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Mardy Semmler Inuvialuit Water Board PO Box 2351 Inuvik NT X0E 0T0

Dear Mardy:

Re: Hamlet of Tuktoyaktuk – Municipal Water Licence Application

This letter and attached documents were prepared in response to the request for additional information from the Inuvialuit Water Board (IWB), in a letter dated September 25, 2015.

In reference to the letter from the IWB:

Item 1. A public consultation was not conducted and feedback from the community was not solicited in relation to the Hamlet's Water License Application. The infrastructure described in our application is all more than twenty years old, some dating back to the 1950s.

- Item 2. A map providing the locations of SNP locations is attached.
- Item 3. A revised Spill Contingency Plan is attached.
- Item 4. A revised O&M Plan for the Sewage Disposal Facility is attached. Please note that in relation to:
- 4 b. The sewage disposal facility was constructed by the Federal Government several decades ago and engineered plans are not available.
- 4 g. Sludge levels are not monitored. The Hamlet is planning to measure depth levels of the sewage lagoon working from the ice cover during the next few months, once the ice is a safe working depth.
- Item 5. A revised O&M Plan for the Solid Waste Disposal Facility is attached. Please note that in relation to:
- 5 a&c. The solid waste disposal facility was constructed by the Federal Government several decades ago, upgraded by the GNWT during the 1980's and engineered plans are not available.
- 5 f. The Hamlet does not have a contaminated soil and snow management plan.

Item 6. A Hazardous Waste Management Plan is not available. No hazardous waste is accepted at the landfill. The Hamlet collects used vehicle batteries and used oil, as a courtesy, only from residents and stores this waste at the Hamlet's cold storage facility. Used batteries are shipped for recycling once per year. Used oil is burnt as a heating fuel in a furnace locally.

I trust this information will satisfy the requirements of the IWB. Please contact me if you require further information.

Sincerely,

Terry Testart

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SAO, Hamlet of Tuktoyaktuk
Mayor and Council
Chairperson, Inuvialuit Water Board

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