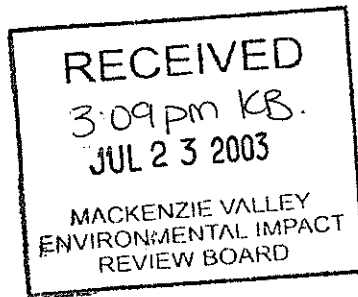


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July 18, 2003

Ms. Sherry Sian  
Environmental Assessment Officer  
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board  
Box 938, 5102-50th Avenue  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N7

Dear Ms. Sian:

**Re: Environmental Assessment - Drybones Bay, NT**

Please consider this letter to be Snowfield Development Corp.'s ("Snowfield") request to have the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board ("Review Board") expedite the environmental assessment of Snowfield's diamond explorations program at Drybones, Bay, NT.

I trust you will find this request to be in order and will be able to forward the Terms of Reference and Work Plan at an early date.

Yours very truly,

SNOWFIELD DEVELOPMENT CORP.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert T. Paterson".

Robert T. Paterson  
President

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