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**Re: Notice of Part 4 Screening for Kivalliq Energy Corporation's "Angilak" project proposal**

Dear Allison Rippin-Armstrong:

On March 27, 2008, the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received an application for Access to Inuit Owned Lands from the Kivalliq Inuit Association (KIA). On April 29, 2008 the NIRB received a positive conformity determination (Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan) for the Kivalliq Energy Corporation's Angilak project proposal from the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC). In addition, on May 5, 2008 the NIRB received a Land Use Application from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC). On May 12, 2008, the NIRB acknowledged the receipt of your application and requested additional information for the NIRB to conduct an environmental screening. On June 26, 2008, the NIRB received this additional information. The NIRB has assigned this project proposal file number 08EN052.

The project is located in the Kivalliq Region. The nearest communities include Rankin Inlet and Whale Cove. Kivalliq Energy Corporation intends to conduct exploration activities for IOCG (Iron Oxide Copper Gold) and uranium on the claim area. The work is expected to be carried out between May and October 2008 up to 2013. In 2008, exploration work will include prospecting, mapping, and ground and airborne geophysics. In 2009, Kivalliq Energy Corporation intends to conduct exploration drilling.

The project activities include:

- Temporary camp construction (10-14 people)
- Exploration activities – prospecting, mapping and geophysical surveys (ground and airborne)
- On land and on-ice exploration drilling (up to 25 drill holes)
- Project supported by helicopter (transportation of field crews and movement of drill)

- Fuel storage and transportation (diesel, gasoline, aviation fuel, propane)
- Chemical and hazardous waste storage
- Water use for domestic purposes and drilling purposes
- Production of wastes
- Incineration of combustible waste

All documents received and pertaining to this project proposal can be obtained from NIRB's ftp site at:

<http://ftp.nirb.ca/SCREENINGS/ACTIVE%20SCREENINGS/08EN052-Kivalliq%20Energy%20Corporation/1-SCREENING/> including:

- *NIRB Part 1 Summary Application Form in English*
- *NIRB Part 1 Summary Application Form in Inuktitut*
- *NIRB Part 2 Project Specific Information Requirements (PSIR)*
- *KIA Application for Access to Inuit Owned Land*
- *INAC Application for Land Use Permit*
- *NPC Conformity Determination*
- *Maps*
- *Non technical Project Proposal summary in English*
- *Non technical Project Proposal summary in Inuktitut*
- *Abandonment and Restoration Plan – Angilak Project*
- *Spill Contingency Plan – Angilak Property*
- *Uranium Exploration Plan – Angilak Property*
- *Wildlife Mitigation Measures*

Pursuant to Part 4, Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement, NIRB shall proceed to screen the project proposal. The NIRB may request additional information at any time during the process. The NIRB will copy you on any screening process related correspondence and upload related documents to the above ftp site for public access.

NIRB is copying interested Parties and municipalities most affected by Kivalliq Energy Corporation's project proposal with this letter, and we invite interested persons to comment directly to the NIRB by **July 18, 2008**.

NIRB would like Parties to provide comments regarding:

- Whether the project proposal is likely to arouse significant public concern; and if so, why;
- Whether the project proposal is likely to cause significant adverse eco-systemic and socio-economic effects; and if so, why;
- Whether the project is of a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and mitigable with known technology, (please provide any recommended mitigation measures); and
- Any matter of importance to the Party related to the project proposal.

Please send your comments to the attention of NIRB's Manager of Environmental Administration, Leslie Payette via email at [lpayette@nirb.ca](mailto:lpayette@nirb.ca) or via fax at **(867) 983-2594**.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact NIRB's Technical Advisor, Sophia Granchinho at 867-983-4607 or [sgranchinho@nirb.ca](mailto:sgranchinho@nirb.ca).

Sincerely,



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         Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board

Attachments:  
         Comment Form