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Dear Ms. Wilman,

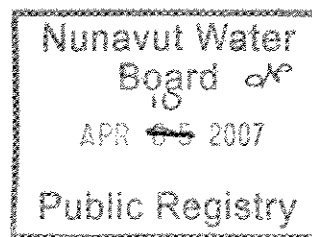
**Re: Dan Utting, CNG/NB-Island Surficial Geology Studies**

The NPC has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. It conforms to the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan.

Attached, for your files, is a copy of the list of conformity requirements to which the applicant has undertaken to comply to.

Yours truly,

Bobby Suluk  
Implementation Co-ordinator



Attachment

cc. NWB  
Leslie Payette, NIRB  
Dan Utting

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**NUNAVUT PLANNING COMMISSION  
APPLICATION TO DETERMINE CONFORMITY  
WITH THE NORTH BAFFIN REGIONAL LAND USE PLAN**

*All applicants for a project proposal shall comply with the requirements listed below. The relevant sections of the plan are noted in each requirement.*

**GENERAL**

2. **Environmental Protection:** s3.3.11.8: The applicant undertakes to prevent any new occurrences of pollution, garbage and contamination at the site of the development.

Yes

No

3. **Removal of Fuel Drums:** s3.3.11.8: The applicant undertakes to remove all drums safely from the site and dispose of the drums in a safe manner.

Yes

No

4. **New Site Restoration and Clean Up:** s3.3.11.1 and Appendix C, s1: The applicant undertakes to clean up the site and restore the site to its natural condition to the greatest extent possible.

Yes

No

5. **Old Site Restoration and Clean Up:** s3.3.11.2: The applicant undertakes to clean up the site and restore the site to its original condition to the greatest extent possible, including any work required due to the applicant's action prior to this application.

Yes

No

6. **Low-Level Air Flights:** Appendix C, s3: Will the applicant avoid all low-level flights?

Yes

No

- i. If not, explain why such flights are or may be absolutely necessary.

Some of the work requires helicopter sampling, which requires  
flying near the ground to locate a suitable sample site, and  
a suitable landing site.

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- ii. If such flights are or may be absolutely necessary, will they avoid disturbance to people and wildlife?

☒ Yes

No

Usually alternate sample sites can be located, making it possible to avoid wildlife and people.

- iii. If not, explain why it is not possible to avoid such disturbance.

**HERITAGE RESOURCES**

10. Reporting of Archaeological Sites: s3.3.9.3 and Appendix C, s2 and s8: Will the applicant immediately report the discovery of all suspected archaeological sites to the Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth (GN)?

☒ Yes

No

11. Carving Stone Deposits: Appendix C, s9. Will the applicant report any discoveries of carving stone deposits to the Qikiqtani Inuit Association?

☒ Yes

No

12. Negative Effects: s3.3.5.7: Has the applicant planned to minimize the negative effects of its activity on the environment?

☒ Yes

No

**SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH**

17. Scientific Research: s3.3.7.3: Does the project proposal involve scientific research?

☒ Yes

No

If yes, will the applicant integrate all available and relevant local and traditional knowledge when conducting its research?

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18. Consultation with Nunavut Research Institute: s3.3.7.6: Has the applicant consulted with the Nunavut Research Institute about research topics that would benefit or interest local residents?

Yes

No

i. Describe the results of your consultation.

We have submitted a research permit application.

ii. If no, explain why.

19. Local Services and Local Employment: s3.3.7.4: Will the applicant rely on local services and employment where possible?

Yes

No

i. Describe the services retained and the people to be employed.

The scientific capacity doesn't exist in the local community, however, wherever possible local services will be used (ex hotel, food, casual employment (loading aircraft, etc.))

ii. If no, explain why it is not possible.

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**20. Communication on Scientific Research: s3.2.8 and s3.3.7.5:** The applicant will, at minimum, translate a summary of its work into Inuktitut and communicate with communities using language that is clear and non-technical. The results of all scientific research shall be made available to the affected communities as soon as possible.

☒ Yes

No

**22. Code of Good Conduct for Land Users: Appendix C:** The applicant undertakes to adhere to the code of Good Conduct at all times.

☒ Yes

No

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I, Daniel Utting (name of applicant), certify that the information I have given in this application is true and correct and hereby make the above undertakings which form part of my application for a project proposal within the meaning of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement.

Date: April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007

Signature of Applicant: 