

Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

January 26, 2004

Fort Providence Metis Council Attention: Albert Lafferty President P.O. Box 319 Fort Providence, NT X0E 0L0

Dear Mr. Lafferty,

RE: Request for Written Decision

This is in response to your letter dated January 8, 2004, requesting written reasons for the Review Board's decision to not issue FPMC's Information Requests 1 and 10.

The Review Board found FPMC IR 1 to be outside the scope of this Environmental Assessment. It was consequently rejected, and not issued to the Developer.

Pursuant to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board Rules of Procedure number 3, parties are required to give the Review Board notice of their intention to participate in the proceedings to an Environmental Assessment. Neither the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board or the National Energy Board indicated that they intend to participate in the Paramount Cameron Hills Environmental Assessment. They are therefore not parties to the EA, and are not subject to Information Requests. This is why FPMC IR 10 was not issued.

We trust this will satisfy your request. If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours truly,

Vern Christensen Executive Director