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File: W2025C0006

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Sent by email

Dear Mark Cliffe-Phillips,

Re: Arctic Canadian Diamond Company Ltd. – Notice of Preliminary Screening Determination – Renewal Application for Land Use Permit – Mineral Exploration – Ekati Diamond Mine Claim Block, NT

The Wek'èezhì Land and Water Board (Board) met on October 1, 2025 and considered the Application Package from Arctic Canadian Diamond Company Ltd. (Arctic) for Land Use Permit (Permit) W2025C0006 for the Ekati Exploration on the Ekati Mine Claim Block (Project) in accordance with the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* (MVRMA).

The Board completed a preliminary screening of the Project on October 24, 2018,¹ and Arctic has not proposed changes to the Project. Accordingly, the Board has determined that the Project is exempt from preliminary screening under Part 1, Schedule 1, section 2 of the Exemption List Regulations to the MVRMA. Consequently, no further preliminary screening was conducted.

Please contact Ryan Fequet via [email](mailto:ryan.fequet@wlwb.ca) or at (867) 765-4589 with any questions or concerns regarding this letter.

¹ See WLWB Online Registry www.wlwb.ca for [W2018C0005 - Ekati Exploration - Preliminary Screening - Oct 24 18](#).

Yours sincerely,



Mike Nitsiza
Acting Chair, Wek'èezhì Land and Water Board

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