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Good afternoon Christopher:

In response to your email below in which the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) indicated that it is seeking confirmation from the Nunavut Water Board (NWB or Board) and the Qikiqtani Inuit Association (QIA) with respect to the authorizing processes for the modified Baffinland proposal (Mary River Project – Early Revenue Phase Proposal), the NWB can affirm that currently it has not received from Baffinland Iron Mines Corporation (BIMC) any water licence related application (new, amendment or modification application) that separately, specifically or directly targets the scope of the Mary River Project-Early Revenue Phase Proposal.

Further, the proposal for the Mary-River Project – Early Revenue Phase is proceeding through the NIRB and the NPC processes that are still ongoing; therefore, in the absence of any determination resulting from those processes, the NWB cannot confirm with certainty if and whether any changes will be required for any water licence application(s) before the Board and/or water licences that have been issued to overall project.

Taking the above-mentioned reasons into consideration, the NWB is automatically unable to act as an authorizing entity at this stage for the proposal in question; however, the NWB is of the understanding that its situation is unlikely to preclude the NPC from undertaking its Land Use Conformity Determination in accordance with s.11.4.4 (k) of the NLCA.

Should you require any additional information or have any questions, please do contact me at your earliest convenience.

Regards,

Sean Joseph

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Subject: FW: Baffinland Response to NPC Letter Dated April 13th, 2013
Importance: High

Good morning,

I am following up on the correspondence below and attached and seeking confirmation from both QIA and the NWB regarding your respective authorising processes for the modified Baffinland proposal.

Could you please provide confirmation that you are in receipt of the modified project proposal and that you will forward the project proposal and associated materials to the NPC for review, or confirm that your agency has determined that a revised authorization is not required, eliminating the requirement for an amended or new application be submitted to you.

Please contact me should you wish to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

Christopher

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Good morning;

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) received the attached letter and associated materials from Baffinland on June 12, 2013 with regards to the proposed amendment to the NIRB Project Certificate No. 0005,requesting that the NPC confirm whether the works and activities proposed as part of amendment and referred to as "Mary River Project – Early Revenue Phase" (ERP) are outside the scope of a previous conformity determinations issued by the NPC (NPC File Ref; Baffinland Mary River Project INAC File # N2008T0014, QIA File # LUA-2008-008 DFO – 2008 MR – NWB File # 2AM – MRY and INAC #N2006C0036, NWB # 2BE-MRY 0406, QIA # Q05L2C14, DFO-Mary River Project, Study of Port and possible transportation corridor & Bulk Sampling Proposal).

The NLCA under 11.5.10 requires that the NPC review **all** applications for project proposals and;

a) determine whether a/the project proposal is in conformity with the plans; and

b) forward the project proposal with its determination and any recommendation to the appropriate federal and territorial agencies.

Pursuant to the NLCA, the NPC is formally requesting that your organization provide either a confirmation of receipt of the ERP project proposal and forward the project proposal and associated materials to the NPC for review, or confirm that your agency has determined that a revised authorization is not required, eliminating the requirement for an amended application and a proposal be submitted to you,

The NPC will then proceed with its review based on the above information received.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Hi Brian,

On behalf of Erik Madsen, please find Baffinland's response to your letter dated April 13th, 2013.

Please don't hesitate to contact myself or Erik with any questions you may have.

Regards,
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