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NUNAVUT IMALIRIYIN KATIMAYINGI

File No: NWB2TAH0103

April 9, 2002

Ms. Gladys Joudrey
Environmental Assessment Officer
Nunavut Impact Review Board
P.O. Box 2379
Cambridge Bay, NU X0E 0C0

Subject: Major General Resources Ltd. – Tahoe Lake – Request for Screening – Amendment

The Nunavut Water Board received an application for permit amendment on April 9, 2002 from Major General Resources Ltd. for water use and waste disposal associated with on-ice drilling

In accordance with Articles 12 and 13 of the *Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada*, this project *might* need to be screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board to determine whether it has significant impact potential, and whether it requires review, before the application can be processed by the Nunavut Water Board.

Please determine if screening is necessary at this time. Note that the drilling locations are in the same area as the original application, which was screened under NIRB File No: 01CN075 as indicated by the Screening Decision Reported dated June 28, 2001. As well, the proponent has indicated a **preferred start date of May 1, 2002.**

The application documents are available through the internet on our ftp site at <ftp.nwb.yk.com> in the folder "NWB2TAH0103." At this point, we do not have an executive summary either in English or Inuktitut. However, if you could already determine the need for screening at this time, and we'll forward the rest of the materials to you when they are received.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Rita Becker
Licensing Administrator

cc. Graham Gill, Major General Resources Ltd.