



July 15, 2022

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**RE: Issued for Construction Drawings Submission – Camp Lake Area Water Management Measures
Mary River Project - Type 'A' Water Licence 2AM-MRY1325 - Amend. No. 1**

Baffinland Iron Mines Corporation (Baffinland) is pleased to submit final design and for-construction drawings for planned construction work at the Mary River Project (the Project) in accordance with Part D, Item 2 of Type 'A' Water Licence 2AM-MRY1325 - Amendment No. 1 (Type A Water Licence). The planned construction work includes water management measures in the Camp Lake area at the Mary River Mine Site. The purpose of these measures is to reduce potential erosion and sedimentation in the area, reduce the potential impact to fish habitat, and minimize releases of total suspended solids (TSS) to Camp Lake and its tributaries. The proposed measures are consistent with Baffinland's Mine Site Water Management Plan, which was approved by the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) in August 2021 as part of Modification Request No. 13 under Baffinland's Type 'A' Water Licence.

This letter provides notice to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) that there is an urgent necessity for Baffinland to begin construction work within 14 days of this submission, specifically and as discussed with the NWB. Baffinland intends to commence construction on or before July 29, 2022. This construction timeframe is critical to ensure that these measures are implemented as soon possible to reduce the potential for erosion and sedimentation in the Camp Lake area and potential impact to fish habitat.

The following documents and drawings have been attached:

- Design Brief
 - Mary River Project – Camp Lake Area Water Management – Design Brief and IFC Drawings
- Drawings
 - Figure 1 Rev 0 Mine Site – Overall Arrangement
 - Drawing 550 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Drawing List
 - Drawing 551 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - General Arrangement
 - Drawing 555 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Area 1: North End of Airstrip – Plan
 - Drawing 560 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Area 2: Camp Lake Jetty – Plan
 - Drawing 565 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Area 3: Snow Stockpile – Plan
 - Drawing 566 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Ditch Profiles
 - Drawing 570 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Typical Sections and Details
 - Drawing 575 Rev 0 Camp Lake Area - Water Management - Fill Material Specifications

Baffinland will prepare a Construction Summary Report within ninety (90) days following completion of this work, in accordance with Part D, Item 17 of the Licence.

We trust that this information meets the requirements under Part D of the Licence.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Borcsok", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Steve Borcsok
Approvals Manager

Attachments:

Attachment 1: Design Brief & For-Construction Drawings

Cc:

Karén Kharatyan (Nunavut Water Board)

Chris Spencer, Jared Ottenhof (Qikiqtani Inuit Association)

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Attachment No. 1

Design Brief & For Construction Drawings