Sudbury Soils Study Technical Committee Minutes – Meeting #55 Key Progress & Decision Summary for Meeting of February 8, 2007

SARA Group Monthly Report: Communications Activities: Glenn Ferguson reported that the website has been updated per the PAC request. Communications activities the SARA Group are participating in include preparing the Winter 2007 *Update* newsletter to be published the last week of February. SARA is also preparing the draft of the Plain Language Summary (PLS) report on the HHRA.

ERA – Volume III: Draft 2 of this document was submitted to the TC and TERA last December/early January 2007. The SARA Group made a considerable number of edits in response to comments on Draft 1.

IERP Session: Arrangements have been made to hold the ERA/IERP session in Sudbury at College Boreal on March 6th and 7th with the public session to be held on the evening of March 5th. IERP panel members are Dr. Charlie Pittinger (TERA and Chair), Dr. Sam Luoma, Dr. Joe Gorsuch, Dr. Shaun Watmough and Dr. Joyce Tsuji.

Glossary:

SSS – Sudbury Soils Study PAC – Public Advisory Committee

CSC – Communications Sub-Committee

ERA – Ecological Risk Assessment

TC - Technical Committee

WG – Technical Committee Working Group HHRA – Human Health Risk Assessment

IERP – International Expert Review Panel