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Lea-Marie Bowes-Lyon Tenure and Permitting Manager TMAC Resources Inc. 372 Bay Street, suite 901 Toronto, Ontario M5H 2W9

Email: <u>lea-marie.bowes-lyon@tmacresources.com</u>

Re: <u>Hope Bay Project Windy Camp and Patch Lake Facility, Facility Updated Closure Plan - TMAC Resources Inc., Licence 2BE-HOP1222</u>

Dear Lea-Marie Bowes-Lyon:

On May 26, 2014 TMAC Resources Inc. (TMAC) submitted to the Nunavut Water Board (the Board or NWB) the document entitled Hope Bay Project Windy Camp and Patch Lake Facility Updated Closure Plan (the Closure Plan) dated May 2014. This Plan is an updated edition of the June 2012 Closure Plan submitted by the previous Licence holder, Hope Bay Mining Limited.

In its submission of May 26 2014, TMAC expressed that the original Plan had been modified to reflect the modifications requested by the Board on the Licence Assignment Letter¹ and the November 2013 Board letter². It was also requested that the NWB confirm in writing that this Closure Plan is approved as submitted and fulfills the requirements for compliance with the Water Licence.

The Board has determined that the Plan fulfils the requirements outlined in NWB Licence 2BE-HOP1222, and hereby approved the plan under Motion # 2014-B1-023.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Phyllis Beaulieu, Manager of Licensing, by telephone (867-360-6338, Ext 27), or by email at licensing@nwb-oen.ca or for technical matters Sonia Aredes, Technical Advisor, by telephone (867-360-6338, Ext. 31) or by email at Sonia.aredes@nwb-oen.ca.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By;

Sonia Aredes Technical Advisor

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¹ Thomas Kabloona, NWB Chair to Chris Hanks, Hope Bay Mining Ltd. And Gordon Morrison, TMAC Resources Inc., dated June 18 2013.

² Karén Kharatyan, NWB Tech Advisor to Gordon Morrison, TMAC Resources Inc, dated November 15, 2013.