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NWB File No. 3BC-AET----

Dr. Steven Siciliano, Assistant Professor
Dept. of Soil Sciences
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University of Saskatchewan
51 Campus Drive
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Subject: Soil Properties and Greenhouse Gas Emissions in High Arctic Soils – Water License Application

Dear Dr. Siciliano:

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB or Board”) acknowledges your application dated May 28, 2008 for a Type B water licence for research camps located at Alexandra Fiord, Eastwind Lake and Truelove Lowland, in the Qikiqtani region of Nunavut. In processing this application, the NWB has determined that the time period for which the application was made has almost lapsed. Accordingly the NWB is returning your application.

To ensure adequate time for processing of future applications, the NWB recommends that an application be submitted at least 90 days prior to any planned commencement of water use or deposition of waste requiring a water licence. If the water use and/or the deposition of waste are likely to extend over several years, the NWB also encourages applicants to apply for a multi-year term.

If you require further information on the application process, please contact the Manager of Licensing at licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Phyllis Beaulieu
Manager of Licensing

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