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Application # MV2011L40002
Copied To LB/RG

Dear Mr. Hagen:

Thank you for your letter of May 24, 2012, regarding the renewal of the Northwest Territories Power Corporation – Taltson Hydroelectric Facility, Type "A" Water Licence MV2011L4-0002 and Reasons for Decision.

I am pleased to inform you that I have approved the renewed water licence as recommended by the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board. The signed licence is enclosed.

Sincerely,

John Duncan, PC, MP

Encl.

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**Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board
Water Licence**

Pursuant to the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* and Regulations, the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board, hereinafter referred to as the Board, hereby grants to:

Northwest Territories Power Corporation
(Licensee)

of 4 Capital Drive, Hay River, NT X0E 1G2
(mailing address)

hereinafter called the Licensee, the right to alter, divert or otherwise use water subject to the restrictions and conditions contained in the *Northwest Territories Waters Act* and Regulations made thereunder and subject to and in accordance with the conditions specified in this Licence.

Licence number: MV2011L4-0002

Licence type: A

Water management area: Northwest Territories 01

Location: Taltson River Basin, Northwest Territories
61°40'N, 109°56'W and 60°25'N, 110°24'W

Purpose: Storage and Diversion of Water for
Hydroelectric Generation Purposes

Description: Class 4 Hydropower Generation

Effective date of licence: August 31, 2012

Expiry date of licence: August 30, 2027

This Licence issued and recorded at Yellowknife includes and is subject to the annexed conditions.

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Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board

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Approved by

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