

LUPIN MINES INCORPORATED

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Ms. Phyllis Beaulieu
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Via Email: Phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca

Re: Request for renewal of the use of water or deposit of waste without a licence 8WLC-LUP1415.

Dear Ms Beaulieu,

Lupin Mines Incorporated (LMI) filed a renewal application for the Type A water licence related to mining and milling activities for the Lupin mine on February 28, 2014. The water licence expired on March 31, 2014, and the renewed licence (2AM-LUP1520) has been sent to the Minister for approval, which LMI understands has 45 days to review, approve, not approve or request changes, with the option to extend an additional 45 days.

On June 2, 2014 LMI was issued licence 8WLC-LUP1415 which is set to expire on June 1, 2015. LMI is requesting a renewal of the licence 8WLC-LUP1415 to ensure that a limited number of persons would be able to be mobilized to site, from time to time this summer, to carry out inspections and maintenance work as needed to ensure environmental risks are minimized until such time as LMI receives the approved 2AM-LUP1520 licence.

With the limited scope and environmental objectives outlined in the attached description of the undertaking, the associated use of water and disposal of waste does not require a licence under the Nunavut Waters Regulations. It is important to note that there is no use of water for mining or discharge of effluent from facilities pertaining to the Type A mining licence proposed as part of this request.

Attached with this cover letter are the completed application form for the approval of water use or waste disposal without a licence, and brief description of activities in English and Inuktitut. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,



Karyn Lewis