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File No: 2BE-GOO0510

January 29, 2010

Doug Cater
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E-mail: dcater@sabinagoldsilver.com

<u>Subject:</u> Sabina Gold & Silver Corporation – Goose Lake Project – Renewal & Amendment – Type "B"

Dear Mr. Cater:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt, on December 4, 2009, of a renewal & amendment application for a Type "B" water license for water use and waste disposal associated with exploration activities in the Kitikmeot region of Nunavut. The application consists of the following documents:

- Cover Letter received December 4, 2009
- Water Licence Application received December 4, 2009
- Supplemental Questionnaire received December 4, 2009
- Inuinnagtun & English Summary received December 4, 2009
- Spill Plan received December 4, 2009
- AR Plan received December 4, 2009
- Wishbone Support Map received December 4, 2009
- NIRB determination received December 10, 2009
- NPC determination received January 8, 2010
- Current Liability Assessment received January 28, 2010

The application can be obtained from our ftp site, Username: public, Password: registry at the Nunavut Water Board ftp site.

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:

Richard Dwyer Licensing Administrator

Enclosure: Notice of Application

Letter to Local Organizations

Cc: NPC NIRB

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