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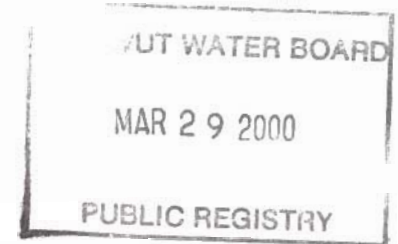
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Follow-up on March 6, 2000's visit

First of all, I wish to thank Howard Babiuk and yourself for the much appreciated time and assistance you both provided me last week during my brief stay in Cambridge Bay. I look forward to the upcoming summer and the opportunity to cooperate on the upkeep of the Hamlet's water treatment facilities.

As promised, attached is the Operation and Maintenance manual provided by the Nunavut Water Board, which I hope can prove helpful to Mr. Babiuk in the elaboration of his management database. Also included is a copy of the Annual Report template supplied to the Hamlet in past years.

For your information, Kojo Kumi of Community Government and Transportation handed me a document titled *Environmental Audit and Site Contamination Assessment of Cambridge Bay Waste Disposal Sites (Sewage Lagoon; Solid Waste Site; Bulk Materials Disposal Site)*. I passed a copy over to the NWB, who will presumably consider whether or not the document satisfies any of the requirements under Part D of the Water licence.

Lastly, I realize that the Hamlet will very unlikely have sufficient time and resources to fulfill all outstanding requirements I underlined during our meeting prior to the expiry of the current Water licence, on July 31, 2000. However, since I will inevitably be required to examine the Hamlet's compliance during the forthcoming licence renewal procedures, a genuine attempt at resolving the said issues might ease the process considerably. In that regards, just let us know if our District office or other agencies can render further aid.

Please feel free to contact me at (867) 975-4298 or lavalleep@inac.gc.ca should any questions/comments arise.

Sincerely,



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