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January 19, 2010

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Email: wayne.pollard@mcgill.ca

Via email and regular mail

NWB File No.: 3BC-MGU----

<u>Subject: Application for Water Licence – Arctic Research Project – McGill University</u>

Dear Mr. Pollard:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB or Board) acknowledges receipt of the above application on June 11, 2008 for a Type B water licence for Arctic Research. In processing this application, the NWB has determined that the file remains deficient in a number of areas and time period for which the application was made has now lapsed. Accordingly, the NWB is returning your application and closing this file.

To ensure adequate time for processing of future applications, the NWB recommends that an application be submitted at least 90 days prior to any planned commencement of water use or deposition of waste requiring a water licence. If the water use and/or the deposition of waste are likely to extend over several years, the NWB also encourages applicants to apply for a multi-year term.

In closing, the NWB draws your attention to sections 11 and 12 of the *NWNSRTA*, which, subject to certain exceptions, prohibits the use of waters and deposition of waste in Nunavut except in accordance with the conditions of a licence.

If you require further information on the application process, please contact the Manager of Licensing at licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing

Cc: INAC Inspections