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August 4th, 2006

File: 3BM-CAP (formerly NWB3CAP)
Email: gstrong@dillon.ca

Gary Strong
Principal
Dillon Consulting Limited

Subject: Cape Dorset Sewage Lagoon Water Licence Amendment – Update and First Notice of Technical Meeting

Dear Mr. Strong:

The NWB has received responses from DCL on July 19th, and July 24th, 2006 to NWB letters issued to DCL on June 21st, 2006 and July 6th, 2006. These responses will be forwarded to regulatory and public bodies for information purposes under a separate letter. The NWB will not seek written responses from regulatory and public bodies to the above listed DCL responses. In lieu of Intervener written responses, the NWB has opted to hold a technical meeting to discuss the final engineered design and all associated issues requiring additional information. The NWB has tentatively scheduled a technical meeting in Cape Dorset on **Tuesday September 12th, 2006**. The NWB will develop and circulate an agenda closer to this meeting date. GN/Dillon, on the Hamlet of Cape Dorset's behalf, will be required to present a final engineered design and give a site visit to where the new proposed sewage lagoon will be located. GN/Dillon will also field questions from regulatory and public bodies present, the NWB, and their consultants. The NWB would like to hold a brief teleconference on **August 23rd, 2006** to discuss what materials are expected to be presented and ensure that ambiguity does not exist.

The NWB would also like to address the following:

- i. The NWB will consider DCL materials submitted to address the options available for the deposit of sewage separately from the technical concerns identified in the NWB's June 21st, 2006 letter. The NWB will issue a response to the public concern of Mr. Claude Constantineau prior to the technical meeting.
- ii. During our July 25th, 2006 telephone conversation you had inquired on how DCL was to address the Intervener concerns filed in response to the NWB's June 21st, 2006 letter. You had also stated that some overlap exists regarding the concerns expressed in the NWB's June 21st, 2006 letter and the Intervener comments filed in response to the NWB's June 21st, 2006 letter. I had advised you that if overlap does exist then DCL is not required to readdress the issue through a separate specific response to each Intervener body. If an Intervener comment is specific and is not identified in the NWB's June 21st, 2006 letter then it is in the best interest of DCL to provide commentary and discuss the Intervener specific issue.
- iii. As per our telephone conversation on August 1st, 2006 I had advised you to consult Jim Rogers (INAC) to assist in determining if the road undertaking you are proposing does or does not require a water licence. Through your discussions with Jim Rogers you have determined that the road construction you are proposing is not in violation of the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Tribunal Act.
- iv. Also, as per our telephone conversation on August 1st, 2006, we had discussed the issue of signed and stamped final drawings. I had indicated that the submitted drawings, provided by Trevor Wotherspoon on February 24th, 2006 with your final submission, were preliminary drawings. There was no discussion that the hardcopies to be received at a later date would deviate from the electronic drawings submitted in your final submission. You had also indicated that you had helped develop the NAPEGG protocol for the use of electronic stamps. As per our

discussion, and through correspondence with INAC, it was agreed that in future submissions DCL is to provide final drawings in electronic format in their final submission with the accompaniment of identical stamped and signed final drawing hardcopies.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact the undersigned at tech1@nwb.nunavut.ca.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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Coordinator of Technical Services

cc. Art Stewart (Hamlet of Cape Dorset)
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