# IN THE MATTER OF THE SECURITIES ACT, R.S.N.W.T. 1988, ch. S-5, AS AMENDED

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 3**

#### TO

## **BLANKET ORDER NO. 1**

WHEREAS subsection 27(2)(b) of the *Securities Act* provides that no person or corporation shall trade in a security unless the person or corporation files a prospectus or statement of material facts with the Registrar, or unless the Registrar has ordered that a prospectus or statement of material facts need not be filed;

AND WHEREAS the Registrar issued Blanket Order No. 1 on May 16, 1997, to exempt certain trades in securities from the requirement to file a prospectus in the Northwest Territories;

AND WHEREAS the Registrar amended Blanket Order No. 1 on November 30, 2001, to give effect to Multilateral Instrument 45-102 in respect of the resale of securities distributed under certain exemptions from the prospectus filing requirements of securities legislation in Canada;

AND WHEREAS the Registrar further amended Blanket Order No. 1 on November 21, 2002, to bring the application of Multilateral Instrument 45-102 into conformity with other jurisdictions in respect of the treatment of certain trades of securities acquired under subparagraph 3(e)(iii) of Blanket Order No. 1;

AND WHEREAS the Registrar is of the opinion that Blanket Order No. 1 should be further amended to give effect to Multilateral Instrument 45-103 in respect of certain capital raising exemptions from the prospectus filing requirements of securities legislation in Canada;

#### NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT BLANKET ORDER NO. 1 IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

## 1. The following is added after section 3:

3.1 A prospectus or statement of material facts need not be filed with the Registrar in respect of a trade that is a distribution where the trade is exempt under *Multilateral Instrument 45-103 Capital Raising Exemptions* of the Canadian Securities Administrators, subject to all terms and conditions set out in that Instrument.

**DATED** at Yellowknife in the Northwest Territories this 16th day of June, 2003.

Gary MacDougall

Gary I. MacDougall, Registrar of Securities