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<u>Subject: Submission of HBML Response to INAC Review of June 2009 - Monthly Monitoring</u> Report for Water License 2BE-HOP0712 Under Part J-Items 2-8

Dear Mr. Hanks:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt of a submission from Hope Bay Mining Ltd. entitled, HBML Response to INAC Review of June 2009 - Monthly Monitoring Report for Water License 2BE-HOP0712 Under Part J-Items 2-8, received on September 8, 2009 as a requirement of 2BE-HOP0712. This submission has been placed on the NWB public registry and is available from the NWB ftp site, username: public, password: registry at the following link:

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