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Subject: Licence No. 3BC-TER0811 "Tern Island Project", Environment Canada

Canadian Wildlife Service; Submission of the 2008 and 2009 Annual Reports

Dear Mr. Mallory:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") has completed a technical review of the 2008 and 2009 Annual Reports for the above-mentioned project, which were received on November 4, 2009. The annual reports were distributed for information. Comments were received from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

INAC stated:

The following items are noted as outstanding requirements of the water license and the annual report

- 1) GPS Coordinates/Locations of sumps used for wastes;
- 2) Daily quantities of water used;
- 3) Spill Plan has to include all items in Part H Item 1 of the water license;
- 4) Abandonment and Restoration Plan as per Part I of the water license;
- 5) Water Monitoring as per Part J of the water license;
- 6) List of any unauthorized discharges or spills. If none occurred then this should be stated in the Annual Report.

INAC comments are available at NWB's FTP site under ftp://nunavutwaterboard.org.

The Part B, Item 1 of licence states:

- 1. The Licensee shall file an Annual Report on the appurtenant undertaking with the Board no later than March 31st of the year following the calendar year being reported, containing the following information:
- c. An up-to-date copy of the Spill Contingency Plan, including contact information;

d. A description of all progressive and or final reclamation work undertaken, including photographic records of site conditions before, during and after completion of operations;

e. A summary of all information requested and results of the Monitoring Program.

The licensee is requested to include the above mentioned information within the annual reports.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 360-6338, at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By:

Karén Kharatyan Technical Advisor

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