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RE: NIRB File No. 08MN053: Government of Nunavut Extension Request on Commenting Deadline for Final Written Submission for Baffinland Iron Mines Corp.'s Early Revenue Phase for the Mary River Project

Dear Ms. Dhillon,

The Government of Nunavut is requesting an extension on the deadline for the Final Written Submission regarding Baffinland Iron Mines Corp.'s Early Revenue Phase for the Mary River project. The GN received documentation from the proponent on December 30th 2013 and need more time to adequately review all the information. In addition to this, the blizzard of January 7th and 8th 2014 has delayed our review of the documentation. The GN asks the Nunavut Impact Review Board to consider an extension of 2 days on the deadline of January 13, 2014 to ensure our Final Written Submission is comprehensive.

The GN looks forward to the continued participation on Baffinland Iron Mines Corp.'s Early Revenue Phase for the Mary River project. Should you have any questions pertaining request or regarding the GN participation in the Review process, please contact me, the Avatiliriniq Coordinator at (867) 975-7830 or at asimonfalvy@gov.nu.ca

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