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Via Online Submission

**RE: MV2015L2-0003 - Request for Comments on MVLWB Item - North American
Tungsten Corporation Ltd. – Water Licence Renewal**

Attention: Julian Morse

Environment Canada (EC) has reviewed the information submitted to the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board by North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd. (the Proponent) concerning the Type A Water Licence Renewal, as per the MVLWB's request, dated April 27, 2015. EC's comments have been submitted via the Online Review System, as per the MVLWB's request. In addition to EC's comments, EC would like to remind the Proponent that they are still required to comply with the relevant legislation, including the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999*, the pollution prevention provisions of the *Fisheries Act*, the *Migratory Birds Convention Act, 1994*, and the *Species at Risk Act*.

For further clarification on any aspect of this submission, please contact Lisa Lowman at (204) 227-8386 or lisa.lowman@ec.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

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