



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 21UN019

Project Name: The “3 AM-ARV1016 Municipal Water Licence Amendment” project
Proponent Name: Government of Nunavut
Project Type: Other Region: Kivalliq
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125604
Comment Deadline: **July 28, 2021**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “3 AM ARV1016 Municipal Water Licence Amendment” project is located within the Kivalliq region, within municipal boundary from Arviat. The Proponent intends to conduct a new sewage lagoon adjacent to the existing lagoon to provide a storage capacity of seven (7) months (95,000 m³) bringing the total effective storage capacity to approximate 12 months for the community of Arviat. The program is proposed to take place from June 1, 2023 to September 30, 2024. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Construction of a new sewage lagoon adjacent to the existing lagoon to provide a storage capacity of seven (7) months (95,000m³);
- Use of an excavator for berm construction;
- Use of a dump truck to transport granular material to site; and
- Delivery of sewage via sewage truck.

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **21UN019** to access all project information, maps, and public comment forms.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

You are invited to provide the NIRB with your comments regarding whether the proposed project is:

- likely to arouse significant public concern and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse ecosystemic or socio-economic effects and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse impacts on wildlife habitat or Inuit harvest activities and, if so, why;
- a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and can be prevented/managed appropriately with known technology.

Parties are also invited to recommend any specific mitigation measures they feel would be appropriate, and to bring any other matter of importance related to this project proposal to the NIRB’s attention.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The NIRB has recently launched an updated online public registry, and parties can access project information as well as submit comments directly to the NIRB via www.nirb.ca. Comments can still be submitted directly to the NIRB via email at info@nirb.ca or via fax to (867) 983-2594.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the proposed project or the NIRB’s screening process, please contact Francis Emingak, Junior Technical Advisor, toll-free at 1-866-233-3033 or femingak@nirb.ca.