

## NOTICE OF INDICATION NIRB FILE NO.: 12XN013

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June 4, 2012

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Sent via Email: licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org

And

Jeff Mercer Manager, Lands Administration Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada Iqaluit, NU X0A 0H0

Sent via Email: Jeff.Mercer@aandc.gc.ca and landsmining@aandc.gc.ca

Re: Notice of Indication for Inukshuk Construction Ltd.'s 'Chesterfield Inlet Fuel Facility Expansion' Project Proposal, Kivalliq Region, NIRB File No. 12XN013

Dear Ms. Beaulieu and Mr. Mercer:

Enclosed is the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) Screening Decision Report to The Honourable John Duncan, Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada, AANDC) as well as Mr. Kabloona, Chairperson of the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for Inukshuk Construction Ltd.'s "Chesterfield Inlet Fuel Facility Expansion" project in the Kivalliq Region.

The NIRB has assessed this project proposal for ecosystemic and socio-economic impacts taking into consideration the comments from relevant authorities and communities. Based on this assessment NIRB's indication to the Minister is in accordance with **12.4.4** (a) which states the following:

"The proposal may be processed without a review under Part 5 or 6; NIRB may recommend specific terms and conditions to be attached to any approval, reflecting the primary objectives set out in Section 12.2.5."

The enclosed NIRB Screening Decision for NIRB File No. 12XN013 signed on June 4, 2012 by Elizabeth Copland at Arviat, NU has been issued to AANDC and the NWB and is subject to the terms and conditions contained herein being imposed upon the Proponent.

The NIRB is aware of AANDC and the NWB's authority to regulate the terms and conditions attached to the enclosed Screening Decision Report, and requests that the NWB send a hardcopy of the authorization with NIRB's file number referenced on the document to the NIRB office to complete our files. In addition, the NIRB requests that copies of any subsequent inspection reports related to the subject project proposal be sent to the NIRB office.

Please contact Tara Arko, NIRB Technical Advisor at 867-983-4611 or <a href="mailto:info@nirb.ca">info@nirb.ca</a> if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Tara Arko

**Technical Advisor** 

Jana Clark

cc: Mark Losier, Inukshuk Construction Ltd.

Arlen Foster, Stantec Inc.

Ralph Ruediger, Government of Nunavut – Community and Government Services Matthew Ferris, Government of Nunavut – Community and Government Services

David Kattegatsiak, Hamlet of Chesterfield Inlet

Tracey McCaie, Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

Enclosure: NIRB Screening Decision Report (NIRB File No.: 12XN013)