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Department of  
Culture, Language, Elders and Youth

Ministère de la Culture, de la Langue,  
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January 21, 2011

Richard Dwyer  
Nunavut Water Board  
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**Re: Nunavut Water Board – 2BE-RBP0811, Amendment of Licence Type B – Roche Bay Project  
(G. Williams, Advanced Exploration Inc.)**

Date due: **February 6, 2011**

Dear Richard Dwyer

The Government of Nunavut – Culture, Language, Elders and Youth (GN- CLEY) has reviewed the information for the amended licence assignment to Advanced Exploration Inc., to use water or deposit of waste water at the Roche Bay Project.

The department does not object to the application. However, and for the proponent's knowledge, our records indicate 16 known archaeological sites within four (4) km of the proponent's new camp. In addition, there is one known site equal distant, at five km each way, from both the first and new sites. Twenty-two sites are between four (4) km and eight km (8) north and north-west of the new site; as well as 10 archaeological sites south and southwest of the new camp.

The proponent must appreciate that it is their responsibility to ensure that no palaeontological or archaeological sites are disturbed in the course of their activities. All archaeological and palaeontological sites in Nunavut are protected by law.

Should any additional sites or artifacts be encountered, the proponent must contact the Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth.

Sincerely,

Edward Atkinson, for

Douglas R. Stenton, PhD  
Director, Culture and Heritage