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Via email: licensingadmin@nunavutwaterboard.org

Re: **Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: INAC - Contaminated Sites' "Resolution Island Water License Amendment" project proposal**

Dear Richard Dwyer:

On April 21, 2010 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for Indian and Northern Affairs Canada – Contaminated Sites' "Resolution Island" project proposal. Please be advised that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item 5 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (5):

"Water uses that do not require a public hearing under Section 13.7.3."

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by the NIRB, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me directly at ahanson@nirb.ca or 867-983-4615.

Best regards,

Amanda Hanson
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Nunavut Impact Review board

cc: Brian Aglukark, Nunavut Planning Commission
Stephen Hooey, INAC – Contaminated Sites