

### **SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION**

- 1) Ms. Domvile is a leading expert in arsenic and has both international and local experience in arsenic and arsenic management. She has conducted work for the Giant Mine and has extensive experience with arsenic processing at the Con Mine.

A copy of her CV is attached.

- 2) Time is of the essence. This information requirement was identified for the workshop as the planning for it progressed. There is not sufficient time to carry out a competitive process.
- 3) Ms. Domvile attended the previous Arsenic Technical Workshop in 1997 and provides continuity to the process.
- 4) Ms. Domvile is currently located in Chile and thus provides an excellent and economical opportunity to conduct the El Indio review first hand.
- 5) Ms. Domvile represents good value based on her experience, ability to conduct the Chile evaluation first hand, and her knowledge of the Yellowknife arsenic situation which eliminates her time to become familiar with the project.
- 6) Ms. Domvile's professional rate represents a good and competitive value. Being a small company her overhead rates are low.

The Aboriginal Bidder's List was consulted and, based in part of the above reasons and requirements, a suitable contractor could not be found.