



September 16, 2009

Phyllis Beaulieu, Manager of Licensing  
Nunavut Water Board  
PO Box 119  
Gjoa Haven, NU  
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**Re: Application to renew and amend water licence 2BE-HAK0709**

Dear Ms. Beaulieu,

Please find enclosed Sabina Silver Corporation's application to renew and amend the above-referenced water licence for the Hackett River property.

Sabina sees an opportunity to continue exploration activities in the Hackett River area and in summary is requesting:

- renewal of the water licence for a five year period; and
- an amendment to include the use water from lakes in the vicinity of drill rigs in the Wishbone Trend; and
- an amendment to increase allowable daily volume of water (from 198 m<sup>3</sup> to 250 m<sup>3</sup>) to support increased camp size (from a max of 40 to 75) and increased number of drill rigs (from 3 up to 5). This is the result of the expansion of the exploration area to be supported by Hackett Camp.

This request for water licence renewal and amendment is submitted with one hardcopy and one electronic copy of:

- NWB water licence application form;
- Supplementary questionnaire for exploration/remote camps with appendices:
  - Spill Contingency Plan
  - Abandonment and Restoration Plan;
- Project Summary in Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut and English;
- \$30.00 application fee; and
- \$30.00 water use fee.



In addition to these NWB documents, Sabina is also including the concurrent submission to NIRB requesting a screening of this work. This includes a cover letter, the NIRB Part 1 Form "Project Proposal Information Requirements" and Screening Part 2 Form "Project Specific Information Requirements" for your information.

Sabina acknowledges that this re-alignment of the Back River properties with the Hackett River may lead to some confusion. For referencing purposes and your convenience, the following is the list of permits and associated files from various regulators that have previously reviewed exploration activities at Hackett River:

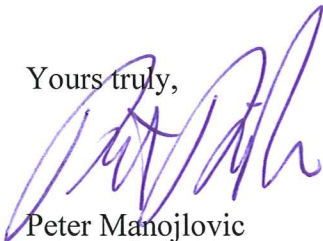
NIRB -04EN012  
INAC land use permit N20040005  
KIA land use permit KTL304C010

and Wishbone:

NIRB-06EN033  
INAC land use permit N2004C0008  
KIA land use permit KTL309C002

If you have any questions regarding this application please call me at (604) 998-4175.

Yours truly,



Peter Manojlovic  
Chief Geologist

