



P.O. Box 119
GJOA HAVEN, NU X0B 1J0
TEL: (867) 360-6338
Fax: (867) 360-6369

ᓄᓇᓂᓪ ᐃᓕᓕᓂᓪᓪ ᑲᓂᓕᓪᓪ
NUNAVUT IMALIRIYIN KATIMAYINGI
NUNAVUT WATER BOARD
OFFICE DES EAUX DU NUNAVUT

June 1, 2009

File No: 2BE-HOP0712/TR/B2

Lea-Marie Bowes-Lyon
Land Tenure and Permitting Coordinator
Hope Bay Mining Ltd.
300-889 Harbourside Drive
North Vancouver, BC V7P-3S1
E-mail: Lea-Marie.Bowes-Lyon@Newmont.com

Subject: Submission of 2008 Annual Report – 2BE-HOP0712

Dear Mrs. Bowes-Lyon

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) acknowledges receipt, on May 31, 2009, of the 2008 annual report from Hope Bay Mining Ltd. as a requirement of Part B, Item 2 of the current licence. Included with the annual report are the following additional documents:

- a) Annual Report Form
- b) Supplemental Information Report
- c) Appendix A-Annual Monitoring Report

The submission has been placed on the NWB public registry and is available from the NWB ftp site at the following link

[ftp://nunavutwaterboard.org/PRUC/2%20MINING%20AND%20MILLING/2B/2BE%20-%20Exploration/2BE-HOP0712/3%20TECH/1%20GENERAL%20\(B\)/2%20ANNUAL%20RPT/](ftp://nunavutwaterboard.org/PRUC/2%20MINING%20AND%20MILLING/2B/2BE%20-%20Exploration/2BE-HOP0712/3%20TECH/1%20GENERAL%20(B)/2%20ANNUAL%20RPT/)

This report is forwarded to the distribution list for information only. Anyone wishing to provide comments can do so by e-mail to iporter@nunavutwaterboard.org

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Ida Porter
Licensing Administrative Assistant

cc. Kitikmeot Distribution List