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Subject: Licence No. 3BM-KUG1520 – Review of 2015 and 2016 Annual Reports

Dear Mr. LeBlanc and Mr. Alan:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB or Board) has completed the review of the 2015 and 2016 Annual Reports (Reports) submitted by the Hamlet of Kugluktuk in order to fulfill relevant requirements under Licence No. 3BM-KUG1520.

Copies of the Reports which were distributed to the public for information purposes are available at the NWB Public Registry using the following link:

[ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/3%20MUNICIPAL/3B/3BM%20-%20Municipality/3BM-KUG1520/3%20TECH/1%20GENERAL%20\(B\)/2%20ANNUAL%20RPT/](ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/3%20MUNICIPAL/3B/3BM%20-%20Municipality/3BM-KUG1520/3%20TECH/1%20GENERAL%20(B)/2%20ANNUAL%20RPT/)

The 2015 and 2016 Reports are generally complete and consistent with the reporting requirements of the Licence 3BM-KUG1520. However, the Board notes that the information regarding the monthly and yearly quantities of authorized Waste accepted at the Solid Waste Facilities was not reported by the Hamlet.

Also, the NWB notes that the requirements pertaining to the Monitoring Program were not fulfilled. Reports did not address sampling and analysis as required under Part J, Item 1 of the 3BM-KUG1520 Water Licence. The following issues were found:

1. Monitoring station results for the Landfarm Effluent (Monitoring Station No. KUG-5) were not reported in the 2015 Report.
2. Monitoring station results for the Old Sewage Lagoon (Monitoring Station No. KUG-6) and the thermistors reading (Monitoring Station No. KUG-7) were not reported in the Reports.

Further to that, the review found that the Licensee did not complete the required number of samplings events for each Monitoring Station pursuant to the number required under Part J, Item 1 of the Water Licence.

The Board would like to remind the Licensee that without consistent environmental monitoring, the Board and other interested parties possess few means to properly assess the environmental performance of the Hamlet facilities.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the NWB's Licensing Department at 867-979-3079 or by email to licensing@nwb-oen.ca

Regards,
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