From: Thistle, Wayne

To: <u>Phyllis Beaulieu</u>; <u>Jim Walls</u>; <u>Hamlet of Rankin Inlet</u>

Cc: Steve Lines; Don Carr

Subject: RE: 3AM-GRA---- Application for New Type A Water Licence - Hamlet of Rankin Inlet

**Date:** Tuesday, November 24, 2009 2:55:27 PM

## Hi Don;

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 23, 2009.

The Dept. of Community & Government Services is aware of the recharge rate of Nipisar Lake. CGS has awarded a contract to a consultant for a water consumption audit & leak detection survey to try & determine were all the water is going. We have also conducted a bathymetric survey of the lake to determine the actual volume. The water level in the lake seems to have dropped about 2.5 feet in recent years.

We are also investigating the option of installing an over land seasonal pipe line and pumping water from another lake into Nipisar Lake.

CGS is requested that Nunavut Water Board proceed with the water license renewal as submitted. If further action is required to replenish the community water supply CGS may seek an amendment to the license when the above mention studies are completed and a course of action is more defined.

Regards, Wayne

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Importance: High

The Nunavut Water Board forwarded the attached letter to you on October 22, 2009 and to date has not had a reply. It would be appreciated if the requested information could be forwarded as soon as possible so that this file can proceed forward. Please advise Regards,

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