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Via email: licensingadmin@nunavutwaterboard.org

RE: 1BR-MDR---- New Application

Environment Canada (EC) has reviewed the information submitted with the above-mentioned application to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB). The following specialist advice has been provided pursuant to the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, Section 36(3) of the *Fisheries Act*, the *Migratory Birds Convention Act*, and the *Species at Risk Act*.

Transport Canada is applying for a new Type B water license to support an Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) Phase III remediation at the Iqaluit Airport Metal Dump. The purpose of this project is to complete the environmental cleanup of the Iqaluit Airport Metal dump. Solid waste, hazardous waste, bulky items and scrap metal disposal will be associated with this water license.

EC has no comments regarding the application at this time. If there are any changes in the proposed project, EC should be notified, as further review may be necessary. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned with any questions or comments with regards to the foregoing at (867) 975-4631 or by email at Paula.C.Smith@ec.gc.ca.

Yours truly,

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