



**NOTICE OF INDICATION
NIRB FILE NO.: 08EN015**

KIA File No.: KVL307C02
AANDC File No. N2012C0007 (*previous file no. N2008C0007*)
NWB File No.: 2BE-QAM0813

April 5, 2012

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and

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Re: Notice of Indication for Cameco Corporation's "Turgavik-Aberdeen" Project Proposal, NIRB File No. 08EN015

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) Screening Decision Report to The Honourable John Duncan, Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development (AANDC) and David Ningeongan, President of the Kivalliq Inuit Association (KivIA) for Cameco Corporation's "Turgavik-Aberdeen" in the Kivalliq Region.

The NIRB has assessed this project proposal for ecosystemic and socio-economic impacts taking into consideration the comments from relevant authorities and communities. Based on this assessment NIRB's indication to the Minister is in accordance with **12.4.4 (a)** which states the following:

“The proposal may be processed without a review under Part 5 or 6; NIRB may recommend specific terms and conditions to be attached to any approval, reflecting the primary objectives set out in Section 12.2.5.”

The enclosed NIRB Screening Decision for NIRB File No. 08EN015 signed on April 5, 2012 by Elizabeth Copland at Arviat, Nunavut has been issued to AANDC and the KivIA and is subject to the terms and conditions contained herein being imposed upon the Proponent.

The NIRB is aware of AANDC and the KivIA's authority to regulate the terms and conditions attached to the enclosed Screening Decision Report, and requests that AANDC and the KivIA send a hardcopy of the authorization with NIRB's file number referenced on the document to the NIRB office to complete our files. In addition, the NIRB requests that copies of any subsequent inspection reports related to the subject project proposal be sent to the NIRB office.

Please contact Natasha Lear, NIRB Environmental Administrator at 867-983-4612 or info@nirb.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Natasha Lear".

Natasha Lear
Environmental Administrator

cc: Gerard Zaluski, Cameco Corporation
Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board
Brian Aglukark, Nunavut Planning Commission

Enclosure: NIRB Screening Decision Report (NIRB File No.: 08EN015)