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Ms. Ethel Blondin-Andrew, President Sahtu Secretariat Inc.

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Dear Ms. Blondin-Andrew:

Government of the NWT Approval of the Sahtu Land Use Plan

The Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) has received your letter of notification that the Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated (SSI) has approved the Sahtu Land Use Plan (the Plan).

As per section 43(3) of the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act* this letter is the formal notification to the president of SSI that the GNWT has also approved the Plan.

Sincerely

J. Michael Miltenberger

The Honourable Bernard Valcourt
 Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development, AANDC

Mr. Martin Goldney Deputy Minister, DAAIR

Mr. Gary Bohnet Principal Secretary

Ms. Heather Bourassa, Chair Sahtu Land Use Planning Board

Mr. David Little, Executive Director Sahtu Secretariat Inc.





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Sincerely,

J. Michael Miltenberger

c. Ms. Ethel Blondin-Andrew Sahtu Secretariat Inc.

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