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Adrian Boyd
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Dear Mr. Boyd:

I am writing to you in connection with the role you have undertaken as the member appointed by the Government of Canada on the Dehcho Land Use Planning Committee. This has been important work for the future of the Northwest Territories and I wish to recognize the personal and professional commitment you have shown as a member of the Dehcho Land Use Planning Committee.

As you know, a draft Land Use Plan has been prepared by the Committee and submitted for consideration by the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development. The Minister has stated that he will not give favourable consideration to the Plan as currently drafted.

In moving forward in the next phase with the Dehcho and the Government of the Northwest Territories to finalize a land Use Plan that could be accepted by all parties, we have decided to change the member appointed by the Government of Canada on the Dehcho Land Use Planning Committee, pursuant to by-laws of the DCLUPC. Please accept this letter as notice of this change effective immediately. A new federal representative will be identified in the near future.

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I wish to thank you again for your hard work and dedication as a Committee member. Your contribution to land use planning in the Dehcho and in Nunavut is well recognized and appreciated and I wish you the best of luck in your future endeavours.

Sincerely,



Zoe Raemer
Acting Regional Director General
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- c.c. Tim Christian, Chief Federal Negotiator
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