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## RE: NWB1NAN0208 – Schedule of Submissions Required for Nanisivik Mine Water Licence

On behalf of Environment Canada, I have reviewed the information submitted with the above-mentioned application. The following specialist advice has been provided pursuant to Environment Canada's mandated responsibilities for the enforcement of the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, Section 36(3) of the *Fisheries Act*, and the *Migratory Birds Convention Act*.

Environment Canada has no real concerns with the schedule of submission set forth by Breakwater Resources Ltd. at this time. Environment Canada would like to recommend that Breakwater Resources Ltd. take special care to ensure that all reports are submitted on schedule and in a timely manner to ensure that the Final Closure and Reclamation Plan can be submitted for review on time.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or comments with regards to the foregoing at (867) 975-4639 or by email at colette.meloche@ec.gc.ca.

Yours truly,

Original signed by

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