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Stephanie Briscoe
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Nunavut Impact Review Board
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Subject: Update on discussions between DFO and Tahera with regards to Jericho Public Hearing comments.

Dear Ms Briscoe:

Fisheries & Oceans Canada (DFO) is pleased to provide the Nunavut Impact Review Board with the attached comments from Mainstream Aquatics LTD in response to DFO's submission for the Jericho Diamond Project Public Hearings.

Based on recent discussions, a number of the issues raised by DFO have been resolved. DFO will elaborate on these issues in our presentation at the Public Hearings.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (867) 979-8007 or by fax at (867) 979-8039.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Stephanie Critch

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