

Nunavut Impact Review Board 29 Mitik Street, PO Box 1360 Cambridge Bay, NU, X0B 0C0 June 24, 2019

Attention: Solomon Amuno, Technical Advisor II

Sent via email: info@nirb.ca

Re: Request for Extension to Respond to Comments Received June 14, 2019

Dear Solomon,

Baffinland Iron Mines Corporation (Baffinland) is requesting an extension to respond to the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) regarding comments received on the 2018 Annual Report for the Mary River Project. Specifically, Baffinland is responding to the NIRB letter dated June 14, 2019 entitled: "Opportunity to Address Comments Received Regarding Baffinland Iron Mine Corporation's Mary River Project 2018 Annual Monitoring Report" and the associated comments received from the following interested parties:

- Qikiqtani Inuit Association (QIA)
- Government of Nunavut (GN)
- Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC)
- Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)
- Health Canada (HC)
- Parks Canada (PC)
- World Wildlife Foundation Canada (WWF)

It is also noted that the NIRB is expecting forthcoming comments from Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) on June 24, 2019.

Given the complexity of some of the comments, Baffinland is requesting an extension until August 5, 2019 to complete our response.

Sincerely,

Megan Lord-Hoyle

Vice President, Sustainable Development

Baffinland Iron Mines

cc:	Lou Kamermans, Director, Sustainable Development, Baffinland Iron Mines Genevieve Morinville, Manager, Environmental, Social and Governance, Baffinland Iron Mines