



NIRB File No.: EX214

Associated NIRB File No.: 99WR055

NWB File No.: 2BM-ULU0914

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Sent via email: phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca

Re: Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Bonito Capital Corp.'s "Ulu Gold" project proposal

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu:

On July 22, 2014 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for Bonito Capital Corp.'s "Ulu Gold" project proposal. The NIRB has determined that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item 5 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (5):

"Water uses that don't require a public hearing under Section 13.7.3".

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by the NIRB, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. This application is associated with a project proposal which has been previously screened by the NIRB (NIRB File No. 99WR055), and the NIRB's Screening Decision Report may contain recommendations which are relevant to your organization, and to the issuance of any further authorizations associated with the project. A copy of the original December 8, 1999 Screening Decision Report has been enclosed for your review and can be accessed online from the NIRB's public registry using the following link:

<http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/COMPLETED%20SCREENINGS/1999-TO%20BE%20COMPLETED/99WR055-Ulu%20Exploration/03-DECISION/>.

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact the undersigned directly at tarko@nirb.ca or (867) 983-4611.

Sincerely,



Tara Arko
Technical Advisor
Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc: Steven Lines, Bonito Capital Corp.
Karyn Lewis, Elgin Mining Inc.
Geoff Clark, Kitikmeot Inuit Association
Tracey McCaie, Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

Enclosed: NIRB Screening Decision Report, File No.: 99WR055 (December 8, 1999)