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Jeff Mercer Indian and Northern Affairs Canada Box 100 Igaluit, NU X0A 0H0

Via email: jeff.mercer@inac-ainc.gc.ca and landsmining@inac-ainc.gc.ca

Re: <u>Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Prosperity Goldfield Corp's "Kiyuk Lake" project proposal</u>

Dear Jeff Mercer:

On March 3, 2011 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from Prosperity Goldfield Corp. (PGC) for its "Kiyuk Lake" project proposal. On March 3, 2011 the NIRB was forwarded a positive conformity determination Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan from the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) for this file. Please be advised that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item # 2 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (2):

"Land use activities requiring only a Class B permit under the Territorial Land Use Regulations (SOR/77-210 4 March 1977)"

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by NIRB, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me directly at <a href="mailto:info@nirb.ca">info@nirb.ca</a> or 867 983 4603.

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Best regards,

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Environmental Administrator Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc: Brian Aglukark, Nunavut Planning Commission

Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board Quinton Hennigh, Prosperity Goldfield Corp