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## Re: Coppermine Project 2BE-CPP---- Arctic Copper Corp. New Water Licence **Application**

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Mon, May 8, 2023 at 7:05 PM

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Hi Robert,

ECCC will not be providing comments at this time for this application. If/when the project moves beyond the small scale exploration stage, we would be pleased to take another look.

Thanks for checking to confirm with us!

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Subject: FW: Coppermine Project 2BE-CPP---- Arctic Copper Corp. New Water Licence Application

Hi Anna,

I believe this one was sent to you?

Did we provide comments for this one?

Melissa

From: Robert Hunter <robert.hunter@nwb-oen.ca>

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Cc: Licensing Department < licensing@nwb-oen.ca>

Subject: Re: Coppermine Project 2BE-CPP---- Arctic Copper Corp. New Water Licence Application

Good afternoon,

The Nunavut Water Board would like to confirm if ECCC will be providing comments for this application? The deadline for submissions was April 28, 2023. As the Nunavut Water Board only received comments from CIRNAC, we would like to confirm if ECCC will be providing comments as well?

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Regards,

Robert Hunter

Licensing Administrator

On Fri, Mar 31, 2023 at 2:03 PM Richard Dwyer <richard.dwyer@nwb-oen.ca> wrote:

Good afternoon,

The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt on March 28, 2023 of your new water licence application, attached, for the Coppermine Project. This application has been assigned file number 2BE-CPP----. Please refer to this number in future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- 2022 Cert of good standing NU-Arctic Copper Corp
- 2023-02-24-NPC #149907-Coppermine
- Application for Water Licence
- Arctic Copper Claims East
- Arctic Copper Claims North
- Arctic Copper Claims West

- Project Summary English
- Project Summary Inuktitut
- Abandonment & Restoration Plan
- Spill Contingency Plan
- Waste Disposal Information

Please be advised that under the Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada (Nunavut Agreement) Article 11, Section 11.5.9 and s. 76 (1) of Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act (NuPPAA), the proponent of a project governed by NuPPAA is also required to submit a project proposal document directly to the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC or Commission) for the NPC's determination regarding the applicable land use planning requirements and/or directions regarding whether the project is subject to screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board. In particular, please note that as established under Articles 11, 12 and 13 of the Nunavut Agreement, NuPPAA and Part 3 of the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act, until the project has completed the applicable land use planning and assessment process required by the NPC and the NIRB, the NWB cannot issue a water licence/approval.

The NWB confirms receipt of NPC conformity under NuPPAA on February 24, 2023 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on February 24, 2023.

This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for submissions is April 28, 2023.

Regards,

### Richard



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