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February 21, 2007

Defence Construction Canada c/o Philip Warren Constitution Square, Suite 1720 350 Albert Street Ottawa, ON K1A 0K3

Via email: Philip.warren@dcc-cdc.gc.ca

Re: Notice of Part 4 Screening for PIN-4 Byron Bay Site Remediation Project Proposal

Dear Philip Warren:

On February 12, 2007 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received Defence Construction Canada's PIN-4 Byron Bay Site Remediation (PIN-4) project proposal from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada. NIRB has assigned this project proposal file number 07DN010.

The project activities include:

- Demolish and remove existing facilities which are not required for the operation of the North Warning System
- Disposal of contaminated soils
- Stabilize existing landfills
- Air transportation to and from the site
- Marine transportation of bulk materials and equipment to and from site via sea-lift or barge
- Use of existing airstrip and roads at site
- Clean up surface debris
- Construction of a non-hazardous waste landfill
- Construction of a Tier II Soil Disposal Facility
- Construction of temporary clean up camp-site for up to 60 persons, and demobilization of camp-site at end of project life
- Establishment of sewage lagoon for camp-site
- Hazardous waste storage and disposal
- Fuel storage
- Quarrying activity
- Consumption of water and generation of wastes

All documents received and pertaining to this project proposal can be obtained from NIRB's ftp site at ftp://ftp.nunavut.ca/nirb/NIRB_SCREENINGS/ACTIVE_SCREENINGS/07DN010-Defence_Construction_Canada/ including:

- NIRB Part 1 Summary Application Form in English, Inuktitut and Inuinnaqtun
- Non technical Project Proposal summary in English, Inuktitut and Inuinnaqtun
- Indian and Northern Affairs Canada Application for Land Use Permit
- Indian and Northern Affairs Canada Application for Quarrying Permit
- Project Description for the Clean Up of PIN-4, Byron Bay DEW Line Site

Pursuant to Part 4, Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), NIRB shall proceed to screen the subject project proposal. NIRB may request additional information at any time during the process. NIRB will copy you on screening process related correspondence and upload related documents to the above ftp site for Public access.

NIRB is copying interested Parties and municipalities most affected by Defence Canada's PIN-4 project proposal with this letter, and we invite interested persons to comment directly to the NIRB by **March 14**, **2007**.

Please send your comments to the attention of NIRB's Manager of Environmental Administration Leslie Payette at lpayette@nirb.nunavut.ca.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me at sgranchinho@nirb.nunavut.ca or 867-983-4606.

Sincerely,

Sophia Granchinho Technical Advisor

Cc:

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