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Subject:      Abandonment and Reclamation Plan, Former Nanisivik Mine Site

Ms. Beaulieu

As you may be aware, Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) is the current federal custodian for the above noted property. Further to your letter of January 12, 2010, we have reviewed the revised submission from Breakwater Resources Ltd. dated January 8, 2010.

For the most part, the revised submission addresses our earlier comments and concerns. It must be noted that the plan is preliminary in nature and our concurrence at this time should not be considered as an approval by DFO of the entire process for remediation of the site. As the owner of the property, we require the right to review any documents or plans associated with the remediation project as they are developed. DFO reserves the right to approve when remediation of the site has been completed to an acceptable standard and we will be implementing a monitoring program as work on site proceeds.

With respect to the revised plan we offer the following specific comments:

- Additional waste from the reclamation project should not be left on site ( such as the liner in the rubble pit )
- If an Environmental Assessment is required, mitigation measures must be included in the contract documents

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require additional information or clarification. I can be reached by telephone at (613) 990-8886 or by e-mail at [andrew.anderson@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:andrew.anderson@dfo-mpo.gc.ca).

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