

**YUKON WATER BOARD  
AMENDMENT OF LICENCE**

LICENSEE: Town of Watson Lake

LICENCE NUMBER: MN03-050

AMENDMENT NUMBER: one (1)

Application Number: MN07-073

Pursuant to the *Waters Act*, Water Use Licence MN03-050 is hereby amended as follows:

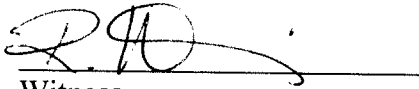
1. Part I - Water Level Control System is hereby appended, as follows:

**PART I - WATER LEVEL CONTROL SYSTEM**


35. The Licensee may construct a water level control system, consisting of an in ground pipe, for the purpose of transferring overflow from first Wye Lake into Second Wye lake, as proposed in water use application MN07-073.
36. As-constructed (record) drawings of the water level control system shall be submitted to the Board within 90 days of the completion of construction, and shall be sealed by a Professional Engineer licenced to practice in Yukon.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of

February, 2008

  
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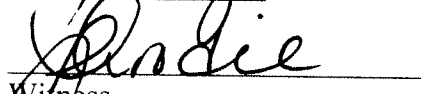
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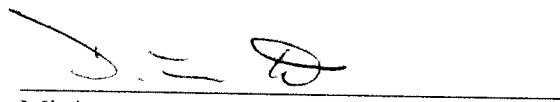
  
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APPROVED

This 14<sup>th</sup> day of

February, 2008

  
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Minister, Executive Council Office

Reasons for Decision  
Water Use Application MN07-073

Amendment #1 to Water Use Licence MN03-050  
Town of Watson Lake

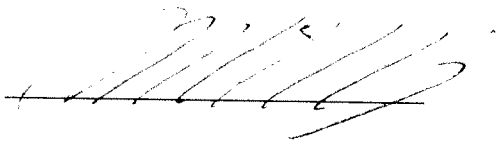
The Yukon Water Board has concluded deliberations regarding water use application MN07-073, which is an application from the Town of Watson Lake to construct an in ground water level control system, consisting of a culvert, between First Wye Lake and Second Wye Lake.

In the application, the Licensee explained that over the past few years, high water levels in First Wye Lake have had a negative impact on nearby septic systems, basements, and recreational areas. In 1962, drainage between first and second Wye lakes was backfilled when a trailer park was constructed. To address this, the Town intends to install a 600 mm steel culvert between the lakes, so that overflow from the first lake would transfer to the second lake. The distance between the two lakes is approximately 250 metres, and the difference in elevation is 2 metres. Second Wye lake drains to a creek, while First Wye lake has no outlet.

Notice of application and public hearing was provided in accordance with the requirements of the Waters Act. In response, the Board did not receive any interventions, and the public hearing was cancelled.

In their deliberations, the Board considered YESAA Decision Document 2007-0162. The Board is satisfied that the issuance of this amendment is not contrary to that Decision Document.

In the absence of any recommendations for licence terms and conditions, and considering the minor nature of the project, the amendment includes only the authority to construct the drainage as proposed in the application, and a requirement to submit as-built drawings.

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February 6, 2008