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Attachments: MooseSurveyReportFeb2005.pdf

Patrick,

I again apologize that ENR was unable to provide the Board with a copy of ENR's presentation by the date requested prior to the Hearings for the Consolidated Gold Win Ventures and Sidon International Resources EAs (EA0506-005 and EA0506-006).

Our North Slave Office, Regional Biologist, Dean Cluff is in the field conducting wildlife surveys and unreachable at this time. Dean will be giving the ENR-Wildlife presentation at the Hearing. To help provide the Board and other Parties involved in the EA with some insight into Dean's presentation, I have attached a copy of the report that Dean will be speaking to.

The report focuses on moose aerial surveys conducted in 2004 in the Taiga Shield Zone that includes the proposed project areas of both Consolidated Gold Win and Sidon.

Dean intends to discuss the background and preparation (First Nation involvement) prior to conducting the survey, the survey methodology, results and proposed future follow-up.

By Dean being the ENR, Regional Biologist responsible for the north shore of Great Slave Lake, Dean is also prepared to comment on and answer any questions the Hearing participants may have concerning caribou and to what level these proposed projects may impact caribou.

Thank you for your consideration.

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