From: Melissa Joy
To: Afzaal Pirzada

Cc: Gordon Addie; Kevin Buck; David Abernethy; Phyllis; Rob Eno; Peter Kusugak; Geoff Clark

**Subject:** Re: McGregor Lake Camp remediation plan, Spill 09-399

Date: Thursday, September 03, 2009 12:18:50 PM

Hello Mr. Pirzada,

I have recieved a copy of your Remedial Action Plan for the fuel spill at McGregor Lake, via the Spill Report Line. Please resubmit your plan directly to the Nunavut Water Board and to myself for review. I recommend you also include the KIA as you hold a KIA land use licence.

Please note sampling results and reporting are to be forwarded to myself and the NWB as soon as available.

As provided to Mr. Addie in an earlier email, you/your company is to provide a final clean up report confirming quantity of material removed, showing where it went, sampling results, and copies of any manifests to be provided to me. As a final cleanup report has not yet been submitted (was requested to be provided by Aug 30th), I am requesting a timeline of the cleanup schedule to be provided before Sept 11th (next week).

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Email: melissa.joy@inac.gc.ca

From:Eno, Robert

Sent: August 17, 2009 2:52 PM

To: 'Afzaal Pirzada' Cc: Gordon Addie

Subject: RE: McGregor Lake Camp remediation plan

Hello Mr. Pirzada,

As indicated in my note to Mr. Addie, this activity is within the regulatory jurisdiction of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC); as

such, we are not in a position to approve of your plan. The plan must be reviewed and approved by INAC as they are the lead regulator.

I suggest you send it to them directly.

Robert Eno Director, Environmental Protection Division Dept. of Environment Gov't of Nunavut Iqaluit, NU -----

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From: Afzaal Pirzada [mailto: afzaalpirzada@gmail.com]

Sent: August 17, 2009 2:39 PM

To: Eno, Robert Cc: Gordon Addie

Subject: McGregor Lake Camp remediation plan

Hello Mr. Eno.

Further to your email correspondence with Mr. Gordon Addie regarding clean-up of approximately 45 gallons heating oil fuel spill in the fuel storage area, please see attached a remediation plan for your approval. The plan if approved can be executed in the 3rd or 4th week of August because the personnel and a helicopter is available during that period. Once we get your comments, it will be finalized and distributed to INAC and KIA for their approval.

For any question please call me at 778-558-4940.

Regards,

Afzaal Pirzada, P.Geo. Consulting Geologist

-----Inline Message Follows-----

Hello Mr. Addie

I am e-mailing two documents to you with respect to contaminated site remediation. The first is a technical document, more intended for engineers and scientists, while the second provides a general explanation, in layman's terms, as to what steps must be taken to clean up an impacted site. By sheer coincidence, we only just finalized this document a few days ago so you will be our first test case from the public.

I suggest that you read over the guides as they may assist you in developing a plan of action.

If 45 gallons is all that was spilled, you may be able to do the cleanup using hand tools and with a minimum of expense. If the location of your camp is on crown land, Indian and Northern Affairs Canada have the final say as to what criteria must be used in cleaning up the site and whether or not the work that you perform yields the desired results. INAC is the lead agency here so they must approve of any plan regardless of its conformity with our (Gov't of Nunavut) guidelines.

There is only one contractor in Nunavut that I know of, who does this sort of work: Nunatta Environmental out of Iqaluit. They can be reached at 867-979-1488. Contact: Ivan or Axel. Alternatively, there are any number of southern-based firms that specialize in this sort of work, HAZCO out of Winnipeg, being one of the larger and more experienced. Their web address is as follows:

## http://www.hazcoenv.com/

If you have any other questions, feel free to get in touch with me.

Robert Eno Director, Environmental Protection Division Dept. of Environment Gov't of Nunavut Iqaluit, NU 867-975-7729 Lat 63 45' N Long 068 31'W

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From:Gordon Addie [mailto:gordon.addie@gmail.com]

Sent: August 7, 2009 2:00 PM

To: Eno, Robert Cc: Melissa Joy Subject: Soil Cleanup

To: Mr. Rob Eno

Melissa Joy suggested that I contact you regarding the clean up of a fuel spill.

My Mcgregor Lake camp is dormant this year, but I hired Steve Ward to check on it and ensure that everything was OK.

He noted that some fuel breached a fuel berm. He fixed the berm, and improved the containment, but he suspects that up to 45 gallons may have seeped into the soil.

Can you suggest approved/recommended contractors, or can I hire local labour to remove the soil and then have it sent for proper disposal?

I wish to deal with this by month end.

Regards,

Gordon Addie

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