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NWB File No: 2BE-NAD0813

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Subject: Commander Resources Ltd. – Baffin Island Project – Renewal Amendment – Type “B”, Qikiqtani

Dear Mr. Cameron:

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) acknowledges receipt on May 24, 2017 of your renewal and amendment water licence application, for the Baffin Island Project. This application has been assigned file number 2BE-NAD0813. Please refer to this number on future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- Amendment Renewal Application
- Remote Camp Questionnaire
- Compliance Assessment Status Report
- Compliance Assessment
- Annual Reporting forms 2014 to 2016
- Commander letter of Authorization for Apex Agents
- Certificate of Name Change
- Remedial Action Plan
- Commander Financial Statements
- AR Plan
- Spill Prevention & Response Plan
- Emergency Response Plan
- Environmental Management Plan
- Fuel Management Plan
- Non-Technical Summary English & Inuktitut
- Waste Management Plan
- Camp location satellite figure
- Camp location topo map
- Water licence inspection report July 20, 2016

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 (which may include the water licence application) 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.

The NWB confirms receipt of NPC conformity under NuPPAA on May 10, 2017 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on May 10, 2017. This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for submissions is June 30, 2017

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

Sincerely,

Richard Dwyer
Licensing Administrator

Cc: Technical Advisor Sean Joseph
NPC
NIRB