

July 25, 2008

Mackenzie Valley Land and water Board Box 2130 7th Floor - 4910 50th Avenue Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P6 Phone: (867) 669-0506

Attention: Ms. Wanda Anderson, Executive Director:

Re: Land Use Permit and Water License Application - Yellowknife Gold Project 2008

MACKENZIE VALLEY

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

REVIEW BOARD

Attached are applications for a land use permit and water license for the construction and operation of the proposed 4000 t/d Yellowknife Gold Project (YGP). In support of these applications, we include the Project Description Report (PDR), supporting field reports and applicable application fees.

The application is being made at this time to initiate the review of the YGP under the Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act. This new application replaces the applications filed in March 2005 (Land Use Permit MV2005D0009 and Water License MV2005L2-0003) and the information contained in this Project Description Report provides a conceptual plan for the mine, mill, camp, tailings containment area and other project activities including a detailed description of the existing environment and an analysis of the predicted impacts and mitigation measures. Engineering and environmental studies are continuing at the YGP and the detailed design will evolve over the coming months.

Tyhee NWT Corp (Tyhee) feels the applications, supported by the PDR and field reports, provide the level of information required to be declared 'complete' by the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB) and request that the application be referred as soon as possible to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (MVEIRB) for environmental assessment.

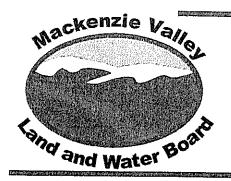
If you have any questions concerning the application please contact me on cell (780) 975-2550.

Yours truly,

Hugh R. Wilson

Vice President-Environment and Community Affairs

Cc Vern Christensen, Executive Director, MVEIRB



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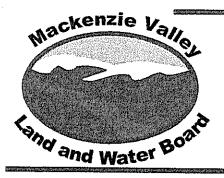
APPLICATION FOR A NEW WATER LICENCE, AMENDMENT OF LICENCE, OR RENEWAL OF LICENCE.

	cation/Licence No: ndment or renewal only)
Name and Mailing Address of Applicant	2. Address of Head Office in Canada if Incorporate
Tyhee NWT Corp	Same
Suite 401 – 675 West Hastings Street	
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6B 1N2	
Telephone: (604) 681-2877	
Fax: (604) 681-2879	Telephone:
	Fax:
Latitude 63° 10' North	Longitude 113° 53'West'
4. Description of Undertaking (desc	cribe and attach plans)
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6.	Water Use			
	To obtain water	XXXXXXXX	Flood control	
	To cross a watercourse		To divert water	-
	To modify the bed or bank of a watercourse	XXXXXXX	To alter the flow of, or store water	
	Other (describe): To discharg	ge waste associate	ed with the YGP	
7.	Quantity of water involved (I including both quantity to be Water acquisition — 240,000	e used and quali	ty to be returned to source	eter per year),
	Reclaim of water from the To attached.			on Report
8.	Waste deposited (quantity, q	uality, treatment	and disposal)	
÷	Water discharged to the rece will meet the Metal Mining E Details see the Project Descri	Effluent Regulation	ons (MMER) discharge crit	0 m³/y and eria. For
9.	Other persons or propertie address and location). Attac	es affected by h a list if necess	this Undertaking (give n ary.	ame, mailing
	N/A			
10.	Predicted environmental imp		king and proposed mitigati	on.
	See Project Description Repo	ort Attached		
11.	Contractors and sub-contractors and sub-contractors and sub-contractors.	ctors (names, ac	Idresses and functions). A	Attach a list if
	To be determined during deta	ailed design phas	es	

12.	Studies undertaken to date.	Attach a list if n	ecessary.	
	See Project Description Rep	ort Attached and	Appendices	
13.	Proposed time schedule.			
	Start date: August 01, 2 Including construction see	2010 Completion Project Descripti	date: Augu on Report attached	st 31, 2021
Signa	e (print): Hugh R. Wilson ature: (print): VP Environment and (Community Affairs	 5 Date: July 25,	2008
Pleas	se make all cheques payable	to "Receiver Ge	eneral of Canada"	
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Suite 401 – 675 West Hastings Street Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6B 1N2	Telephone number: (604) 681-2877
2. Head office address: Same	Fax number:
Field supervisor: .	Telephone number
Hugh R. Wilson, Vice President-	(604) 681-2877
Environment and Community Affairs	(780) 975-2550 (cell):
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6. Summary of potential environmental and resource impacts (describe the effects of the proposed land-use operation on land, water, flora & fauna and related socio-economic impacts). Use separate page if necessary.)

See Project Description Report Attached

7. Proposed restoration plan (please use a separate page if necessary).

The restoration plan will be provided as part of the Developers Assessment Report. See Project Description Report Attached

8. Other rights, licences or permits related to this permit application (mineral rights, timber permits, water licences, etc.)

A water license application has also been made and included in this package. An application for a Quarry Permit will be made before construction begins. HADD Authorization and Schedule II listing is being discussed with DFO EXPLOSIVES Permits for exploration in hand, operational permits to be obtained.

Roads:

Is this to be a pioneered road?

Has the route been laid out or ground truthed?

Access via existing Winter road. Access to Nicholas Lake could be overland or winter road. Final scenario will depend on detailed engineering and operating scenario. Route described in Project Description Report attached.

- 9. Proposed disposal methods.
 - a) Garbage: Incineration
- c) Brush & trees: Clear, pile and burn
- b) Sewage (Sanitary & Grey Water): Package sewage treatment plant
- c) d) Overburden Stockpile where encountered
- 10. Equipment (includes drills, pumps, etc.) (Please use separate page if necessary.)

See Attached lists

Type & number

Size

Proposed use

11. Fuels	()	Number of containers	Capacity of containers	Location
Diesel	20,000,000 million l/ year	Minimum 6	Maximum of 4 million litres /container	See Project Description Report
Gasoline	110,000 l/year	537 barrels	205 liter barrels	
Aviation fuel	100,000 l/year	489 barrels	205 liter Barrels	
Propane	300,000 l/ year	30,000 liter	10 containers	
Other	Process chemicals listed in attached Contingency Plan			

12. Containment fuel spill contingency plans. (Please attach separate contingency plan if necessary).

See Attached Contingency Plan

13. Methods of fuel transfer (to other tanks, vehicles, etc.) Bulk Storage area will have a fueling station with electric pumps and spill response equipment. 14. Period of operation (includes time to cover all phases of project work applied for, including restoration) Mobilization August 2010 to Dec 2011 Construction January 2011 to March 2012 Operation March 2013 to 2021 15. Period of permit (up to five years, with maximum of two years of extension). August 2010 to July 2015 (covering mobilization, pre-construction, construction and two years of operations) 16. Location of activities by map co-ordinates (attach maps and sketches) - NAD83 Minimum latitude (degree, minute) Approximate Centre of Maximum latitude (degree, minute) Development 63° 10' north latitude Approximate Centre of Development 113° 53'West Minimum longitude (degrees, minutes, seconds) Maximum longitude (degrees, minutes, seconds) Map Sheet no. 85P4 and 85P5 17. Applicant Hugh R. Wilson, Vice President-Environment and Community Affairs, Tyhee NWT Corp Signature Date July 25, 2008

18. Fees

Type A - \$150.00** Type B - \$150.00 **

(**Application Fees are Non-Refundable**)

Land use fee:150 hectares @ \$50.00/hectare Assignment fee \$50.00 \$ 7,500

Total application and land use fees

\$7,650

Please make all cheques payable to "Receiver General of Canada"