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File: MV2011L2-0004

Honourable J. Michael Miltenberger
Minister of Environment and Natural Resources
Government of the Northwest Territories
P.O. Box 1320
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Dear Minister Miltenberger:

**Board Recommendation for Approval of the Amendment to Type A Water Licence
MV2011L2-0004 – De Beers Canada Inc. – Snap Lake Mine**

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB or the Board) has completed its regulatory process for the amendment of the De Beers Canada Inc. Type A Water Licence MV2011L2-0004 for the Snap Lake Mine, at Snap Lake, NT, submitted November 12, 2014. A motion was passed by the Board to forward the attached Water Licence and Reasons for Decision to you for your approval.

As this is a Type A Water Licence, it requires your signature under section 37 of the *Waters Act* and section 72.13 of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* as delegated under Schedule A of the Delegation Instrument. The MVLWB recommends your approval and signature.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. Hagen", written over a vertical line.

Willard Hagen
Chair

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Attachments:

- Water Licence
- Reasons for Decision