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Wednesday, July 2, 2008

To: Giant Mine Remediation Plan EA distribution list

Re: Work plan & Party Status Notification

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board (Review Board) met in Fort Smith, NT on June 24 and 25, 2008, to discuss, among other things, finalizing the draft work plan and granting of party status for organizations and individuals who wish to become parties to the environmental assessment of the Contaminants & Remediation Directorate, INAC's proposed Giant Mine Remediation Plan.

The following organizations and individuals were subsequently granted party status by the Review Board:

- North Slave Métis Alliance
- Bob Bromley

In addition, the Review Board has issued an initial work plan for this EA. Parties should note that this initial work plan may change, as information

from the scoping hearing scheduled for July 22 and 23, 2008 may change how the Review Board chooses to proceed with this assessment. Parties should also note that the scope of development and scope of assessment contained within the work plan are a starting point and under MVRMA s.117 (2)(e) the Review Board can consider any matter it deems relevant to this environmental assessment.

Any further questions regarding this matter should be directed to me by email at <a href="mailto:ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca">ttestart@mveirb.nt.ca</a>, by fax at (867)766-7074 or by telephone at (867)766-7066.

Yours truly,

**Tawanis Testart**