

Please note that Section 12.4.3 of the NLCA states that:

“Any application for a component or activity of a project proposal that has been permitted to proceed in accordance with these provisions shall be exempt from the requirement for screening by NIRB unless:

(a) such component or activity was not part of the original project proposal; or

(b) its inclusion would significantly modify the project.”

The NIRB is of the opinion that the proposed activities are not likely to *significantly* change the general scope of the original project. Prior to making its final decision on this application, the NIRB would like to provide an opportunity for interested parties to provide comments for the Board’s consideration regarding:

- whether the proposed component or activity was a part of the original proposal;
- whether its inclusion would significantly modify the project;
- any additional mitigation measures that are appropriate; and
- any other matter of importance to the Party related to the project proposal.

Please send your comments directly to the NIRB at info@nirb.ca or via fax to (867) 983-2594 by **March 15, 2010**.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at lwan@nirb.ca or by phone (867) 983-4606.

Sincerely,



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