From: Patreau, Elizabeth
To: Phyllis Beaulieu; Karyn Lewis
Subject: RE: 120829 2BM-ULU0914 Bonito Capital Corp., Amendment 1, Kitikmeot Region
Date: Tuesday, September 11, 2012 6:17:28 AM

Hello,

DFO has reviewed your application for water use and waste disposal. DFO's Operational Statement for Mineral Exploration Activities may help provide some useful mitigation measures:http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/regions/central/habitat/os-eo/provinces-territories-territoires/nu/os-eo24-eng.htm

Also, DFO's Freshwater End of Pipe Intake Guidance should be applied to such projects: http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/regions/central/habitat/os-eo/provinces-territories-territoires/nu/os-eo24-eng.htm

No formal approval is required from DFO for this application, however, please ensure you read the above mentioned links and contact me should you have any questions.

Regards,

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From: Phyllis Beaulieu [mailto:licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org]
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TO ALL PARTIES:
PLEASE NOTE THE DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS IS **SEPTEMBER 29, 2012.**

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The Nunavut Water Board ("NWB") acknowledges receipt, on July 18, 2012, of an amendment application for a Type "B" water licence for water use and waste disposal associated with activities in the Kitikmeot region of Nunavut. The application consists of the following documents:

- Cover Letter dated July 18, 2012
- Amendment Application
- Project Summary English, Inuktitut and Innuinaqtun
- Location Map
- NPC Conformity dated July 13, 2012 – No Land Use Plan
- NIRB Screening Decision dated December 8, 1999 (REQUIRE UPDATE)

- Compliance Table
- Additional Information, received on August 10, 2012
- Confirmation on Management Plan Submission

The application can be obtained from our ftp site under PRUC with Username: public, Password: registry at the following link:
ftp://nunavutwaterboard.org/1%20PRUC/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2B/2BM%20-%20Mining/2BM-ULU0914%20Bonito/

The NWB undertook a preliminary review of your application and concluded that it meets the requirements of section 48(1) of the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* ("Act"). However, the NWB retains the right to request additional information and studies pursuant to sections 48(2) of the Act or to issue guidelines for the provision of information pursuant to section 48(3) of the Act. A NWB Technical Advisor may be in touch with you to clarify any technical details related to your application.

In accordance with S.11.5.10 of the *Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada* ("NLCA"), prior to the application being fully processed by the NWB the project proposal shall be reviewed by the Nunavut Planning Commission ("NPC"), to determine whether the project proposal is in conformity with an approved land use plan. By copy of this letter, the NWB requests the NPC provide its determination and recommendations to the NWB pursuant to Sections 13.4.2 through 13.4.5 of the NLCA, or written confirmation that the project proposal falls outside the boundaries of an approved land use plan. Also, by copy of this letter to the Nunavut Impact Review Board ("NIRB"), the NWB requests that if the project proposal requires screening, the NIRB provide the NWB with a determination pursuant to Section 13.5.1 of the NLCA. If the project is exempt from screening pursuant to Schedule 12-1 of the NLCA, the NWB requests written confirmation from the NIRB that the project proposal is in fact exempt from screening.

To ensure this application is dealt with in a timely fashion, the NWB forwards notice of all documentation to regulators and council of the municipality(ies) most affected by the project, inviting interested parties to make representation directly to the NWB ***within 30 days from the date of this letter.*** The NWB may provide additional procedural instructions once the application has been reviewed by interested parties.

Subject to Sections 12.10.2 and 13.5.5 of the NLCA, where a review is required pursuant to Article 12, the NWB shall not approve any water application that forms part of that review until Article 12 has been complied with.

Regards,

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