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Via email: licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org

RE: 2AM-DOH0713 Notice Modification Tank Farm Berm Expansion

Environment Canada (EC) has reviewed documents pertaining to the above-mentioned notice of modification regarding the Roberts Bay Tank Farm Berm, submitted to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB). The following specialist advice has been provided pursuant to the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, Section 36(3) of the *Fisheries Act*, the *Migratory Birds Convention Act*, and the *Species at Risk Act*.

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The modifications involve raising the berm to accommodate the installation of the aviation tank originally proposed to be located at the 20 ML Roberts Bay Tank Farm and to increase containment capacity to meet the 5500 cubic metre requirement.

EC has no concerns at the time with this modification as long as all current license conditions continue to be adhered to, including that all required monitoring plans are updated accordingly following construction. If there are any additional modifications, EC should be notified, as further review may be necessary. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned with any questions or comments with regards to the foregoing at (867) 975-4631 or by email at Paula.C.Smith@ec.gc.ca

Yours truly,

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