PARTICIPANT FUNDING APPLICATION FORM

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Participant Funding: Application for Funding

Please refer to "How to Complete Your Application Form" of the guide entitled "Participant Funding" when completing this application.

Step 1: Applicant Information

Name and location of project:

Kiggavik Project
The Kiggavik Project is a proposed uranium ore mining and milling operation located in the Kivalliq region of Nunavut approximately 80 km west of the community of Baker Lake.

Please specify which phases and steps of the Review you intend to participate in:

Phase 1: Scoping and Guideline Development
Phase 2: Draft EIS, Technical Meeting and PHC
Phase 3:Final EIS and Final Hearing

Name of applicant (individual or organization):

Kivalliq Inuit Association

Web site address:
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Legal name of applicant (if different):

Kivalliq Inuit Association

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Province: Nunavut

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If the application is for an individual or a law firm, indicate on whose behalf you are submitting this application.

Applying on behalf of him/herself or law firm ____

Applying on behalf of an unincorporated entity____

Name of unincorporated entity:

(Note: Applications will not be accepted from unincorporated entities in their own name.)

Name and title of contact person for corporation/ organization/ group/ association:
If you represent an entity (incorporated or otherwise) supporting documentation, endorsing you as the entity's representation must be attached to this application.

Language of correspondence
English___☒_
French____
Telephone number (if different):
Fax number (if different):
Is your organization incorporated? Yes____ No____
Federal No.: ____ Provincial No.: ____
Business number (Canada Customs and Revenue Agency):
GST/HST rebate number: _____
GST/HST rebate %: _____

Have you applied or will be applying for funds from other sources to participate in the review process? No____ Yes____

If yes, please specify how much and the source.

Describe your or your organization's major goals and mandate.

> Kivalliq Inuit Association (KIA) is a "Designated Inuit Organization" (DIO), which represents the interests of all Inuit living in the Kivalliq Region, acts as a lobbying group, administers and monitors certain provisions of the Nunavut Final Agreement in the Kivalliq Region.

KIA as a Designated Inuit Organization is mandated to deal with the Inuit Owned Land Management issues within the Kivalliq region. Through its Lands Department the Kivalliq Inuit Association administers the use of the surface lands, in order to meet the legal requirements and obligations contained within the Nunavut Land Claim Agreement and other legal statutes and instruments, regarding to surface land management.

Goals:

The aim of Inuit land management is to administer Inuit Owned Lands on behalf, and for the benefit, of all Inuit so as to promote the principles of self-reliance and the cultural and social well being of Inuit. The primary purpose of Inuit Owned Land shall be to provide Inuit with rights in land that promote economic self-sufficiency of Inuit through time, in a manner consistent with Inuit social and cultural needs and aspirations. In order to benefit Inuit now and into the future, Inuit Owned Lands must be managed in such a way as to sustain and enhance the value of these lands.

Describe your interest in the Review.

The KIA mission is to represent, in a fair and democratic manner, Inuit of the Kivalliq Region in the development, protection, administration and advancement of their rights and benefits as an aboriginal people; as well as to promote their economic, social, political and cultural well being through succeeding generations.

Step 2: Description of Proposed Activities

Describe your proposed contribution to the Review, including:

The objectives of KIA participation:
KIA as a Designated Inuit Organization is mandated to deal with the Inuit Owned Land Management issues within the Kivalliq region. Therefore, the KIA's objective is to ensure that the project:

1) meets the highest standards for project design, mitigation, and monitoring.
2) Maximizes hiring, training, education, workforce management, local procurement and community investment initiatives for the Kivalliq Region.
3) Minimizes any potential negative social and environmental effects.

The proposed activities KIA is seeking funding for:
The KIA is seeking funding for Phases 1, 2 and 3 of the NIRB Review Process. This will involve the review of all the available information for each phase by KIA staff, independent mining and exploration consultants GeoVector Management Inc. and independent environmental and socio-economic consultants EEM Ltd. 3.

