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RE: 2BB-MEL0914 B3 recalculation of liability

Environment Canada (EC) has reviewed the information submitted with the above-mentioned application to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB). The following specialist advice has been provided pursuant to the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, Section 36(3) of the *Fisheries Act*, the *Migratory Birds Convention Act*, and the *Species at Risk Act*.

EC has no comments regarding the recalculation of liability. Comments previously submitted on behalf of EC regarding water license 2BB-MEL0914 would still apply to this project. If there are any changes in the project EC should be notified as further review may be necessary. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or comments with regards to the foregoing at (867) 975-4631 or by email at Paula.C.Smith@ec.gc.ca

Yours truly,

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