



Our File: EA0708-003

Aug 22, 2007

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

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

On August 10, 2007, the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB) met to review Uravan Mineral's application for a new Land Use Permit (MV2006C0008). The MVLWB has determined that there is cause for potential public concern over the proposed project and has referred the project to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (the Review Board) for an environmental assessment, pursuant to s. 126(1) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*.

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](http://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](http://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](mailto:ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca).

Sincerely,

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