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Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth

Ministère de la Culture, de la Langue, des Aînés et de la Jeunesse

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Richard Dwyer **Nunavut Water Board** P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, Nunavut **X0B 1J0**

Re: Nunavut Water Board -- 2BE-KIM0609 Licence renewal Type B, Drake Point Project (True North Gems Inc.)

Date due: June 14, 2010

Dear Richard Dwyer

The Government of Nunavut (CLEY) has reviewed the material for the application renewal of True North Gems Inc. to use water, as well as for the deposit waste into water, from exploration activity.

According to the records, True North Gems has been in operation on this property since 2006. The closest known archaeological site remains nine km. southwest of the mining camp.

The department does not object to the application. However, the property may have potential for additional archaeology and palaeontology. The department urges that the proponent arrange for a professional assessment and survey of the exploration area. Towards this end, Culture; Language, Elders and Youth would be pleased to provide the proponent a list of archaeology consultants.

All archaeological and palaeontology sites in Nunavut are protected by law. The proponent must understand that it is their responsibility to ensure no sites are disturbed in the course of activities. Should any additional sites or artifacts be encountered beyond what was recommended, the proponent must contact the Department co Culture, Language, Elders and Youth.

Sincerely,

Edward Atkinson, for

Douglas R. Stenton, PhD Director, Culture and Heritage Culture, Language, Elders and Youth