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File No: NWB2HIG

March 6, 2001

Ms. Gladys Joudrey Environmental Assessment Officer Nunavut Impact Review Board P.O. Box 2379 Cambridge Bay, NU X0E 0C0

Subject: Wolfden Resources Inc. – Request for Screening – New Application

The Nunavut Water Board received a new application on March 6, 2001 from Wolfden Resources Inc. for water use and waste disposal associated with exploratory drilling.

In accordance with Articles 12 and 13 of the *Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada*, this project shall be screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board to determine whether it has significant impact potential, and whether it requires review, before the application can be processed by the Nunavut Water Board.

I am sending the application documents along with this letter. However, please note that the Inuktitut translation of the summary is still forthcoming and will be forwarded to your office upon receipt. As well, Wolfden Resources Inc. has indicated that they are mailing copies of baseline studies as additional information.

Please let our office know in writing when we can expect the screening decision so that we can set our deadline for public concerns accordingly.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Rita Becker Licensing Administrator

cc. Ewan Downie, Wolfden Resources Inc.