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Mr. David Wells
Diavik Diamond Mines (2012) Inc.
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Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P8

Dear Mr. Wells,

Re: DDMI's Requests to Modify the PKC Spillway and North Dam

On December 9, 2015, the Wek'èezhì Land and Water Board (WLWB or the Board) received letters from Diavik Diamond Mines (2012) Inc. (DDMI) requesting approval of modifications to the Processed Kimberlite Containment Facility (PKC) north dam and the PKC spillway. DDMI indicated that these requests are made under Part G, Items 1 and 2, respectively, of Water Licence W2015L2-0001, and that the company seeks Board approval. For clarity, the Board would like to inform DDMI that both of these requests will take more than 45 days each to review and consider for approval.

If you have any questions, please contact Patty Ewaschuk at (905) 852-1516 or pewaschuk@wlwb.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "V. Blondin".

Violet Camsell-Blondin
Chair, WLWB