



**NIRB File No.: EX236**

Associated NIRB File No.: 11DN026

NWB File No.: 1BR-FOX1118

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**Re: Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Defence Construction Canada's "FOX-4, Type B Water Licence Amendment" project proposal**

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu:

On March 18, 2015 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for Defence Construction Canada's (DCC) "FOX-4, Type B Water Licence Amendment" project proposal. On April 1, 2015 the NIRB was forwarded an email that a conformity determination from the Nunavut Planning Commission was not required for this file, as the proposed project is located within a region that does not currently have an approved land use plan in place (Qikiqtani). The NIRB has determined that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item 5 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (5):

*"Water uses that do not require a public hearing under Section 13.7.3".*

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by the NIRB, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. This application is associated with a project proposal which has been previously screened by the NIRB (NIRB File No. 11DN026), and the NIRB's Screening Decision Report may contain recommendations which are relevant to your organization, and to the issuance of any further authorizations associated with the project. A copy of the original June 9, 2011 Screening Decision Report has been enclosed for your review and can be accessed online from the NIRB's public registry using the following link:

<http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/COMPLETED%20SCREENINGS/2011/11DN026-DCC-FOX-4%20-%20Site%20Remediation/>

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact the undersigned directly at [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) or (867) 983-4610.

Sincerely,



Stephanie Taptuna  
Environmental Administrator  
Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc: Tamara Van Dyck, Defence Construction Canada  
Brian Aglukark, Nunavut Planning Commission

Enclosed: NIRB Screening Decision Report, File No.: 11DN026 (June 9, 2011)