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Dear Ms. Pugh, Mr. Kharatyan, Mr. Clark, Mr. Shoo, Ms. Osmond, Ms. Ohokannoak, Dr. Cott

RE: NPC File # 148339 Arctic Operations Advisor Course - Canadian Armed Forces

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Canadian Armed Forces Training - An Arctic Operations Advisor course to be carried out at multiple locations throughout Nunavut involving up to 15 people spending up to 4 days on the land at each location.

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A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the NPC can be accessed online using the link below.

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. It conforms to the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan (NBRLUP) and the Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan (KRLUP). The proponent has agreed to the applicable conformity requirements of the NBRLUP and the KRLUP, including the Code of Good Conduct, and Caribou Protection Conditions/Measures. The project proposal is exempt from screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB). The project proposal does not require screening because it belongs to a class of works or activities set out in Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), and the NPC does not have concerns regarding the cumulative impacts of the project proposal.

By way of this letter and additional enclosures, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials are available at the following address:

<http://npc.strata360.com/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=148339&sessionid=>

The applicant has undertaken to comply with the attached requirements. The regulatory authorities to which this letter is addressed are responsible under the Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act (NUPPAA) to implement any of the attached requirements by incorporating the requirements directly, or otherwise ensuring that they must be met, in the terms and conditions of any authorizations issued.

This conformity determination applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licences, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required. Regulatory authorities may consult with the NPC to obtain recommendations on their duties to implement the existing land use plans prior to issuing licences, permits and other authorizations under subsection 69(6) of the NUPPAA.

My office would be pleased to discuss how best to implement the attached requirements and to review any draft authorizations that regulatory authorities wish to provide for that purpose. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4632.

Sincerely,



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