

Non-Technical Summary
Commander Resources Ltd. Dewar Lakes Camp
Land Use Permit Application and Water Licence Renewal

The Dewar Lakes Camp (the “Camp”) has been used by Commander Resources Ltd. (“Commander”) since 2003 as a base location to conduct mineral exploration work on Baffin Island. Exploration programs and camp activities were most recently conducted under the authorization of Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (“INAC”) Land Use Permit N2013C0014 (Expired Aug 14, 2016) and Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) Water Licence 2BE-NAD0813 (Expired September 1, 2013). With the accompanying documents, Commander is applying for a new Land Use Permit and renewing the Water Licence to authorize work activities at the existing Dewar Lakes Camp.

The 40 person Dewar Lakes Camp is located on Crown Land beside Dewar Lakes, adjacent to the North Warning System Fox-3 airstrip in the Qikiqtani Region of Nunavut (Figure 1). The approximate location of the camp is 68°37’59” N and 71°6’38” W (or 414199E/7614919N UTM Nad83 Zone 19) and is located within the 1:50,000 National Topographic System (“NTS”) map sheet 27B12.

The camp consists of accommodations for up to 40 persons, a large cook tent, generator shack, incinerator, core shacks and a metal silo structure to be used for storage.

The camp was last utilized by Commander to support exploration activities in 2011. The site was last occupied in 2013 by Biogenie Ltd. (“Biogenie”) personnel, contracted by Commander, to clean up and secure the site after an episode of vandalism damaged camp structures. The vandalism resulted in significant damage and exposure of building contents to outdoor conditions, wind dispersion and wildlife.

The Dewar Lakes Camp Site was inspected in the summer of 2016 by an INAC Water Resources Officer and found to be vandalized and damaged once again.

The 2017 program, under the authorization of a new Land Use Permit subject to this application, will facilitate a cleanup and rebuild of the vandalized Dewar Lakes Camp. Upon re-establishment of the camp facilities, the camp will then be used to support exploration activities. The cleanup program at Dewar Lakes is tentatively scheduled to commence in June 2017. Use of the camp for exploration purposes will begin shortly after the camp cleanup commences and will be completed by September 2017. Exploration activities for 2017 and beyond will be authorized under separate permits and licences to be held by Commander or an assignee. It is anticipated that the rebuilt Dewar Lakes Camp will support ongoing exploration activities for the next several years.

