Referral to Environmental Assessment

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board is undertaking an environmental assessment on proposed diamond exploration work near Defeat Lake, pursuant to s.126(3) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act.*

Reasons: Potential public concern and insufficient consultation by the developer with the Yellowknives Dene First Nation

Development: Diamond exploration drilling

Location: Near the north end of Defeat Lake, on the east side of

the North Arm of Great Slave Lake

Developer: Sidon International Resource Corporation

File Number: EA 0506-006

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