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September 22, 2008

Richard Edjericon
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Dear Mr. Edjericon:

Re: Report of Environmental Assessment and Reasons for Decision for Bayswater Uranium Corporation's Crab Lake Mineral Exploration Project (EA0708-005)

On behalf of the federal Minister and the Responsible Ministers with jurisdiction related to the above-noted development, I am writing to thank you for providing us with the Report of Environmental Assessment and Reasons for Decision for Bayswater Uranium Corporation's Crab Lake Mineral Exploration Project dated September 11, 2008.

The Responsible Ministers are reviewing the report pursuant to section 130 of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act.* Once the Responsible Ministers have completed their deliberations, the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development will, on behalf of the Responsible Ministers, provide you with the Responsible Ministers' decision on the report's recommendation.

Sincerely,

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Regional Director General Northwest Territories

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