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Mr. D. Billing,
Chief Environmental Protection Officer,
Government of the Northwest Territories,
YELLOWKNIFE, Northwest Territories.

Dear Mr. Billing:

Re: Possible Sale of Arsenic
Trioxide Dust

We have been looking at this matter with a possible American customer, who seem anxious to obtain our total production of arsenic trioxide dust, as soon as the necessary agreements, engineering, purchase and installation of a storage and truck loading facility at Giant, and a storage and rail car loading facility to be located at a site near Hay River or Enterprise.

This customer will be trucking the arsenic trioxide dust to the transfer facility at Hay River or Enterprise in a dry cement carrying truck or trucks, and then unloading it at the storage and rail car loading facility.

The arsenic trioxide will then be transported in tank cars to its final destination in the United States.

What permit or permits are required from the Government of the Northwest Territories to cover:

- 1) the storage and truck loading facility at Giant;
- 2) the storage and rail car loading facility at Hay River or Enterprise;
- 3) the trucking of the material from Giant to Hay River or Enterprise;
- 4) the rail transportation from Hay River or Enterprise to Alberta.

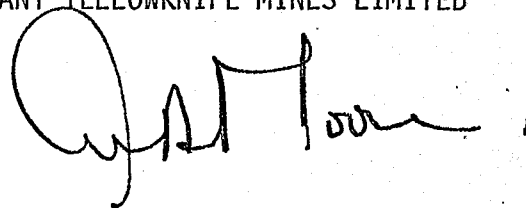
It is necessary to know what permits and requirements have to be met in order to determine the engineering design for the two storage

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and loading facilities, the vehicles and the rail cars, since these must be constructed and installed or purchased to fit the necessary regulations or requirements in the permits.

Yours very truly,
GIANT YELLOWKNIFE MINES LIMITED

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'W. A. Moore', is written over the company name.

W. A. Moore
General Manager

WAM:jc

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