

Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board

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April 25, 2007

Chief Bill Erasmus
Dene Nation
PO Box 2338
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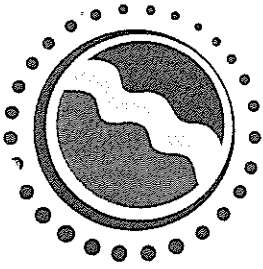
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Sincerely

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Grand Chief: George Mackenzie
T'licho Government
PO Box 412
Behchoko, NT X0E 0Y0

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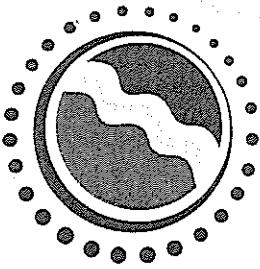
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Chief Adeline Jonasson
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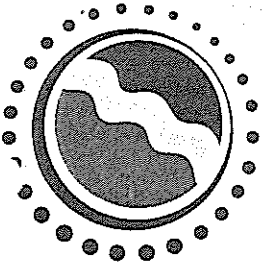
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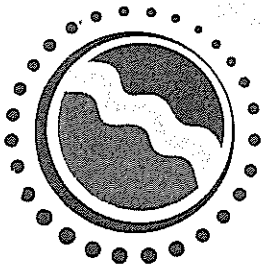
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Chief Peter Liske
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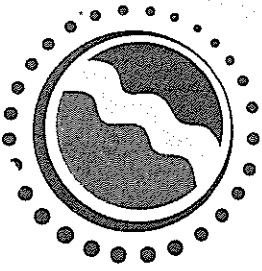
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Chief Fred Sangris
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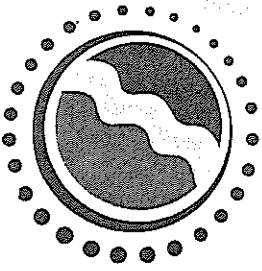
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Annie Boucher, Executive Director
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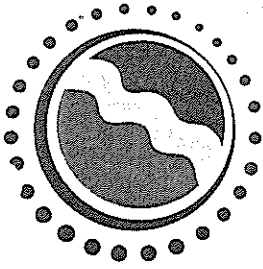
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Zoe Raemer, Associate Regional Director General
Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Regional Director General
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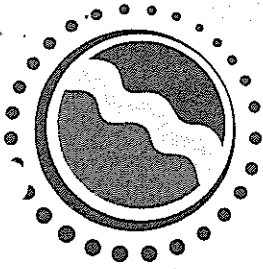
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Government of the Northwest Territories
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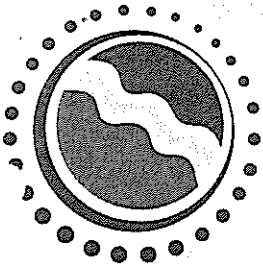
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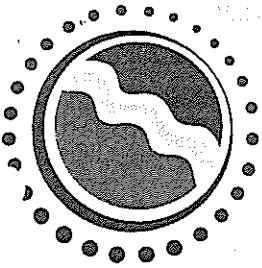
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