





2. List the active permits, licenses, or other authorizations related to the project proposal, and their expiry date(s):

Commander Resources Ltd. holds the rights to mineral claims AB 1 – AB 47 (K16471 – K16517) and Aston 1 – Aston 10 (F95596 – F95605). The Prospecting Permits 8340 – 8343 and P-12 – P-17 are held in the name of Michael Dufresne on behalf of Commander. Current approvals include: AANDC LUP N2010C0003, NIRB File No 10EN013 and NWB Water Licence 2BE-ST1015. A new LUP application and a water licence Renewal/Amendment are currently under application.

3. List the pending permits, licenses, or other authorizations related to the project proposal:

The current AANDC LUP N2010C003 is set to expire on May 16, 2015. A new LUP application has been submitted in the name of Aston Bay, as they are the operator of the Property. The NWB Water Licence is set to expire on July 31, 2015. A Water Licence Renewal/Amendment is currently under application in the name of Commander, which will ultimately be converted into Aston Bay's name.

4. Has this project or any components of this project been previously screened or reviewed by NIRB?

☒ YES



NO

If YES, indicate the previous project name and NIRB File No.

The previous project name was the Storm Property. Authorized under AANDC LUP N2010C0003, NIRB File No 10EN013 and NWB Licence 2BE-ST1015.

### SECTION 3: PROJECT PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION

1. Indicate the type of project proposal (check all that apply)<sup>(1,2)</sup>:  
(See Appendix A for Project Type Definitions)

1	All-Weather Road/Access Trail	<input type="checkbox"/>	9	Site Cleanup/Remediation	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Winter Road/ Winter Trail	<input type="checkbox"/>	10	Oil and Natural Gas Exploration/Activities	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	<b>Mineral Exploration</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11	Marine Based Activities	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Advanced Mineral Exploration	<input type="checkbox"/>	12	Scientific/International Polar Year Research*	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Mine Development /Bulk Sampling	<input type="checkbox"/>	13	Harvesting Activities*	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Pits and quarries	<input type="checkbox"/>	14	Tourism Activities*	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Offshore Infrastructure (port, break water, dock)	<input type="checkbox"/>	15	Other <sup>(2)</sup> :	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Seismic Survey	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>

**Please note:**

- All project types listed above, except those marked with an asterisk (\*), will also require the Proponent to submit a **Part 2 Project Specific Information Requirement (PSIR) Form**. The NIRB application process will not be considered complete without the Part 2 PSIR Form.
- Please be advised that in order to complete the NIRB process, the NIRB may request additional information at any time during the process.
- If "Other" is selected, contact NIRB for direction on whether a Part 2 PSIR Form is required.



2. If Project Type 3, 4 or 5 was selected above, please indicate the mineral of interest that is being extracted. Include a brief description.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Base Metals (zinc, copper, gold, silver, etc) <u>Copper, Zinc and Silver</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Diamonds
<input type="checkbox"/>	Uranium
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____

3a. If Project Type 12, 13 or 14 was selected above, complete the table and questions below.

Transportation Type	Quantity	Proposed Use	Length of Use
<b>Helicopter</b> (A-Star, Bell 407 or similar)	1	Transport equipment & personnel	6 weeks
<b>Fixed wing aircraft</b> (Twin Otter or similar)	1	Transport equipment, personnel, samples, etc. to/from Resolute Bay to/from Camp	occasional
<b>Quad</b>	1-2	Transport equipment and personnel around Camp	6 weeks

3b. Describe any docks, piers, air strips or related structures that are to be used in conjunction with the proposed project activities. **Please note:** *the building of new structures may require a Part 2 Form.*  
~ 200 m Airstrip to accommodate fixed wing aircraft (Twin Otter or similar) will be required.

The location for the camp and subsequent airstrip were chosen due to the proper terrain, which was already suitable for a tundra-tire equipped fixed wing aircraft to land without requiring any construction/modification

3c. If a temporary camp site is to be established, describe the proposed structures in detail and indicate the type and source of power for the camp site if applicable.

10-12 person camp, with fuel cache. The proposed camp location is within one of the large braid bars of the Aston River, from which camp water can be drawn. Structures for the proposed camp will include approximately 6 sleeper tents, a medical tent, kitchen, dry, office, shop, core shack, generator housing, incinerator, and 2 outhouses. The majority of the structures will be insulated Weatherhaven tents, or similar, with plywood floors.

