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February 20, 2018

Dear Ms. Love:

Re: Extension Request for the Gahcho Kué Mine Interim Closure and Reclamation Plan V.4 (MV2005L2-0015 and MV2005C032)

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (the Board) issued a letter to De Beers Canada Inc. (De Beers) on February 13, 2018 deferring approval of the closure criteria and requesting that De Beers re-submit the Gahcho Kué Interim Closure and Reclamation Plan V.4 by April 13, 2018. The Board directed De Beers to address comments and direction received over the past year of iterant reviews. There is a substantial amount of work associated with the Boards directive and therefore we respectfully request an extension to May 14, 2018.

If you have any comments or questions about this request, please contact me at sarah.mclean@debeersgroup.com or 867-688-9227 at any time.

Respectfully,



Regulatory Specialist

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