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October 29, 2003

By Email and Regular Mail

Mr. John C. Bokich
Manager, Environmental Affairs
Kinross Gold Corporation
802 E. Winchester, Suite 100,
Murray, Utah, USA
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Subject: Licence NWB1GOO0104 Goose Lake – 2002 Annual Report

Dear Mr. Bokich,

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") has completed its review of Kinross Gold Corporation's 2002 annual report for the Goose Lake property, pursuant to Part B, Item 1 of Licence NWB1GOO0104. At this time, the NWB has no comments regarding the 2002 annual report, nor does it request additional information to be included in the forthcoming 2003 annual report beyond that required in the water licence. The 2003 annual report is to be received by the NWB no later than March 31st, 2004. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at your convenience.

Yours truly,

Original signed by:

Patrick Duxbury
Reclamation Coordinator
Nunavut Water Board

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