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Sent Electronically

Re: 2BE-PIX0510 Application for Cancellation - Ashton Mining - Kitikmeot Region

Dear Ms. Beaulieu:

The Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA) has reviewed the cancellation request submitted by Stornoway Diamond Corporation (Stornoway).

The KIA contacted Stornoway (Nicole Westcott, personal communication, Sept.14, 2012) regarding mobilization on Inuit Owned Lands (IOL). We were informed that, according to Stornoway records, no mobilization occurred on IOL (including the establishment of supply caches). As such, the KIA has no comments on this cancellation request at this time.

The KIA would like to thank the NWB for the opportunity to comment on this file. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Luigi Torretti, MSc, BComm Senior Environment Officer

Department of Lands and Environment