 1, 2017, pending approval. Copies and updates to this plan may be obtained via the Company or APEX Geoscience Ltd. ("APEX").

5530 Nunavut Inc. is firmly committed to operating with the highest standards to protect the health and safety of all employees, contractors, the public, and the environment. This plan has been prepared as part of an overall emergency preparedness program, and will comply with all applicable regulations and industry standards.

#### 1.1 Contact Details

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#### 1.2 Purpose and Scope

The purpose of the Committee Bay Property Emergency Response Plan (ERP) is to provide guidelines for all personnel that enable them to act appropriately and efficiently in the event of an emergency. Prompt, effective, and organized emergency response will ensure the safety of personnel, minimize effects on the environment, and help maintain a productive level of day to day operations at the Committee Bay Property.

The main goals of the plan are:

- To provide education and emergency preparedness training for all employees, contractors, and visitors at the Committee Bay Property.
- To enable personnel to respond to an emergency in a logical and coordinated manner in order to minimize injury, loss of property, and to mitigate environmental impacts.
- To maintain operations at a level as close as possible to normal during an emergency situation, and to restore normal operations quickly and efficiently.

The ERP will be available to all employees, contractors, and visitors at the Committee Bay Property. It will be posted at strategic areas around camp and at drill sites for reference. Personnel can contact their individual supervisors or the Project Supervisor if they wish to receive individual copies.

#### 1.3 Other Plans

The ERP should be considered as a part of the Property wide management system. Other management plans in place at the Committee Bay Property include:

- Abandonment and Restoration Plan (ARP)
- Spill Prevention and Response Plan (SPRP)
- Environmental Management Plan (EMP)
- Fuel Management Plan (FMP)
- Waste Management Plan (WMP)

#### 1.4 Property and Camp Description

The Committee Bay Property is located in the Kitikmeot and Kivalliq Regions of Nunavut, within the 1:250,000 scale NTS map sheets, 56J and 56K. The Property is approximately 300 km west of the community of Naujaat (Repulse Bay), 300 km northeast of the community of Baker Lake and 400 km northwest of the community of Rankin Inlet. The Property consists of three project areas: Area A to the north, Area B in the centre and Area C to the south (Figure 1 in Appendix 1).

The proposed exploration program will be supported by a temporary, 6 to 10 person exploration camp. The program is anticipated to commence June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 and run for 6 weeks (42 days). INAC, NWB and NIRB will be notified 30 days prior to the establishment of the camp and fuel cache. Personnel and cargo will be transported to the Property via a chartered plane from Baker Lake or Rankin Inlet. Structures for the proposed camp may include 4 sleeper tents, 1 kitchen, 1 dry, 1 generator shack, and 1 outhouse. The majority of the structures will be insulated Weatherhaven tents, or similar, with tarp floors.

A fuel cache of less than 4,000 L (approximately 19 drums) will be established on stable ground near the camp, primarily to store diesel and jet fuel. Small quantities of gasoline and propane will also be stored. Small temporary fuel caches (less than 4,000 L), may also be required to supply the drilling and exploration programs. Within 30 days of the establishment of any temporary fuel cache, the appropriate agencies will be notified of the details of the cache including: GPS location, fuel type, container sizes, method of storage and proposed date of removal. The temporary fuel cache GPS locations will also be included in the annual reports submitted to the INAC, NWB and NIRB.

The proposed 2017 exploration activities for the Committee Bay Property include prospecting, till sampling and ground geophysical surveys. The intent of the 2017 exploration program is to delineate targets for diamond drilling. As soon as targets are identified for drilling INAC, NWB and NIRB will be notified and supplied with locations and maps. All exploration work and drilling will be strictly confined to the Areas A, B and C (Figure 1 in Appendix 1).

### 2 Pre-emergency Planning

The responsibility for administration of the ERP will rest with the Project Supervisor. The Camp Manager and Project Geologist will support the Supervisor, and work together with the Site Safety Coordinator to ensure the plan is implemented effectively. Updates and modifications will be made as necessary.

#### 2.1 Prevention

5530 Nunavut Inc. is committed to a prevention strategy of ongoing maintenance, inventory control, and staff training. The following will be standard practice at the Committee Bay Property:

- All equipment and machinery will be inspected and serviced regularly to ensure it is safe and in good working condition. Specific training will be provided for the safe use of each type of equipment and machinery on site.
- All hazardous materials will be stored in a safe and appropriate manner, as required for each individual product as set out in the manufacturer's Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) and in accordance with the Committee Bay Property "Spill Prevention and Response Plan" and "Fuel Management Plan".
- All hazardous materials will be subject to strict inventory control. Logs will be kept and regular inspections will be performed.
- Daily and weekly safety meetings will focus on improving safety and environmental performance. Personnel will be reminded of possible hazards and consequences, as well as any countermeasures and the resources available during an emergency situation.

#### 2.2 Hazard Identification

### 2.2.1 Toxicological and Physiochemical Properties of Chemicals

The Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) will be posted in binders at all safety stations on site. They can also be found in the "Spill Prevention and Response Plan".

#### 2.2.2 Fire

All precautions possible will be taken to prevent fires at the site, because the difficulty in effectively fighting fires at this remote location. Locations of fire alarms and evacuations routes (if not obvious, e.g. only one door) will be posted in all work areas; fire extinguishers will be clearly marked in an approved manner. The potential for a fire at the Committee Bay Property are identified in Table 2.1.