#### 4. Personnel

Total No. of personnel on site = (A)	<b>Max 12</b>	Total No. of days on-site = (B)	<b>42</b>	Total No. of Person days (A) x (B) = ~ 504
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#### 5. Timing

Period of operation: from June to September  
 Proposed term of authorization: from 2015 to 2017 (as per AANDC LUP)  
But will likely run longer

#### 6a. Region (check all that apply):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North Baffin	<input type="checkbox"/> Kivalliq	<input type="checkbox"/> Kitikmeot	<input type="checkbox"/> Transboundary: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> South Baffin	<input type="checkbox"/> National Park		

6b. Describe the location of the proposed project activities in a regional context, noting the proximity to the nearest communities and any protected areas.

The Aston Bay Property is located east of Aston Bay on northwestern Somerset Island, within 1:250,000 scale NTS map sheet 058C. It is approximately 112 km south of the community of







3b. Have you applied for a water License with the Nunavut Water Board?

☐ YES

☐ NO

If yes, what class of licence?

☐ Class A Water Licence

☐ Class B Water Licence

## SECTION 6: WASTE DISPOSAL AND TREATMENT METHODS

1. List the types of waste associated with the proposed project activities:

Type of waste	Projected amount generated	Method of Disposal	Additional treatment procedures
Sewage (human waste)			
Greywater			
Combustible wastes			
Non-Combustible wastes			
Overburden (organic soil, waste material, tailings)			
Hazardous waste			
Other:			

2. Describe the proposed Waste Management Plan.

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## SECTION 7: COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & REGIONAL BENEFITS

1. List the community representatives that have been contacted and provide the minutes of the meetings if available:

Community	Name	Organization	Date Contacted





## APPENDIX A Project Type Definitions

**Access Trail:** A project proposal with the objective of providing vehicular access to an area of interest involving minimal alteration to the terrain.

**Advanced Exploration:** A project proposal with the objective of identifying size, grade, and physical characteristics of a mineral occurrence and to assess the economic and technical feasibility of developing the mineral deposit into a producing mine

**All-Weather Road:** A project proposal with the objective of road construction for use in all seasons.

**Bulk Sampling:** A project proposal with the objective of extracting of large samples of mineralized material involving hundreds to thousands of tonnes. Samples are selected as representative of the potential mineral deposit being sampled. May involve crushing/milling (on small-scale)

**Harvesting activities:** A project proposal with the objective of harvesting animals, marine mammals and/or fish from their natural habitats by means of hunting or trapping for traditional and commercial use.

**Marine Based Activities:** Any activity occurring in the marine environment, such as vessel use associated with land-based activities or disposal at sea.

\*Please note that normal community re-supply or individual ship movements not associated with land-based project proposals shall not be screened by NIRB (Section 12.12.2 of NLCA).

**Mine Development:** A project proposal with the objective of extracting broken rock with mineralization of sufficient grade and tonnage to sustain commercial mining operations (ore). Mining a body of ore can be achieved by either open pit and/or underground development. Mine development may involve milling. Milling involves treatment of the extracted ore through a combination of mechanical and chemical processes to selectively recover the valuable mineral.

**Mineral Exploration:** A project proposal with the objective of exploring an area to find geological anomalies. It involves site reconnaissance (ground and/or air) to locate broad and fiscal mineral deposits.

**Offshore Infrastructure:** A project proposal with the objective of building off loading facilities constructed off the shoreline and connected to the mainland of the marine or freshwater environment. Examples include a jetty, dock, or port facility.

**Oil and Gas Exploration/Activities:** A project proposal that includes 1) exploration, such as seismic or geological mapping, 2) drilling of oil and gas wells, 3) construction and operation of a pipeline, a gas processing plant or any oil and gas facility within Nunavut.

**Pits and Quarries:** A project proposal with the objective of pitting, which involves the extraction of granular material (i.e. sands and gravels) and quarrying, which involves the removal of consolidated rock (i.e. bedrock, frozen soil).

**Scientific Research:** A project proposal with the objective of implementing a series of site activities comprised of observation of phenomena, measurement and collection of data necessary for scientific investigation in designated areas within a limited time period.

**Seismic Survey:** A project proposal with the objective of conducting a survey to map the depths and contours of rock strata by timing the reflections of sound waves released from the surface. Survey site locations may be offshore (not within 12 nautical miles of any coast), near shore, and extended onshore.





**Site Cleanups:** A project proposal with the objective of site cleanups (includes DEW line site cleanups), which focuses on the remediation of chemically contaminated soils, stabilization of landfills and dumps, demolition/disposal of infrastructure and debris and monitoring after cleanup is completed.

**Tourism Activity:** A project proposal with the objective of conducting travel predominantly for recreational, sport or leisure purposes within a designated area and limited time period.

**Winter Road:** A project proposal with the objective of building a road for winter use by leveling and compacting surface snow and ice. Winter road is removed at end of season.

**Winter Trail:** A project proposal with the objective of building a trail for winter use by a single pass of a tracked vehicle using a blade, if necessary.