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Ms. Colleen Prather  
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De Beers Canada Inc.

Dear Ms. Prather:

**De Beers Canada Inc. 2017 Snap Lake Environmental Agreement Annual Report Resubmission**

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Thank you for the resubmission of the Snap Lake Mine 2017 Environmental Agreement Annual Report (EAAR), version 1.1, as requested by the Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) on February 15, 2019. In follow-up to comments received from Parties to the Environmental Agreement (the Agreement), as per section 10 of the Agreement.

The GNWT has reviewed the resubmission and are pleased to conclude that the submission does address Parties comments.

Therefore, no further action is required with respect to the 2017 Snap Lake EAAR. We look forward to continued and early discussion in advance of submission of the 2018 Annual Report, as described in section 10.1(d).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (867) 767-9233 extension 53095 or [Loretta\\_ransom@gov.nt.ca](mailto:Loretta_ransom@gov.nt.ca).

Sincerely,

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