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Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2007 8:28 AM

To: 'Sylvia Sawers'; 'Allison Rippin'

Cc: Peter Kusugak; David Ningeongan; Phyllis Beaulieu

Subject: Re: Ferguson Lake Project 2BE-FER0712 approved renewal licence

Attachments: IQALUIT-#175498-v1-

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Ms.Sawers, et al.

Please find enclosed the Water License inspection report and supporting photographs taken on June 26th, 2007.

I note that a new Water License has been issued to Starfield Resources to replace the license that expired on July 1st 2007.

As such there is a period of time where the licensee was not licensed to conduct any activities.

The licensee is reminded that sections 11 and 12 of the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunals Act state as follows;

11. (1) Subject to subsection (2), no person shall use, or permit the use of, waters in Nunavut except in accordance with the conditions of a licence.

and

- 12. (1) Subject to subsection (2) and except in accordance with the conditions of a licence, no person shall deposit or permit the deposit of waste
- (a) in waters in Nunavut; or
- (b) in any other place in Nunavut under conditions in which the waste, or any other waste that results from the deposit of that waste, may enter waters in Nunavut.

While there are exceptions to the above none in this case apply.

As such, the licensee is requested to provide to the inspector within 30 days of receipt of this report an outline of activities conducted during the period in question.

Additionally, please be aware that Mr. David Ningeongan, Water Resources Officer, Indian and Northern Affairs Canada has come on strength since the period of this inspection and is stationed in Rankin Inlet. Mr. Ningeongan will be the Inspector responsible for activities in the Kivalliq Region and as such should become your first point of contact for regulatory matters in the future. Mr. Ningeongan can be reached at 1-867-645-2089 in Rankin Inlet.

I look forward to reviewing the required report and remind the licensee of the requirement to file annual reports with the Nunavut Water board as is outlined in the enclosed inspection report.

Respectfully,

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