



Our File: EA0708-002

Aug 15, 2007

Larry Lahusen, CEO
Uravan Minerals Inc.
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Dear Mr. Lahusen:

Re: Notice of Referral to Environmental Assessment – Uravan Minerals, South Boomerang Lake Mineral Exploration

On August 13, 2007, the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (the Review Board) met to review the preliminary screening decision for the application to amend Uravan Mineral's Land Use Permit (MV2006C0008). The Review Board has determined that there is cause for potential public concern over the proposed project and under its authority (s. 126 (3) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*) has referred the project to environmental assessment under its own motion.

Until the assessment is concluded no permit or other authorization required for development under territorial or federal law can be issued. The Review Board will create a public registry for this file, where all pertinent information will be held. The public registry will be available online at www.mveirb.nt.ca/registry. Details of the assessment process are described in the Review Board's *Guidelines for Environmental Impact Assessment*, available online at www.mveirb.nt.ca. Information on past EAs is available on the same site.

The Review Board will determine the scope of the project for the purposes of the assessment in consultation with interested parties (including Uravan Minerals) and will provide your company with Terms of Reference and a Workplan.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time with questions regarding our process. I can be reached at (867) 766-7066 or ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca.

Sincerely,

Tawanis Testart
a/Environmental Assessment Officer
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board