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Mr. Udo Von Doehren
President and CEO
North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.
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Dear Mr. Udo von Doehren

RE: REFERALL TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT OF NORTH AMERICAN TUNGSTEN CORPORATION LTD., CANTUNG MINING AND MILLING, TUNGSTEN, NT.

Pursuant to Section 126(5) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* (MVRMA or Act), you are being notified that the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (Review Board or Board), is obligated to undertake an environmental assessment (EA) of the <u>North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd., Mining And Milling, Tungsten, NT.</u> The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB) pursuant to subsection 125(1) of the MVRMA referred the development to EA.

The Review Board will establish as per subsection 117(1) the scope of the development, factors, and scope of factors for the purposes of conduct an EA. To complete the required tasks as expeditiously as possible, we will be contacting you as required and place all pertinent information on the Review Board's Public Registry.

The next steps in the EA include the preparation of a draft Terms of Reference for the EA, a draft Work Plan for completing the EA and identification of directly affected parties and interveners to the EA.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Luciano Azzolini.

Environmental Assessment Officer.