September 11, 2017

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<u>Subject: Application Acknowledgement for Firefighter Training and Apron Areas Remediation</u>
Project

NWB File No: 1BR-FTA1217

Dear Jackie Barker:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt on September 7, 2017 of your renewal water licence application, for the Firefighter Training and Apron Areas Remediation Project. This application has been assigned file number 1BR-FTA1217. Please refer to this number on future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- Water Licence Renewal Application
- English Summary
- Inuktitut Summary

Please be advised that under the Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada (Nunavut Agreement) Article 11, Section 11.5.9 and s. 76 (1) of *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act* (NuPPAA), the proponent of a project governed by NuPPAA is also required to submit a project proposal document (which may include the water licence application) directly to the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC or Commission) for the NPC's determination regarding the applicable land use planning requirements and/or directions regarding whether the project is subject to screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board. In particular, please note that as established under Articles 11, 12 and 13 of the Nunavut Agreement, NuPPAA and Part 3 of the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act*, until the project has completed the applicable land use planning and assessment process required by the NPC and the NIRB, the NWB cannot issue a water licence.

The NWB confirms receipt of NPC conformity under NuPPAA on September 5, 2017 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on September 5, 2017. This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for submissions is October 11, 2017. Inuktitut Notice of water licence renewal will follow shortly.

Please call the undersigned at (867) 360-6338 or email to <u>licensing@nwb-oen.ca</u> if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Richard Dwyer Licence Administrator

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