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Subject: Submission of June 2008 - Monthly Monitoring Report for Water License 2BE-HOP0712

Dear Mr. Hanks:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of a submission from Hope Bay Mining Ltd. entitled, June 2008 - Monthly Monitoring Report for Water License 2BE-HOP0712, received on May 20, 2009 as a requirement Part: J Item, 17 of 2BE-HOP0712. This 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 MINING AND MILLING/2B/2BE - Exploration/2BE-HOP0712/3 TECHNICAL/9 MONITORING(J)/2008

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Sincerely,

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