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VIA: EMAIL

**Re: Implementation Plan for Responding to the Nunavut Water Board
Letter of June 19, 2006 to the Hamlet of Baker Lake**

Dear Ms. Gagne:

Attached please find a table ("Implementation Plan") indicating the proposed methods and schedule for responding to Mr. Joe Murdoch's letter of June 19, 2006. Due to the number and complexity of issues raised in Mr. Murdoch's letter, the Hamlet and Department of Community and Government Services (CGS) requires time to address the issues. While the attached Implementation Plan provides a detailed schedule for addressing each item, in general the proposed schedule contemplates submission of a significant portion of the information requested by January 31, 2007, followed by the remaining information on or before August 31, 2007.

Fortunately, a study of the wastewater system is currently underway with an interim report due before the end of this year. A final report of this same study is due in August 2007. A number of additional reports will need to be generated to address all the issues in Mr. Murdoch's letter: these will require additional resources which will be made available over the next 8 months.

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I trust you will consider the attached Implementation Plan sufficient demonstration that the Hamlet and CGS are taking action to resolve the outstanding issues related to the Hamlet of Baker Lake's Water Licence and that the re-licencing process can continue. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Yours Truly

Original Signed By

Nick Lawson
Operations

- c. Brian Purdy, Municipal Planning Engineer, CGS
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Attachments