



**NOTICE OF INDICATION  
NIRB FILE NO.: 10EN013**

INAC File No: N2010C0003

May 13, 2010

Spencer Dewar  
Manager Land Administration  
Indian and Northern Affairs Canada  
Iqaluit, NU

Via email: [Spencer.Dewar@inac-ainc.gc.ca](mailto:Spencer.Dewar@inac-ainc.gc.ca)

**Re: Notice of Indication for Commander Resources Ltd.'s "Storm Project" Project Proposal**

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Dear Spencer Dewar:

Enclosed is the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) Screening Decision Report to the Honourable Chuck Strahl, Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) for Commander Resources Ltd.'s "Storm Project" project proposal in the Qikiqtani 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 Section **12.4.4 (a)** of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement 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. 10EN013, signed on May 13, 2010 by Henry Ohokannoak, Acting Chairperson for Lucassie Arragutainaq at Cambridge Bay, NU has been issued to INAC and is subject to the terms and conditions contained herein being imposed upon the Proponent.

The NIRB is aware of INAC's authority to regulate the terms and conditions attached to the enclosed Screening Decision Report, and requests that INAC 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 Tara Arko, NIRB Assistant Technical Advisor at (867) 983-4611 or [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tara Arko', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Tara Arko – Assistant Technical Advisor

cc: Gordon Davidson, [gdavidson@commanderresources.com](mailto:gdavidson@commanderresources.com)  
Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board

Enclosure: NIRB Screening Decision Report (NIRB File No.: 10EN013)