

Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

February 6, 2008

The Honourable Chuck Strahl Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada 10 Wellington Street. Hull, Quebec K1A 0H4

Dear Minister Strahl,

Re: Report of Environmental Assessment and Reasons for Decision on the Sidon International Resources Corp. Exploratory Drilling Program

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board is pleased to submit the attached Report of Environmental Assessment on the proposed Sidon International Resources Corp. Exploratory Drilling Program (EA0506-006).

The Review Board recommends, pursuant to section 128(1)(b)(ii) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*, that the development be allowed to proceed subject to implementation of the measures specified to prevent predicted significant impacts.

The Review Board would be pleased to provide any additional clarification or elaboration you may require.

Sincerely,

Gabrielle Mackenzie-Scott

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Chairperson

Attachment