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Manager of Licensing Nunavut Water Board P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU, X0E 1J0

Via electronic mail to: licensing@nwb.nunavut.ca

Re: NWB3GRI0308 - 2003 Annual Report

On behalf of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC), I would like to thank the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for the opportunity to provide comment on the 2003 Annual Report for the Hamlet of Grise Fiord. This report was submitted in accordance with Part B, Item 1, of Water Licence NWB3GRI0308.

INAC's review of the 2003 Annual Report would indicate that the majority of the reporting requirements required under Part B, Item 1, of the Current Licence were adequately addressed in this report. We do request, however, that the results from monitoring stations GRI-2 and GRI-4, as required by Part B, Section 1(i) and described in Part H, Section 2, be provided to the NWB at the earliest available opportunity.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if there are any further questions or concerns.

Best regards,

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