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Re: Ownership of Abandon Dumpsites

Attached is the copy of a letter from D.I.A.N.D. regarding Water Licence Annual Report for year 2000-2001 and outlining conditions required under this licence. We have semi-completed Operations and maintenance Manual and we will provide a copy to the Nunavut Water Board. But, I need your help to identify the ownership of the abandoned dumpsites. Our Water Licence requires the Hamlet to report the ownership of these sites.

It has been a concern by the community of Gjoa Haven to have these abandon dumpsites be clean, but there are regulations we have to follow before we can start the cleaning. Also, funding is the other factor that the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven needs to address in order to clean these sites. However, it is the opinion of the Hamlet Council that not all abandon dumpsites belong to Hamlet of Gjoa Haven.

The feeling of our Hamlet Council is that any dumpsites created prior to 1981 are the responsibility of the Government or their agencies overseeing land issues during that period. In 1981 the community was designated as an Incorporated Hamlet Council and any sites created during the following years would be the responsibility of Community Local Government.

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We would like your assistance to clarify the ownership and responsibility for these sites. The three main concerns are the sites as per attached co-ordinates. (Appendix A).

We look forward to a timely response.

Sincerely



Raymond Kamookak
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Hamlet of Gjoa Haven

cc. -Nunavut Water Board
-Sherif El-Attar, Regional Municipal Engineer, CG&T

Appendix A



GOVERNMENT OF NUNAVUT Community Planner (Kilikmeot)

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Planning and Lands Administrator Trainee
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November 20, 2001

Dear Richard,

RE: COORDINATES OF THREE SITES ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE HAMLET

I refer to your fax request directed to Sandy Stewart dated November 16, 2001.

Since Sandy had to leave on a duty trip to Kugaaruk, he asked me to please tend to your request.

You have circled three areas on a plan on the outskirts of Gjoa Haven and would like to have their coordinates. I just changed these circled areas into three squares and hereby give you the coordinates for the four corners of each of these squares, starting in the top left corner of each of these three squares:

AREA 1, to the southeast of the hamlet on the way to the waste dump
383 500E, 7 6 4 600 N
383 700E, 7 6 4 600 N
383 700E, 7 6 4 400N
383 500E, 7 6 4 400N

AREA 2, to the southwest of the hamlet on the other side of Peterson Bay
382 075E, 7 6 5 400N
382 450E, 7 6 5 400N
382 450E, 7 6 5 000N
382 075E, 7 6 5 000N

AREA 3, to the north of the hamlet next to the airstrip
383 750E, 7 6 17 000N
384 000E, 7 6 17 000N
384 000E, 7 6 16 800N
383 750E, 7 6 16 800N

Regards,

Rida de Beer
ADB/ Coordinates of three sites