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Arctic Bay, Nunavut

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Introduction

- DFO mandate and participation in the license amendment/renewal
- DFO participation in completeness and technical review
- DFO submission to Technical Hearing & Pre-Hearing Conference
 - DFO commitments resulting from TH-PHC
- DFO review of supplemental information
 - Remediation Confirmatory Soil Sampling Methodology
 - Methodology used to Develop Site Specific Remediation Objectives (SSROs)
 - Updated Abandonment and Reclamation Plan



DFO Mandate and participation in amendment/renewal process

- DFO Fisheries Protection Program (formally Habitat)
 - participated in the previous license renewal process
 - No concerns with the remediation/reclamation with respect to impacts on fish/fish habitat
- DFO Real Property Management
 - Current administrator of the site on behalf of the Crown
 - Ensure that obligations in lease are met



Completeness and Technical Review

Completeness Review

- Initial review/comments focused on Appendices I and J of the application and the proposed amended remedial approach

Technical Review

- Field sampling and reporting
 - Recommended shift from composite sampling to discrete confirmatory sampling to support verification of remediation
 - Soil remediation progress reports should be more comprehensive



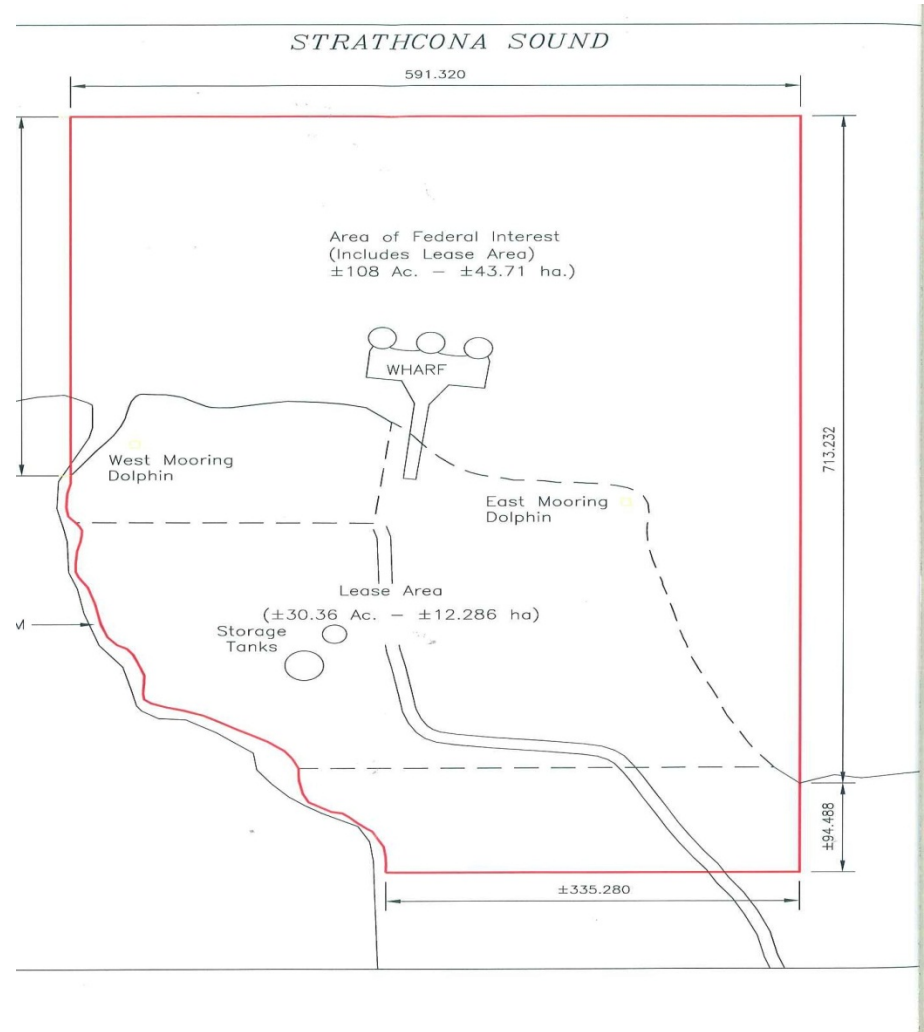
DFO Committments

- MOA between DFO, DND and CanZinco
 - DFO and CanZinco signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to extend the use of the concrete pad for the storage of soil in order to allow the remediation and DND Nanisivik Naval Facility construction to proceed concurrently
 - DFO/DND currently finalizing MOU to transfer of administration of the site to DND
- Additional information on the lease between the Crown and CanZinco



Lease Information

- Original lease with Nanisivik Mines Ltd. was signed in 1978 and administered by the Ministry of Transport on behalf of the Crown
 - 30.36 acres land
- Administration of the site transferred to Fisheries and Oceans Canada in 1998
- Final lease expired on December 31, 2003
- Requirement to remove all structures and return site to previous condition remains with cancellation or expiration of the lease





DFO review of supplemental information

- Remediation Confirmatory Soil Sampling Methodology
 - No concerns with the methodology, it is consistent with the Federal Contaminated Site Action Plan (FCSAP) guidance
- Methodology used to Develop Site Specific Remediation Objectives (SSROs)
 - No concerns with proposed methodology
- Updated Abandonment and Reclamation Plan
 - No concerns with the proposed plan
 - Requested additional information on removal/disposal of remaining liner



Questions?