



## Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

Our File: EA0506-004

May 6, 2005

Tyhee NWT Corp – Yellowknife Gold Project Distribution List

**Re: Notice of Referral to Environmental Assessment – Tyhee NWT Corp – Yellowknife Gold Project**

On May 4, 2005, the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (LVLWB) referred Tyhee NWT Corp's land use permit application (MV2005D0009) and water licence application (MV2005L2-0003) for gold mining and milling at the Yellowknife Gold Project properties (the "Development") to Environmental Assessment, pursuant to section 125 of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*. The Development was referred to environment assessment based upon the MVLWB's judgment that the Development might have a significant adverse impact on the environment.

The proposed Development includes:

- Establishment of a 1500 tonne/day underground gold mine with an operating life of 8 years
- Utilization of Winter Lake as a tailings containment area
- Storage of up to 12 million litres of fuel
- Withdrawal of up to 132, 538m<sup>3</sup> of fresh water per year from Giauque Lake

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (the "Review Board") will determine the scope of both the project and the assessment, and will provide a draft Terms of Reference and Work Plan (ToR). In preparation of the draft ToR, the Review Board anticipates, in the near future, holding *issues scoping sessions* with interested parties to help identify what aspects of the Development require further examination in the environmental assessment. To prepare for the scoping sessions, interested parties are strongly encouraged to begin their review of Tyhee NWT Corp's development description to identify any information gaps. The executive summary of the Development description is available on the Review Board's web site at: <http://www.mveirb.nt.ca/asp/Results.asp?ProjectID=60&cid=18>. Parties wishing to obtain a complete copy of the Development description are advised to contact the Review Board.

Please indicate, by May 20, 2005, whether you wish to remain on this distribution list to receive further correspondence by returning the attached sheet by way of email or fax. Parties on the distribution list will be invited to comment on the draft ToR. At a later date they will be asked to identify which role, if any, they intend to play during the environmental assessment. If you have any questions or require additional information, do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 766-7062 or [pduxbury@mveirb.nt.ca](mailto:pduxbury@mveirb.nt.ca).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick Duxbury". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Patrick Duxbury  
Environmental Assessment Officer

## Tyhee NWT Corp Yellowknife Gold Project Environmental Assessment

Please reply by fax or e-mail to Patrick Duxbury at the MVEIRB if you wish to remain on the distribution list for this environmental assessment, or if you wish to have other persons or organizations added.

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