

May 17, 2017 **NWB File No: 1BR-MDR----**

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Subject: Application Acknowledgement for the Former Iqaluit Metal Dump Remediation Project

Dear Jackie Barker:

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt on March 3, 2017 of your new water licence application, for the Former Iqaluit Metal Dump Project. This application has been assigned file number 1BR-MDR----. Please refer to this number on future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- Figure 1 Main Components Remediation Program
- Figure 2 Main Components Remediation Program
- Spill Contingency Plan
- Summary of Potential Environmental and Resource Impacts
- NPC Letter
- Executive Summary (English)
- Executive Summary (Inuktitut)
- Cover Letter New Application
- Letter to City of Iqaluit
- Letter to GN-EDandT
- Letter to GN Environment
- Letter to NTI
- Letter to QIA
- E-mail- City of Iqaluit to TC-Response
- Letter GN EDandT to TC
- Information Request for NIRB Screening
- Water Licence Application
- Letter to NIRB TC Response to Comments
- Iqaluit Metal Dump Approval Timelines

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 February 20, 2017 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on May 16, 2017. This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for submissions is June 7, 2017.

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

Sincerely,

Robin Ikkutisluk Licensing Administrator

Cc: Technical Advisor, Cynthia Ene

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