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Dear Mr. Dwyer, Mr. Morrison, Ms. McCaie, Ms. Osmond, Mr. Frenette:

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RE: NPC File # 149534 [Parker Lake Exploration Project]

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

- 1. Renewal of Agnico Eagle Type B Water Licence (2BE-PKR1621)
- 2. Related NPC File Nos: 148149, 148346 &148439; Related NIRB File No. 15EN049
- 3. Location: Kivalliq Region

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) can be accessed online using the link below.

The NPC has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. The activities associated with this proposal were previously reviewed by NPC, and a conformity determination was issued on January 23, 2017 (NPC File #148439), September 9, 2016 (NPC File #148346), and October 21, 2015 (NPC File #148149) which still applies. In addition, the activities were previously screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB File No.: 15EN049). It conforms to the

Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan (KRLUP). The proponent has undertaken to comply with the applicable conformity requirements of Appendix C, G, and H of the KRLUP.

The above-noted project proposal does not require screening because the NPC is of the understanding that it does not change the general scope of the original or previously amended project activities, and the exceptions noted in Section 12.4.3 (a) and (b) of the Nunavut Agreement do not apply.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials, including the applicable conformity requirements, are available at the following address:

https://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=149534&sessionid=

This conformity determination applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. The regulatory authorities to which this letter is addressed are responsible under the Nunavut Agreement to implement any of the applicable conformity requirements by incorporating the requirements directly, or otherwise ensuring that they must be met, in the terms and conditions of any authorizations issued.

My office would be pleased to discuss how best to implement the applicable requirements and to review any draft authorizations that regulatory authorities wish to provide for that purpose. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4625.

Sincerely,

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