Table 2.1: Possible fire locations at the Committee Bay Property

Location	Precautions
Camp Tents	Fire extinguishers
Generator House	Chemical fire extinguishers
Fuel Cache	Fire extinguishers
Drills	Fire extinguishers

#### 2.2.3 Medical Emergency

Medical emergencies can occur at any time and could be due to accidents or ill health.

Medical evacuations will be accomplished by means of fixed or rotary wing medevac to Yellowknife. First Aid Attendants at the site will be able to provide first aid and to treat more minor injuries. A satellite phone system will be installed at the Committee Bay Property in order to provide reliable telephone communications in the event of a medical emergency requiring consultation with outside medical help and/or requesting a plane for medevac.

See Appendix 1 for a list of emergency contacts for outside resources available for assistance with medical emergencies.

#### 2.2.4 Extreme Weather

Weather extremes can include, but are not limited to heavy snowfall to blizzard conditions in winter, heavy rain causing flooding in summer and fog. Supervisory personal will be appropriately experienced in order to be able to judge when conditions deteriorate to the extent that work should cease and crews return to camp. Radio and/or satellite phone contact will be available throughout the Property and thus senior supervisory personnel can be advised at any time of deteriorating weather situations and the status of crews working outside.

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Appendix 1: Committee Bay Property Emergency Response Plan

# COMMITTEE BAY PROPERTY EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN

In The Event of an Emergency and/or When Instructed by the Project Supervisor or First Aid Attendant to ...

## **Call the Nursing Station...**

Primary
Stanton Territorial Hospital
– Yellowknife

1-867-669-4111

1<sup>st</sup> Alternate

Health Center – Baker Lake 1-867-793-2816

(Head Nurse – TBA)

2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate

Health Centre – Repulse Bay 1-867-462-9916

(Head Nurse - TBA

3<sup>rd</sup> Alternate

Kivalliq Health Center – Rankin Inlet 1-867-645-8300

(Head Nurse - TBA)

## Be Prepared to Provide to the Nurse ...

1. Your Name and Location: Committee Bay Property

## **Camp Location**

Degrees Minute Seconds - TBA UTM NAD 83 Zone 15 - TBA Sat Phone - TBA

- 2. Patient Location (if not in camp):
- 3. Number of Injured Persons:
- 4. Patient Information (for each injured person):

a) Condition: Conscious / Unconscious

Nature of Injury

b) Age of Patient:

c) History: What happened?

When did it happen?

d) Any other relevant information that you know

Medical History (ie. is diabetic, etc)

Obtain instruction from Nurse OR First Aid Attendant as to the need for a Medevac

If Medevac is required, contact Medevac company and obtain information as to expected time of arrival (ETA) in camp

# **24 Hour Medevac Service**

Kivaliq Air, Rankin Inlet

1-867-645-4455

(Contact: Dispatch)

Adlair Aviation, Cambridge Bay 1-867-983-2569

(Contact: Dispatch)

OR

Adlair Aviation, Yellowknife

1-867-873-5161

(Contact: Dispatch)

REPORT BACK TO FIRST AID ATTENDANT

## **Other Important Telephone Numbers**

Field Numbers
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Camp – Logistics Line	TBA
Camp – Fax Line	TBA
Field Satellite Phone #1	TBA
Field Satellite Phone #2	TBA
Helicopter Satellite Phone	TBA

## **RCMP**

RCMP – Baker Lake	(Emergency) (Non-Emerge	ncy)	1-867-793-1111 1-867-793-0123
RCMP -Repulse Bay	(Emergency) (Non-Emerge	ncy)	1-867-462-1111 1-867-462-0123
RCMP – Rankin Inlet	(Emergency) (Non-Emerge	ncy)	1-867-645-1111 1-867-645-0123
RCMP - Yellowknife	(Non-Emerge	ncy)	1-867-669-5200
APEX Geoscience Ltd. Project Supervisor, Rob		Office Cell	1-780-467-3532 1-780-916-5482

### 5530 Nunavut Inc.

Fabio Capponi Cell 1-778-389-7274

#### **Expeditors**

Discovery Mining Services – Yellowknife 1-867-920-4600

#### **Helicopters**

Helicopter Company TBA TBA

#### **WSCC**

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Yellowknife	1-867-920-3888
Yellowknife Toll Free	1-800-661-0792
Yellowknife Fax	1-867-873-4596
Yellowknife Toll Free Fax	1-866-277-3677
Iqaluit	1-867-979-8500
Iqaluit Toll Free	1-877-404-4407
IqaluitFax	1-867-979-8501
IqaluitToll Free Fax	1-866-979-8501
Incident & Injury Reporting	1-800-661-0792

Incident & Injury Reporting Fax Chief Mine Inspector (Yellowknife) – Fred Bailey Mining Engineer/Inspector (Igaluit)	1-867-873-0262 1-867-669-4430
- Martin Van Rooy Mining Engineer/Inspector (Yellowknife)	1-867-979-8527
lagadish Patel	1-867-920-3832
Emergency Spill Report	1-867-920-8130
Public Health Office – YK	1-867-920-8646
Poison Control Center	1-800-332-1414
Poison Control Center (Toll Free)	1-800-268-9017
Poison Control Center (Iqaluit)	1-867-979-7350