

June 22, 2004

VIA SEDAR

Alberta Securities Commission
British Columbia Securities Commission
The Manitoba Securities Commission
Ontario Securities Commission
The Saskatchewan Financial Services Commission, Securities Division
The Toronto Stock Exchange

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

Re: First Nickel Inc. – Final Long Form Prospectus

We refer to the final long form prospectus (the "**Prospectus**") of First Nickel Inc. (the "**Corporation**") dated June 22, 2004.

We hereby consent to the reference to our firm name on the face page of the Prospectus, and under the headings "Experts and Interests of Experts" and "Certain Canadian Federal Income Tax Considerations" in the Prospectus.

We confirm that we have read the Prospectus and have no reason to believe that there are any misrepresentations in the information contained in the Prospectus that is derived from our opinions referred to above or that is within our knowledge as a result of the services we performed in connection with such opinions.

This letter is solely for the private information and use of the securities regulatory authorities in Canada and is not to be quoted from nor referred to, in whole or in part, in any document, and should not be relied upon for any other purpose.

Yours truly,

(signed) "*WeirFoulds LLP*"

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