

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

BETWEEN:

CHIEF LLOYD CHICOT suing on his own behalf and on behalf of  
all Members of the Ka'a'Gee Tu First Nation and the KA'A'GEE  
TU FIRST NATION

APPLICANTS

-AND-

PARAMOUNT RESOURCES LTD., and the  
MACKENZIE VALLEY LAND AND WATER BOARD

RESPONDENTS

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Judicial review of decision of the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board.

Heard at Yellowknife, NT on June 5, 2006

Reasons filed: June 29, 2006

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**REASONS FOR JUDGMENT OF THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE V.A.SCHULER**

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[1] For the reasons given in my decision of June 29, 2006 on file S-0001-CV-2006-000008, the application for judicial review filed by amended originating notice on February 28, 2006 is granted, the permit is quashed and Paramount's application is remitted to the MVLWB for further action.

[2] Costs are awarded to the First Nation as on file S-0001-CV-2006-000008.

V.A. Schuler  
J.S.C.

Dated at Yellowknife NT, this  
29th day of June, 2006.

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