How these proposed objectives and activities may contribute to the review's understanding of the anticipated effects of the project.
This combined review and participation of the KIA, GeoVector and EEM team in Phases 1, 2 and 3 will contribute in the understanding of the anticipated effects of the project by:
1) determining the overall effects of the project,,
2) identifying any problematic areas of the project, and
3) providing direction to the review process on how to better address problematic areas or any special areas of concern.

Identify your capacity to carry out the proposed activities.
Through its Lands Department the Kivalliq Inuit Association has participated in the NIRB review of the Meadowbank Project and will bring the experiences gained here to the AREVA review. In addition, the KIA will use the mining and exploration expertise of GeoVector Management Inc. and the environmental and socio-economic expertise of EEM Ltd. to complete an independent technical review of all the available information for Phases 1, 2 and 3. This independent review will
1) determine the overall effects of the project,,
2) identify any problematic areas of the project, and
3) provide direction to KIA staff on how to better address problematic areas or any special areas of concern.

Describe why you believe your participation will bring an important and distinct perspective to the Review.
KIA as a Designated Inuit Organization is mandated to deal with the Inuit Owned Land Management issues within the Kivalliq region. Therefore, the KIA's participation will explicitly acknowledge the centrality of Traditional Inuit Knowledge (IQ) to project design, mitigation, and monitoring; the importance of community and regulatory consultation throughout the development of the Project's Guidelines Development, Draft EIS and Final EIS. As well as the range of potential hiring, training, education, workforce management, local procurement and community investment initiatives that will be required to share the positive economic benefits of this mine development, while addressing the any potential negative social and environmental effects.

Have you or your organization made an effort to cooperate with other individuals or organizations in preparing a funding application?
No __X__
Yes ____

If yes, please specify name of individual / organization

How are the proposed activities incremental to your ongoing business?

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Step 3: Funding Requested

Please summarize your request for funding of eligible expenses, using the following table (see part 2 of the guide entitled *Participant Funding* for information on each expense category):

Priority Expense Category Funding Requested

The values entered here are for Phase 1 2 and 3 combined. Please see the attached spreadsheet for a detailed breakdown for each phase.

Local collection / distribution of information	$ 2,700.00
Professional fees (excluding legal fees)	$238,500.00
Travel expenses	$159,180.00
Office supplies	$ 1,500.00
Rental of office space / meeting rooms	$ 4,500.00
Staff salaries	$ 0.00
Legal fees	$ 25,200.00
General media advertising / promotion	$ 0.00
Purchase of information material	$ 0.00
Other (specify)	$ 0.00
TOTAL funding requested	**$431,580.00**

With respect to each expense, please provide additional information to support your request. Use additional sheets if needed.

Please see the attached spreadsheet for a detailed breakdown for each expense for each of Phase 1, 2 and 3.

Local collection / distribution of information:

Professional fees (excluding legal fees):

Travel expenses:

Office supplies:

Rental of office space / meeting rooms:

Staff salaries:

Legal fees:

General media advertising / promotion:

Purchase of information material:

Other:

How did you hear about the Participant Funding Program for the Review?

NIRB	_X___
Federal government	____
Territorial government	____
Newspaper	____
Email to your organization	____
Word of mouth	____
Other: please specify	_____

Participant Funding Program

Application for Funding: Certification Form

Certification and Consent:

I/we hereby certify that the information I/we have provided in this application is accurate to the best of my/our knowledge. In the event that a participant funding award is to be made based on this application, I/we agree that no funding will be payable unless I/we sign the INAC standard Contribution Agreement.
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I/we hereby consent to the NIRB providing a copy of this Application Form and of the aforementioned Contribution Agreement (once signed by me/us and by INAC) to any person that the NIRB deems appropriate in the circumstances. I/we further consent to the NIRB making copies of any written submissions during the Review process, by me/us or by the corporation, organization, group or association that I/we represent and to use those copies for purposes related to the Review. The information collected will be subject to the *Access to Information Act*.

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Name

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Title

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Authorized signature Date