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RE: Nunavut Water Board (NWB) Licence 1BR-RBL1929 - Resolute Bay Landfill – Monitoring Plan – 2020/21 Monitoring during COVID-19

Transport Canada (TC) has been working closely with Public Services and Procurement Canada (PSPC) to examine possible options to carry out the monitoring activities required in accordance with the above referenced Nunavut Water Board Licence.

Based on current COVID-19 travel restrictions in place for Nunavut, it will not be possible for Transport Canada to conduct any on-site monitoring for 2020. While TC understands that it is possible for restrictions to ease in the future, we don't believe that there will be sufficient time for planning and completion of the work given the limited window for obtaining the required samples. TC will continue to monitor the required health and safety protocols related to COVID-19 as we prepare for the 2021 monitoring season.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Holly Poklitar at (204) 688-3872.

Sincerely,

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