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NWB File No: 2BE-FER1318

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Subject: Water Licence Renewal Application Ferguson Lake Project

Dear Mr. Boyd:

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) acknowledges receipt on June 12, 2018 of your renewal water licence application, for Ferguson Lake Project. This application has been assigned file number 2BE-FER1318. Please refer to this number on future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- 180612 2BE-FER1318 2014 INAC Inspection Report
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 2015 FCA and Soils Sampling Memo 2015 09 24)
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 2018 Ferguson Lake Statement of Capacity and Work Plan
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 2018 Spill Plan Updated Contact List
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 2018 WUL renewal letter for CNRD
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 Application Signature Page
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 AR Plan
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 Community Consultation Log 2014-2018
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 KIA 2015 Inspection
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 Spill Contingency Plan
- 180612 2BE-FER1318 Water Licence Renewal Application
- 180815 2BE-FER1318 Project Summary English
- 180815 2BE-FER1318 Project Summary Inuktitut

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 June 29, 2018 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on June 29, 2018. This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for submissions is **September 22, 2018**.

Please call the undersigned at (867) 360-6338 or email to licensing@nwb-oen.ca if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Richard Dwyer