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NWB File: 1BR-FTA----  
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**Re: 1BR-FTA---- – New Type B Water License Application – Fire Training  
and Apron Area – Cambridge Bay – Transport Canada. (TC)**

Please be advised that the Water Resources Division of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) have completed a review of the new water license application 1BR-FTA---- submitted by Transport Canada. The Nunavut Water Board (NWB) circulated the new application for comments on April 5, 2012. All documents related to the new application posted on the NWB ftp site under 1BR-FTA---- were included in my review (See attached Technical Review Memo).

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact myself at (867) 975-4282 or by email at [Ian.Parsons@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca](mailto:Ian.Parsons@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca).

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*

Ian Parsons  
Regional Coordinator



## **Technical Review Memorandum**

To: Phyllis Beaulieu – Manager of Licensing, NWB

From: Ian Parsons – Regional Coordinator, AANDC.

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### **Background**

The hamlet of Cambridge Bay is located on Victoria Island in the Kitikmeot Region of the Nunavut Territory. Cambridge Bay is located approximately 300 km Northeast of Kugluktuk and 600 km Northeast of Yellowknife.

The land treatment unit (LTU) for the remediation of the fire training and apron areas of the Cambridge Bay Airport will be located southwest of the end of the runway.

### **Recommendations/Comments**

#### **Application**

AANDC recommends that all relevant leases, permits, conformity checks and screenings as well as any other authorizations are in place and proper approvals received before any work commences.

AANDC recommends that the proponent have the proper authorizations from the hamlet of Cambridge Bay or any other municipality or landfill where project wastes will be deposited.

AANDC also recommends that the proponent be advised that in order to transport hazardous wastes in Nunavut the waste generator must be registered with the Government of Nunavut, Environmental Protection Division and provide the final destination for the hazardous wastes (approved registered facility).



## Operation and Maintenance Plan

AANDC recommends that the proponent have Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) of all hazardous materials that may or will be handled on site. These would include such items as fuels and fertilizers.

## Spill Contingency Plan

AANDC recommends that any and all spills, regardless of size, are to be reported to the Manager of Field Operations of the Department of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development (formerly INAC) at the following numbers 867 975 4295 or Fax 867 975 6445. These contact numbers should be reflected throughout the plan.

AANDC recommends that the proponent notify AANDC inspectors 10 days before any discharge of effluent is made to the environment regardless of effluent meeting water quality guidelines.

## Abandonment and Restoration Plan

AANDC is satisfied that the abandonment and restoration plan contains all pertinent information and have no further comments at this time.

Cc Murray Ball, Manager of Water Resources – AANDC, Nunavut Regional Office.  
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