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Gerald Landriault
Site Coordinator Winston Lake Division
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Dear Mr Landriault:

**Re: Electricity Wholesaler Licence Renewal
First Quantum Minerals Ltd. - EW-2011-0070**

Your Electricity Wholesaler Licence EW-2011-0070 is due to expire on July 7, 2016.

If First Quantum Minerals Ltd. wishes to continue to participate in the Ontario Electricity market, you are invited to file an application to renew First Quantum Minerals Ltd.'s Electricity Wholesaler Licence. As you are aware, First Quantum Minerals Ltd. is not permitted to carry out activities described in section 57 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 (the "Act") without a licence.

The standard time required to issue a licence is 90 days from receipt of a complete application. To assist the Board to renew First Quantum Minerals Ltd.'s licence in a timely manner prior to the expiry date, you are required to submit your application to the Board within 30 days of this e-mail. A licence application form is available on our website at the following address:

<http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry/Licences/Apply+for+a+Licence>

On receipt of the application, the Board will proceed to review the application for renewal in accordance with Part V of the Act. If we do not receive the application by the required date, the Board will be prepared to remove the name from the licensee records once the current licence is expired.

If you have any questions regarding this process, you may contact George Dimitropoulos, Advisor, at 416 544 5152 or by e-mail at George.Dimitropoulos@ontarioenergyboard.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

John Pickernell
Applications Administration