



Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

May 20, 2005

Tim Coupland
President
Alberta Star Development Corp.
Suite 200 – 675 West Hastings Street
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via e-mail

Dear Mr. Coupland:

Re: Withdrawal of Your Land Use Permit Application MV2005C006

Thank you very much for informing us that you are withdrawing your application MV2005C006 for a type A Land Use Permit with the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB). We have forwarded your letter of May 15th to the MVLWB. You may wish to confirm the cancellation with the MVLWB. We will close your file and inform all parties of the cancellation of the environmental assessment shortly.

For your information I have attached the work plan for a current environmental assessment of a similar exploration program, as well as a request for additional information to the developer. These documents might give you an idea of what to expect should any of your proposed exploration programs be referred to environmental assessment in the future. Please be advised that the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board will determine the scope of the assessment for each development individually and set its work plan accordingly. An assessment of a future development will not necessarily follow the same approach.

If you have any questions regarding the environmental assessment process in the Mackenzie Valley, please contact me at 766-7053 or mhaefe@mvairb.nt.ca.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Martin Haefe". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Martin Haefe
Environmental Assessment Officer

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