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Re: Placing the Environmental Assessment on hold

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (Review Board) has decided that the environmental assessment of the WesternGeco Mackenzie River 2D Seismic Development will be on hold until WesternGeco has finalized the results of its test program and provided these results to the Review Board.

If anyone has any questions, please contact me at (867) 766-7052 or jacorn@mveirb.nt.ca.

Sincerely,

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