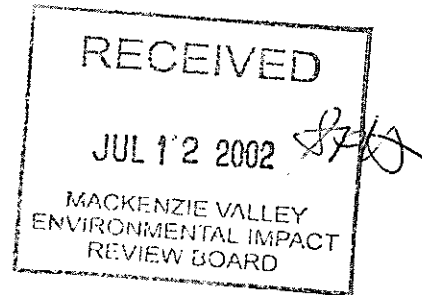


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Attention: Louie Azzolini

Dear Louie:

SUBJECT: Responses to Information Requests Round One (second IR Round) of the De Beers Canada Mining Inc. Snap Lake Diamond Project

Attached are De Beers' responses to the Information Requests of the Snap Lake Diamond Project issued by the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board for submission to the public record. Note that of the 166 IR's provided to us, that about 20 responses are outstanding. These will be submitted to the Board during the week of July 22 or earlier. We are enclosing one bound and one unbound copy of the document, as well as a CD containing the document in Acrobat PDF formats.

Sincerely,

SNAP LAKE DIAMOND PROJECT

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robin Johnstone".

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De Beers and Government Responses to the Review Board's first round of Information Requests are available at the following web site

<http://www.mveirb.nt.ca/Registry/EADeBeers/IRS/DeBeersInfoReq.html>

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