

**Mackenzie Valley
Review Board**



Our File: EA1314-02
Snap Lake Diamond Mine Amendment Project

May 15, 2014

Note to File

EA1314-02


**De Beers Canada Inc., Snap Lake Diamond Mine Amendment
Project**

**Re: Registered parties in the Snap Lake Diamond Mine
Amendment Project**

The following organizations are registered parties:

- Environment Canada
- Government of the Northwest Territories
- Lutsel K'e Dene First Nation
- North Slave Metis Alliance
- Yellowknives Dene First Nation

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|  | Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board | |
| | FORM 1 | Request for Party Status |

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| Name of Organization | Environment Canada (EC) |
| Name of Proceeding | Snap Lake water licence amendment - EA1314-02 [2014] |

Reasons for requesting Party Status in these proceedings.

To provide scientific advice in order to assist the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board during the Environmental Assessment (EA) process.

Participation:

Please describe how you or your organization intends to participate in this proceeding, such as what information, witnesses, or presentations you plan to submit.

EC plans on reviewing material submitted and participating in the EA process based on the scientific expertise available under mandated responsibilities as it relates to water quality and impacts to receiving environments.

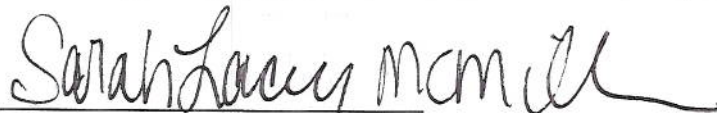
If you represent a Responsible Minister or Responsible Authority please state which one.
List the licences, permits or authorizations issued by your organization relevant to this proceeding.

Contact Information:

Please confirm the organization's contact information and the name of the primary contact person for Board correspondence purposes.

Sarah-Lacey McMillan at sarah-lacey.mcmillan@ec.gc.ca or 867-669-4724.

Dated at Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, on (MM/DD/YY) 05/02/2014



(Signature of Party's Representative)

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| Name of Organization | Government of the Northwest Territories |
| Name of Proceeding | Snap Lake Water Licence Amendment - EA1314-02 |

Reasons for requesting Party Status in these proceedings.

The GNWT has Responsible Minister status in this environmental assessment, per the definition of Responsible Minister in s. 111 of the MVRMA.

Participation:

Please describe how you or your organization intends to participate in this proceeding, such as what information, witnesses, or presentations you plan to submit.

The GNWT will provide technical advice and expertise in relation to its mandates, in relation to the development as scoped by the Review Board. The Project Assessment Branch in the Department of Lands is coordinating the technical input of departments with responsibilities related to the development. +

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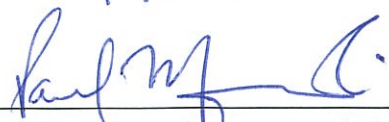
The GNWT has Responsible Minister status in this EA. The GNWT Minister of Lands has the delegated authority to distribute the MVRMA s. 130 decision letter for this EA. The GNWT Minister of ENR will have delegated approval authority for a Type A water licence issued following this EA. +

Contact Information:

Please confirm the organization's contact information and the name of the primary contact person for Board correspondence purposes.

Paul Mercredi | Project Assessment Analyst | Project Assessment Branch | Land Use and Sustainability Division | Department of Lands | Government of the Northwest Territories, P.O. Box 1320 | Yellowknife, NT | X1A 2L9 | Ph: 1-867-765-6782 | paul_mercredi@gov.nt.ca | www.lands.gov.nt.ca +

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| Name of Organization | Lutsel K'e Dene First Nation |
| Name of Proceeding | EA 1314-02, Snap Lake Amendment Project |

Reasons for requesting Party Status in these proceedings.

-IBA community for Snap Lake
-concerns about snap raised at Gahcho Kue hearings

Participation:

Please describe how you or your organization intends to participate in this proceeding, such as what information, witnesses, or presentations you plan to submit.

Technical reports and hearing presentations.

If you represent a Responsible Minister or Responsible Authority please state which one.

List the licences, permits or authorizations issued by your organization relevant to this proceeding.

Contact Information:

Please confirm the organization's contact information and the name of the primary contact person for Board correspondence purposes.

Mike Tollis - Wildlife, Lands & Environment Manager
Lutsel K'e Dene First Nation
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Dated at Lutsel K'e, Northwest Territories, on (MM/DD/YY) 05/05/14


 (Signature of Party's Representative)



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| Name of Organization | NORTH SLAVE MÉTIS ALLIANCE |
| Name of Proceeding | SNAP LAKE AMENDMENT EA |

Reasons for requesting Party Status in these proceedings.

Potential for impacts to the environment + culture & values of the NSMA members on their traditional lands.

Participation:

Please describe how you or your organization intends to participate in this proceeding, such as what information, witnesses, or presentations you plan to submit.

Presentation of community + technical concerns, with Powerpoint.

If you represent a Responsible Minister or Responsible Authority please state which one.

List the licences, permits or authorizations issued by your organization relevant to this proceeding.

Contact Information:

Please confirm the organization's contact information and the name of the primary contact person for Board correspondence purposes.

Matthew Hoover, North Slave Métis Alliance, matt.hoover@nsma.net
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Dated at Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, on (MM/DD/YY) 05/13/14

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| Name of Organization | Yellowknives Dene First Nation |
| Name of Proceeding | Snap Lake 1314-02 |

Reasons for requesting Party Status in these proceedings.

Directly Affected First Nation

Participation:

Please describe how you or your organization intends to participate in this proceeding, such as what information, witnesses, or presentations you plan to submit.

Participate at every stage of the review in a manner similar to previous efforts.

If you represent a Responsible Minister or Responsible Authority please state which one.

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Contact Information:

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Todd Slack
 Yellowknife Dene First Nation
 (867) 766-3496

Dated at _____, Northwest Territories, on (MM/DD/YY) 05/12/14

(Signature of Party's Representative)