

**Iviq Hunters & Trappers  
Organization**

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Dear, Michael:

This letter is a notification of receiving application we at this time do not deny or approve of such significant application as of yet.

We are requesting that Nunavut Impact Review Board have a public hearing to hear from the beneficiaries of Grise Fiord, further.

Water Board must hold hearing in the community of Grise Fiord to determine the long-term effects.

We are overwhelmed by the implications in which we would face by approving or denying such application without consultation with the community peers.

We understand as written a conversation took place between Robert Sheaves & Cominco however no verbal or written has been made to Iviq HTO by Robert Sheaves on the discussion, in the case Iviq HTO's position has not convey to either parties.

We are requesting that we be given more time to review such project which could have long term implications (beneficial or adverse effects), from the general public.

Sincerely,



Jaypetee Akeagok  
Iviq HTO Chairperson

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