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NU-04-0045

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*Via electronic mail to:*

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Dear Ms. Ikkutisluk:

**Subject:** Proposed works or undertakings are not in or near fish habitat.

Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) received the proposal on April 13, 2005, concerning the application for a Type "B" water license by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada. To expedite future correspondence or inquiries, please refer to your referral title and file numbers when you contact us.

Referral File No.:	<b>04-HCAA-CA7-000-000045</b>
Habitat File No.:	<b>NU-04-0045</b>
Referral Title:	<b>Sarcpa Lake - CAM-F DEW Line</b>

It is our understanding that your proposal consists of:

- *Remediation of abandoned DEW Line site.*
- *Mobilization of a camp holding a maximum of 35 people.*
- *Water usage will be restricted to human consumption and will not exceed 115 litres/person/day.*
- *Water intake will be equipped with a mesh screen to prevent entrapment of fish.*
- *Overland winter transportation will be required via cat train to allow movement of heavy equipment between the landing area and the station (no construction required).*

as outlined in the following plans:

- *NWB Water Licence Application Form.*
- *NWB Application for Access to Inuit Owned Land.*
- *NWB Exploration/Remote Camp Supplementary Questionnaire.*
- *Remediation Work Plan CAM-F Sarcpa Lake Intermediate DEW Line Site, UMA Engineering Ltd., January 2005.*

If the above plans have changed at all, the advice in this letter may no longer apply and the proponent should consult with us to determine if further review is needed.

We have found that the proposed works will not likely effect fish or fish habitat. No further review pursuant to the habitat protection provisions of the *Fisheries Act* is needed.

Please note that this letter of advice does not release the proponent from the responsibility of obtaining any other federal (for example, the *Navigable Waters Protection Act*), territorial or municipal approvals. If you have any questions concerning the above, or if my understanding of the proposal is either incorrect, incomplete, or if there are changes, please contact me directly by telephone at (867) 979-8016, or by fax at (867) 979-8039.

Yours sincerely,

***Original signed by:***

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