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Re: Amendment Application Acknowledgement for the Resolution Island Project

Dear Ms. Plato:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB) acknowledges receipt of your amendment application to include a small camp in support of the long term monitoring program on Resolution Island; to complete your application we'll require, I've attached the cover letter and amendment application for reference of NPC & NIRB:

A preliminary technical review conducted on the above-mentioned file determined that following items should be addressed before the file is sent out for comments:

- a. A revised spill contingency plan should be submitted to reflect the expanded scope of the project;
- b. English and Inuktitut summaries of the amendment request should be provided with the amendment application
- c. NPC Conformity or confirmation from NPC Conformity Review is not required
- d. Prior to board decision on the application the NWB will NIRB Screening or confirmation from NIRB Screening isn't required

In addition, the following requirements in the terms and conditions of the licence have not been addressed:

- a. Part J, Item 2: The Licensee shall submit within sixty (60) days following issuance of the Licence, an addendum to the approved Plan entitled "Resolution Island Monitoring Program" dated December 31, 2003 to address the following:
  - Provide GPS co-ordinates for each monitoring point;
  - Provide threshold limits for monitoring where facilities will be considered to have failed;
  - Update Table 1;

- Include sampling information for any contact water with the Landfarm; and
  - Address concerns raised in Environment Canada's comments.
- b. Part J, Item 5: The Licensee shall submit a Quality Assurance/Quality Control Plan that conforms to the guidance document "*Quality Assurance (QA) and Quality Control (QC) Guidelines For Use by Class "B" Licensees in Collecting Representative Water Samples in the Field and for Submission of a QAQC Plan*" INAC (1996). The Plan shall be acceptable to an accredited laboratory as required by Part J, Item 3 and Part J, Item 4. The Plan shall include a covering letter from the accredited laboratory confirming acceptance of the Plan for analyses to be performed under this Licence
  - c. Part H, Item 1: The Licensee shall submit to the Board for approval in writing, within sixty (60) days following issuance of this licence, a revised spill contingency plan that is site specific for the BAF-5 Resolution Island site in a state of long term monitoring and addresses comments made by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada – Water Resources Division.
  - d. Part B, Item 1(J): Executive summary in English and Inuktitut of all plans, reports or studies conducted under the licence

If you have any questions about this file, please do contact Sean Joseph, NWB Tech Advisor, [sjoseph@nunavutwaterboard.org](mailto:sjoseph@nunavutwaterboard.org) (867) 360-6338 Ext. 25, or Richard Dwyer, Licensing Administrator [licensingadmin@nunavutwaterboard.org](mailto:licensingadmin@nunavutwaterboard.org) (867) 360-6338 Ext. 29

Sincerely,

***Original signed by:***

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Cc: NPC  
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