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RE: Paramount Resources - Gathering System & Pipeline Development

In response to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Review Board and Minister Robert D. Nault's (Indian Affairs and Northern Development) final approval measures 12, 13, 14 and 15 for the captioned project, the Katlodeeche First Nation is looking forward to working with Paramount Resources.

K'atl'odeeche First Nation completed a Harvesting and Gathering Study of our traditional use area in the Fall of 2001. This information is currently being added to our Traditional Knowledge Database. We intend to use our database to evaluate the impacts that Paramount's proposed development may have on our activities. By overlaying the proposed project footprint on our database, we will be able to identify hunting, trapping, fishing and other resources harvesting activities that may be affected. In addition, we will determine if known heritage resources will be impacted. This information can then be used to form the basis for developing a resource harvesting compensation plan with Paramount.

We look forward to working with Paramount in this respect as it will ensure our involvement in the plan, allow us to retain control of our traditional knowledge and land use information and should facilitate the consultation process between us, Paramount and the appropriate regulatory bodies.

We believe that the appointment of an environmental monitor as per measure 12 and providing the necessary resources and information for Paramount to meet measures 13 and 14 are reimbursable services and, therefore will be charged accordingly.

We intend to use a similar process on all proposed development projects with in our traditional land use areas.

If you have any questions regarding these decisions please contact Cynthia James, Economic Development Officer, (867) 874-6701.

Sincerely,

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