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October 15, 2015

To: Doris North Distribution List

Sent via email

Re: Receipt of Response to Information Request Package and TMAC Request for Modified Technical Review Period in the NIRB's Reconsideration of the Doris North Project Certificate

Dear Parties:

On October 8, 2015 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received TMAC Resources Inc.'s (TMAC) Response to Information Requests package for its 2015 amendment application for the Doris North Project Certificate amendment proposal. The NIRB is currently checking if the submission is complete.

NIRB-NWB Coordinated Process

In its 2015 amendment application, TMAC reiterated its previous request that the NIRB and the NWB use a coordinated process for the reconsideration of the 2015 amendment application. The NWB is currently working on conducting its completeness check to determine if the 2015 amendment application meets the NWB conformity. As such, the NIRB will not be commencing next steps until the NWB has made its conformity determination.

Modified Technical Review Period

On October 5, 2015 TMAC submitted a request to the NIRB and the NWB to consider scheduling technical meetings and pre-hearing conferences in Cambridge Bay between November 30, 2015 and December 4, 2015. Further, TMAC requested that the technical review period be reduced from 60 days to 45 days in order to have the technical review completed by the TMAC proposed meeting dates.

By copy of this letter, the NIRB is respectfully requesting that parties identify if the 45 day technical review is reasonable, or if not, any issues with the proposed shortened technical review timeline that would limit the agency's effective involvement in the process by **October 23, 2015**.

Please send your response to the NIRB at info@nirb.ca or via fax at (867) 983-2594.

Should you have any questions or require further clarification regarding next steps in the NIRB's reconsideration of the Doris North Project Certificate please contact Kelli Gillard, Technical Advisor and Monitoring Officer for the Doris North Project, at (867) 983-4619 or via email at kgillard@nirb.ca.

Sincerely,

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