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September 15, 2009

Northwest Territories Water Board P.O. Box 2531 Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Attn:

Mike Harlow, Executive Director

RE:

**Industrial Water Use (N7L1-1761)** 

Dear Mr. Harlow,

Please find the enclosed Inspection/Audit Report for your review and/or records.

An electronic copy (un-editable Adobe pdf.) has also been provided by e-mail.

With the exception of the administrative violation as indicated in the Inspection Report, Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) North Mackenzie District was unable to identify any water use and/or waste disposal issues as a result of this Water Licence. INAC North Mackenzie District "Recommends File Closure" of Water Licence N7L1-1761, pending the NWT Water Board's acceptance of the Licensee's compliance with this Water Licence.

If you have any questions/concerns regarding the enclosed/attached, and/or if additional information is required, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 777-8909.

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Sincerely,

Jan/Davies

Water Resource Officer

Cc: Conrad Baetz, District Manager, North Mackenzie District, Inuvik, NT

Industrial Inspection/Audit Report and Cover Letter (3 pages) Enclosure:



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Burlington Resources Canada Energy Ltd. 3700 Bow Valley Square IV 250-6th Avenue SW Calgary, AB, T2P 3H7

Attn: Beric Evans

**RE:** Industrial Water Use (N7L1-1761)

Dear Mr. Evans,

A final inspection/audit of the Burlington Resources Canada Energy Ltd. Water Licence N7L1-1761 (expiry November 30, 2002) was conducted on September 15, 2009. Specifically, the Water Licence was inspected to ensure that the terms and conditions were met. Enclosed is a copy of the Inspection Report (1 page) for your review and/or records.

Unfortunately, there was one violation during this inspection period. Please review this violation in the Inspection Report. Specifically, our records indicate that the requirement under Part B1 relating to the Annual Report submission has not been received by the Northwest Territories Water Board. If this issue has been addressed please contact the undersigned at your earliest convenience.

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada(INAC) North Mackenzie District was unable to identify any water use and/or waste disposal issues as a result of this Water Licence. Please note that final consideration for file closure of a Water Licence is mandated by the NWT Water Board, and pending it's acceptance of your compliance with this Water Licence, INAC North Mackenzie District "Recommends File Closure" of Water Licence N7L1-1761.

If you have any questions/concerns regarding the enclosed/attached, and/or if additional information is required, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 777-8909.

Sincerely,

Jan/Davies

Water Resource Officer

Cc: Conrad Baetz, District Manager, North Mackenzie District, Inuvik, NT

Enclosure: Industrial Inspection/Audit Report (1 page)

#### INDUSTRIAL WATER USE INSPECTION REPORT

LICENCEE: Burlington Resources Canada LICENCE #: N7L1-1761 Energy Ltd.	DATE:	September 15, 2009	COMPANY REP:	Beric Evans
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Source:	Mackenzie R /un-named lakes	Quantity Used:	See Annual Report	Meter Rdg	N/A					

<u>I</u>	<u> 1dicate: A - Ac</u>	ceptable	U - Unaccept	table	N/A - Not Applicabl	e N	'I - Not Inspected	
Γ	Intake Facilities	N/A	Storage Structures	N/A	Treatment Systems	N/A	Recycling	N/A
	Flow Meas. Device		Conveyance Lines	N/A	Pumping Stations	N/A	Modifications	N/A

#### Comments

No concerns or outstanding issues. Please refer to the February 27, 2001 Inspection Report.

#### WASTE DISPOSAL

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Well Waste	Off-Site Removal	N/A	Drilling Sump	N/A	Downhole	N/A	Land spread	N/A
Tailings:	Tailings Pond	N/A	Natural Lake	N/A	Underground	N/A		
Sewage:	Sewage Treat. System	N/A	Tailings pond	N/A	Natural Water Body	N/A		
	Continuous Discharge	N/A	Inter, Discharge	N/A				
Solid Waste:	Open Dump	N/A	Landfill	N/A	Burn & Bury	N/A	Underground	N/A

Indicate: A - Acceptable		U - Unacceptable		N/A - Not App	licable N/I -	N/I - Not Inspected	
Discharge Quality	N/A	Conveyance	N/A	Disch. Meas.	N/A	Freeboard	N/A
		Lines		Dev.			383
Decant Structures	N/A	Pond Treatment	N/A	Dams, Dykes	N/A	Seepages	N/A
Dyke Inspections	N/A	Runoff Diversion	N/A	Erosion	N/A	Spills	N/A

Effluent Discharge Rate	N/A	Samples Collected:	N/A	

#### Comments:

- Site was acceptable during the February 27, 2001 Water Licence Inspection with the exception the garbage incinerator leaving a fallout plume over camp. Site was acceptable during subsequent Land Use Inspection/Permit Closure.
- Incinolet toilets were used to dispose of camp sewage. Grey water was stored in a snow berm at the camp location and when the camp moved the berm was destroyed and the water was spread evenly along the ground. Grey water was also put through a steamer and the remaining amount was hauled by vacuum truck to the Inuvik Waste Facility.
- Non-combustible garbage was hauled to Tuk and/or Inuvik landfill sites.

### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

Indicate: A - Acceptable		J - Unacceptable	N/A	<ul> <li>Not Applic</li> </ul>	able N/1 - Not Inspected	
Ore & Waste Rock Stockpiles	N/A	Records & Reporting		U	Surv. Net. Prog.	N/A
Geotechnical Inspection	N/A	Posting, Signage		N/A	Contingency Plan	N/A
Restorations Activities	N/A	New Construction		N/A	Fuel Storage	N/A
Mine Water Discharge	N/A	Chemical Storage		N/A	Annual Report	U

#### Comments

- Annual Report for 2000/2001 was received by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada North Mackenzie District Office but was not submitted to the Northwest Territories Water Board.
- Annual Report for 2002 has not been received by the Northwest Territories Water Board

#### Violations of Act of Licence:

Part B1 - 2000 to 2002 Final Reports not submitted to the Board.

Inspector's Signature: