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[S13A-002/S13L1-005](#)

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Dear Ms. Von Kuster

**RE: Type A Land Use Permit Extension Request S13A-005 &
Type B Water Licence Renewal Application S13L1-002
Slater River Drilling Program – Suspension and Reclamation Activities
Deemed Complete**

The Sahtu Land and Water Board (SLWB or Board) received your renewal application for Licence S13L1-005 and extension request for Permit S13A-002 on July 10, 2018. After careful review of the applications and the additional information received on July 16, 2018, the applications have been “**Deemed Complete**” as of today.

Your Land Use Permit Extension Request will be processed under paragraph 26(6) of the Mackenzie Valley Land Use Regulations (MVLUR); which grants the Board the authority to extend the term of the permit for an additional period not exceeding two years. The extension request follows the same process as a new application with a 3 week review period. A draft permit will not be prepared as the conditions should remain the same as the activities remain largely unchanged however are progressing from operations/exploration into reclamation activities.

Your Water Licence Renewal Application will be processed in accordance with the Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act (MVRMA). Following review of the application, the SLWB will take one of the following actions:

1. Issue a Type B licence, subject to any conditions included under section 72 of the MVRMA;
2. Order that a hearing be held, under section 72.15 of the MVRMA;
3. Refer the Application to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (MVEIRB) for an environmental assessment under subsection 125(1) of the MVRMA; or
4. Where a requirement set out in section 61 or 62 of the MVRMA has not been met, refuse to issue a licence.

We will circulate the applications to review organizations today and may need to update the Preliminary Environmental Screening upon receipt of responses from these organizations. Additional information may be required during the review process.

Regards,

Sabrina Sturman
Sahtu Land and Water Board
Regulatory Specialist

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