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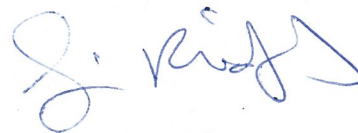
Dear Mr. Hubert:

Dominion Diamond Ekati Corporation's (DDEC) Jay Project Environmental Assessment – GNWT Round Two Information Request Responses (EA1314-01)

The Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) is committed to fostering balanced and sustainable land management decisions in accordance with the Land Use and Sustainability Framework, and therefore participates in environmental assessments of NWT resource development proposals. The GNWT has reviewed the information requests (IRs) directed to it, and is pleased to provide the following responses to those IRs.

The GNWT anticipates that these IR responses will assist in informing the Review Board and all parties about the nature and significance of the proposed project's potential impacts on the environment. As the EA progresses the GNWT looks forward to further opportunities to participate. If the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board or any of the parties to the Jay Project EA has questions regarding the GNWT's IR responses, please contact Lorraine Seale, Manager, Project Assessment Branch, at lorraine_seale@gov.nt.ca or 867-765-6786, or Melissa Pink, Project Assessment Analyst, at melissa_pink@gov.nt.ca or 867-765-6784.

Sincerely,



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Attachment:
GNWT Responses to Round Two Information Requests Jay Project EA