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File: W2016D0003

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Sent by email

Dear Harry O'Keefe,

Re: Sable Development – Land Use Permit – Letter of Clearance – Mining Exploration - Mine Shaft – Ursula Lake, NT

The Wek'èezhì Land and Water Board (Board) met on October 13, 2023 and reviewed the file for Land Use Permit (Permit) W2016D0003.

The Board received a Final Plan for this land-use operation on July 11, 2023.¹ Subsequently, an Inspector recommended closure of the file.²

Final Plan - Approved

The Board has approved the Final Plan, because it fulfills the requirements set out in subsections 29(1) and 29(2) and section 30 of the Mackenzie Valley Land Use Regulations (MVLUR).

Clearance Granted

The Board has granted final clearance of Permit W2016D0003 because it has been replaced by Permit W2023D0002, which is in full force and effect and incorporates all obligations and liabilities incurred under Permit W2016D0003. By issuing this Letter of Clearance for Permit W2016D0003 the Board considers the Permit closed under section 33 of the MVLUR.

¹ See WLWB Online Registry for [Ekati - Sable Development - Land Use Permit - Final Plan - Jul 11 23](#).

² See WLWB Online Registry for [Ekati - Sable Development - Land Use Permit - Final Plan - Inspectors Recommendation - Aug 8 23](#).

If any security has been posted by the Permittee, the Government of the Northwest Territories – Department of Environment and Climate Change will handle any refunds or transfers upon receipt of this Letter of Clearance.

Please contact Rhiana Bams via [email](#) or at (867) 765-4583 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

Yours sincerely,



Mason Mantla
Chair, Wek'èezhìi Land and Water Board

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