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RE: 2BE-RBP0608 Spill Contingency Plan Revision January 21, 2008

Dear Ms Ramcharan;

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") would like to acknowledge receipt on January 30, 2008 of the above Plan submitted as additional information with the recent Amendment application. The previous two amendments issued for Licence 2BE-RBP0608 included the requirement to update the Plan and include specific information as requested by interested parties during the review period of the respective amendment applications. The recent technical review carried out concurrent with the 3rd Amendment application has identified items that have not been addressed from previous reviews of the Plan and new, additional items not previously captured.

These items include the following:

From Amendment No.1:

- The Spill Contingency Plan should identify both licensees and their contact information to ensure that a representative of both companies can be contacted if necessary;
- Maps have been included within the Plan, however a more detailed map, appropriately scaled to indicate camp location and setting and location in relation to sensitive water resources and environmental habitat, camp components; Fuel caches and fuel tanks, transportation links including airstrip and helipads and emergency response equipment and supplies. Typical topographical maps can be used where site specific mapping has not yet been completed. Separate maps may be required;
- Spill reporting procedures on Pg.9 should include the immediate contact of the Inspector at 867-975-4295 following the reporting of a spill to the 24hr Spill Report Line;

From Amendment No.2

- As above, advise the Inspector immediately following report of a spill to the 24hr Spill Report Line;
- Update the contact list to include the INAC Field Operations Manager at 867-975-4295;
- Update the contact list to include the Environment Canada's 24hr emergency pager number of Ph. 867-766-3737 and Fax. 867-873-8185; and
- Suggestion of moving the important contact information from the last Appendix to an area either within the main document or initial appendix so it doesn't get buried after the MSDS information.

Additional requirements of the current review include:

- The description of the fuel caches should include the volume of the secondary containment provided (should be a minimum of 110% of the total volume contained);
- Diagram or map showing the configuration and details of the main fuel caches, including the temporary barge laydown, as above in under the mapping requirements;
- Additional detail on the fuel cache inspections, frequency, how often they are carried out and documentation;
- Additional contact information as provided by INAC in their comments dated April 4, 2008; and
- Additional detail on the fuel management practices and measures taken to prevent spills.

Currently, there is no requirement for an Approval of the Board for the Plan under Licence 2BE-RBP0608, and as such the NWB has acknowledged receipt of the Plan as per Part G, Item 1 of the Licence. The NWB requests that the Licensee provide an updated Spill Contingency Plan within thirty (30) days of issuance of this letter, or within an Application for Renewal of Licence 2BE-RBP0608, whichever occurs first, for approval of the Board in writing.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at (780) 443-4406, at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Original signed by:

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