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May 8, 2015

Your file - Votre référence 2BE-KIG1318

Our file - Notre référence IQALUIT-#914663

Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing Nunavut Water Board Gjoa Haven, NU X0E 1J0

Re: Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada's (AANDC) Review of an Application to Amend Water Licence 2BE-KIG1318 – Areva Resources Canada Inc – Kiggavik Project.

Dear Ms. Beaulieu,

On April 8, 2015, AANDC received notice from the Nunavut Water Board (the NWB) regarding the above mentioned application, inviting interested parties to provide comments by May 8, 2015.

AANDC reviewed the amendment application and the results of our review are provided in the enclosed memorandum for the Board's consideration. Comments have been provided pursuant to the Department's mandated responsibilities under the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* and the *Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Act*.

Please contact Courtney Cox at 867-975-4556 or <u>courtney.cox@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca</u> for any additional information.

Regards,

Andrew Keim

A/ Manager Water Resources

c.c.: Erik Allain, Manager of Field Operations, AANDC Nunavut



Technical Review Memorandum

To: Phyllis Beaulieu - Manager of Licensing, Nunavut Water Board

From: Courtney Cox - Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

Date: May 8, 2015

Re: Water Licence Amendment Application, #2BE-KIG1318

Licensee:

Areva Resources Canada Inc.

Project:

Kiggavik Project

Region:

Kivalliq

A. Results of Review

After reviewing the amendment application, AANDC is satisfied that the amendment application is complete and has no recommendations.

AANDC however would like to provide one comment to the applicant. The Water Resources Division of AANDC after talking with its counterparts in the Mining Recorders Office would like to advise the applicant to contact the Mining Recorders Office at 867 975 4281 as a precaution to ensure all proper paperwork as been filed and that the Mining regulations are being followed.

