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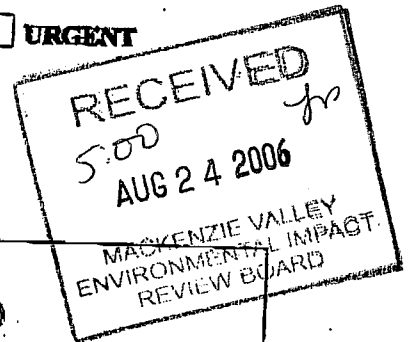
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**Re: Scoping Session Questions and Comments.**

Dear Mr. Macdonald,

Here is some more concerns, but not limited to for the Pine Point Pilot Project proposed by Tamerlane Ventures Inc. We have submitted a written submission to both Tamerlane Ventures and Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board. We anticipate the out come of the session's notes and terms of references.

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Issues of Concern  
Tamerlane Ventures Inc.  
Pine Point Pilot Project  
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board  
Environmental Assessment- Scoping Sessions  
August 16-17, 2006  
Hay River NT/ Deninu Kue NT

1. We as an IMA Advisory Committee still have some concern on the Environmental baseline studies that were conducted by EAB Consulting for Tamerlane Ventures Inc. When the studies were done, how was traditional knowledge incorporated?
2. How will Tamerlane be proceeding with future studies, elders/ land users should be involved in the studies?
3. How will Tamerlane accommodate these elders and land users for their traditional knowledge?
4. This is land that is sensitive in the process of healing, why is EAB Consulting saying there will be ***no cumulative impacts*** in the area? When you have one mine and then another and another that it self is a cumulative impact not only for the people of Deninu Kue and Hay River but for the NWT as a whole? So when you put a mine where a past mine was, that is cumulated impact on the surrounding area and people.
5. Air Quality is also a concern when you plan to use Diesel Generation for power, what will Tamerlane do to meet standards in air quality?
6. Moose studies along with monitoring mechanism should be in place because Moose are a main resource for the Dene people in and around Deninu Kue.
7. Health issues from the hazardous waste, what are the implication and mitigations?
8. What are the health impacts of Ferro-Silicon and will Tamerlane Ventures provide more information on this concern?