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Dear Adrian:

**Re: Water License Amendment Application Town of Hay River
Biotreatment Pad, Hay River Landfill
N1L4-0053**

We as West Point First Nation Chief and Council have reviewed the Water License Amendment Application Town of Hay River – Biotreatment Pad, Hay River Landfill application. We at West Point First Nation deny this Water License Amendment.

"It also should be noted that **the Town of Hay River** in the operation of this pad **accepts no responsibility for the generation and transportation of this material**, *presumably* the generators will be diligent and obtain the appropriate license from the Board for the regulation of activities that generate this waste when required."

"The Town recognizes that **we are applying for this License after the fact** as this facility has already been constructed."

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at (867) 874-6677. Muhsi Chol

Sincerely,


Karen Felker
Chief, WPFN



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June 9, 2004

Dear Adrian:

**Re: Water License Amendment Application Town of Hay River
Biotreatment Pad Hay River Landfill File # N1L4-0053**

The Hay River Métis Government Council after carefully consideration must deny the Water License Amendment application until such time as an environmental assessment can be completed.

We feel there is a need for an environmental assessment, as stated in the Town of Hay River's application for the Amendment "no studies were under taken with respect to this development".

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at (867) 874-4470.

Danny Beck
President

Cc: Chris Heron – Contaminants Coordinator HRMN

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