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Manager of Licensing  
Nunavut Water Board  
P.O. Box 119  
Gjoa Haven, Nunavut  
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Attention: Ms. Phyllis Beaulieu

**Subject:** Extension of Licences for DYE-M, CAM-3, FOX-3 and BAF-3

**References:**

- A. Licence NWB6DYE0409 – Type “B”, Cape Dyer (DYE-M), Nunavut;
- B. Licence NWB6BAF0409 – Type “B”, Brevoort Island (BAF-3), Nunavut;
- C. Licence NWB6SHE0409 – Type “B”, Shepherd Bay (CAM-3), Nunavut; and
- D. Licence NWB6FOD0409 – Type “B”, Dewar Lakes (FOX-3), Nunavut.

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Dear Ms. Beaulieu:

The purpose of this letter is to reiterate Major Cameron’s reasons for requesting the timely renewal of the above referenced Water Licences. Nasittuq Corporation (“Nasittuq”) has continuing requirements to attend the sites. Two (2) of the sites, BAF-3 and FOX-3 will have major activities starting well before the estimated approval date of the new Water Licences.

As mentioned by Major Cameron, Dew Line Clean-Up (“DLCU”) activities at FOX-3 are scheduled to begin in early March and run until the end of October. As Nasittuq has Care, Custody and Control of FOX-3, Nasittuq will be required to “ramp-up” the site which involves a minimum of six (6) Nasittuq employees attending the site, in addition to the DLCU people. For health and safety reasons it would be impossible to ramp-up the site and provide the required support to DLCU without an existing water licence.

We have a similar condition at BAF-3. As you are aware, there are major clean-up activities taking place at BAF-3. Nasittuq will be attending the site in early to mid April

to start the snow clearing process in preparation for a ramp-up of the site. There will be a significant number of individuals attending the site from April through October and as with FOX-3 a water licence is essential to provide a healthy and safe environment.

In addition to the situations discussed above, if there is a requirement for Nasittuq to attend a site for Corrective or Emergency activities, a group of Nasittuq employees may need to attend the site for several days. The lack of a water licence would cause undue hardship and health and safety concerns for these employees.

We can not emphasis enough how vital it is to be granted an extension to the current licences. Without the licences, Nasittuq will be unable to meet its contractual obligations which could result in serious repercussions to Nasittuq as we will be in default of contract.

Yours sincerely,

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