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May 18, 2004

Land Administration
Nunavut Region
Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Building 918, P.O. Box 100
Iqaluit, Nunavut
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Attention: Spencer Dewar

Dear Sir:

RE: NORTH JAMES RIVER PROPERTY

- Letter Option Agreement dated April 23, 2002 as amended between Hunter Exploration Group (the "Optionor") and Bard Ventures Ltd. and Pure Gold Minerals Inc. (the "Optionee")
- CYN 13-15, 18, 19, 30, 39 and 40 Mineral Claims, Nunavut Mining District, NTS 76M/7, 10
- Authorization for Land Use Permit.

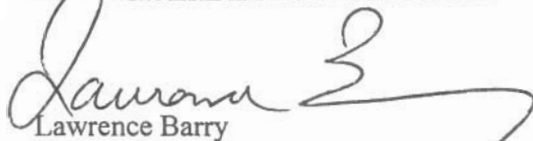
This letter will certify that Pure Gold Minerals Inc. as the holder of an option agreement with Hunter Exploration Group is authorized during the currency of the above referenced agreement to make an Application for a Land Use Permit and deal with all matters relating thereto on any of the eight mineral claims listed herein.

Claim Names	Claim Numbers	Recorded Owner
CYN 13, 14, 15, 18	F75843, F75844, F75845, F75848	Lawrence Barry
CYN 19, 30, 39, 40	F75849, F75165, F75113, F73309	Lawrence Barry

This authorization shall be in effect until rescinded in writing.

Yours very truly,

HUNTER EXPLORATION GROUP


Lawrence Barry

cc: Erik Andersen
Eugene Beukman, Bard Ventures Ltd. and Pure Gold Minerals Inc.

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