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File: W2023D0003

Mark Cliffe-Phillips
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Sent by email

Dear Mark Cliffe-Phillips,

Re: Pigeon Pit – Arctic Canadian Diamond Company Ltd. – Notice of Preliminary Screening Determination – Renewal Application for Land Use Permit – Mining Exploration - Mine Shaft – Lac de Gras, NT

The Wek'èezhì Land and Water Board (Board) met on July 6, 2023 and considered the Application Packages from Arctic Canadian Diamond Company Ltd. (Arctic) for Land Use Permit (Permit) W2023D0003 for the Pigeon Pit at Lac de Gras, NT (Project) in accordance with the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* (MVRMA).

The Review Board completed an Environmental Assessment of the Project on February 7, 2001,¹ and Arctic Canadian Diamond Company Ltd. has not proposed changes to the Project. Accordingly, the Board has determined that the Project is exempt from preliminary screening under Part 1, Schedule 1, section 2 of the Exemption List Regulations to the MVRMA. Consequently, no further preliminary screening was conducted.

¹ See WLWB Online Registry (www.wlwb.ca) for Review Board Online Registry (www.reviewboard.ca) for [EA99-004 - Report of Environmental Assessment.pdf](#).

Please contact Ryan Fequet via [email](#) or at (867) 765-4589 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mason Mantla', written in a cursive style.

Mason Mantla
Chair, Wek'èezhìi Land and Water Board

BCC'd to: Ekati Distribution List