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Nov. 10, 2006

Mike Richards
SAO, Hamlet of Qikiqtarjuaq
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Subject: 2005 Annual Report

Dear Mike Richards,

The **Nunavut Water Board** (NWB) has reviewed the 2005 Annual Report, which is to fulfill the requirement of **Part B Item 1**, water licence **NWB3QIK0106**. Any outstanding data and reports will be looked forward to in the re-submission of water license renewal application, currently on file (received by the **NWB** on May 31, 2006).

The **NWB** understands that the Hamlet reported 18389 m³ of water use (metered) and 16916 m³ of sewage disposal (estimated) in 2005. The **NWB** would like to know what kind of method was used to estimate the sewage disposal amount.

The Hamlet reported some concerns about water supply quality and sewage disposal effluent quality, but did not provide detailed report of sampling and analysis results to the Board. As per **Schedule I, Part D, Item 1 of NWB3QIK0106**, *the Licensee shall, unless otherwise requested by an Inspector, include all of the data and information required by the Surveillance Network Program(SNP) in the Licensee's Annual Report, which Report shall be submitted to the Board on or before March 31st of the year following the calendar year being reported.* The **NWB** requests the data as set in the license. As per **Section 57 (b)** of the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* (NWNSRTA), this will be considered in the renewal application received on May 31, 2006.

The **NWB** would also like to remind the Hamlet to **Part G, Item 1 of NWB3QIK0106**. Here it states that *the Licensee shall, within 6 months of the issuance of this license, submit to the Board, a Plan for the Operation and Maintenance of the Sewage and Solid Waste Disposal Facilities.* The Hamlet has yet not submitted this Plan to the Board. As per the conditions set in the license, the Hamlet of Qikiqtarjuaq is to provide an operation and maintenance manual



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for the lagoon and solid waste facility. As per **Section 57 (b)** of the NWNSRTA, this will be considered in the renewal application received on May 31, 2006.

If you require assistance whatsoever please feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 360-6338ext.27 or tech4@nunavutwaterboard.org.

Sincerely,

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