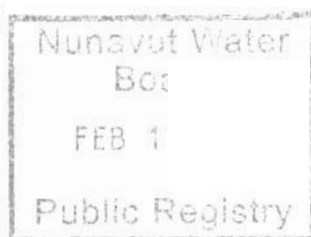




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Subject: Proposed works or undertakings are not in or near fish habitat.

Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) received your proposal on February 9, 2005, concerning the amendment application for a Type "B" water license. To expedite future correspondence or inquiries, please refer to your referral title and file numbers when you contact us.

Referral File No.: **99-HCAA-CA7-017-000097**
Habitat File No.: **NU-99-0097**
Referral Title: **DEW LINE CLEAN-UP AT CAPE HOOPER**

It is our understanding that your proposal consists of:

- Collecting information to assess the performance of the landfills from a geotechnical and environmental perspective,
- Water usage will be restricted to groundwater samples and human consumption and will not exceed 3000 litres/day.

as outlined in the following plans:

- *NWB Water Licence Application Form – Amendment.*
- *Defence Construction Canada Landfill Monitoring Program Fox-4, Cape Hooper. UMA Engineering Ltd. January 2005.*

If the above plans have changed at all, the advice in this letter may no longer apply and you should consult with us to determine if further review is needed.

We have found that the proposed works are not in or near fish habitat and will not likely effect fish or fish habitat. No further review pursuant to the habitat protection provisions of the *Fisheries Act* is needed.

Please note that this letter of advice does not release you from the responsibility to obtain any other federal (for example, the *Navigable Waters Protection Act*), provincial or municipal approvals. If you have any questions concerning the above, or if my understanding of the proposal is either incorrect, incomplete, or if there are changes, please contact me directly by telephone at (867) 979-8016, or by fax at (867) 979-8039.

Yours sincerely,

Original signed by:

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Gladys Joudrey – Nunavut Impact Review Board
Keith Pelley – Fisheries and Oceans Canada – Conservation and Protection