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#3AM-ARV1015

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**Re: #3AM-ARV1015 – Short Term Renewal – Hamlet of Arviat – Kivalliq Region
– 3AM-ARV1015 Water Licence Process**

Dear Ms. Ikkutisluk,

Thank you for your email on April 24, 2015, concerning the above mentioned water licence application process.

A memorandum is provided for the Nunavut Water Board's (Board or NWB) consideration. Comments have been provided pursuant to the Department's mandated responsibilities under the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* and the *Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Act*.

Please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone at 867-975-4282 or email at ian.parsons@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca for further comments or any questions.

Sincerely,

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Memorandum

TO	Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licencing Nunavut Water Board	AANDC reference CIDM# NWB reference #3AM-ARV1015
FROM	Ian Parsons Regional Coordinator Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada	DATE May 15, 2015

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A. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

On April 24, 2015 the Board provided notification to Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) that

The submitted information is as follows:

- 1.) Short-Term Renewal Application
- 2.) Cover Letter

Interested parties were requested to review the information and provide comments by May 24, 2015.

B. RESULTS OF REVIEW

On behalf of AANDC, the following comments/recommendations are submitted to the Nunavut Water Board for consideration:

AANDC is satisfied that all relevant documents have been submitted to the NWB pertaining to the short-term renewal request and recommends that the short-term renewal be approved.

At this time AANDC would like to thank the applicant for their pro-active approach in acknowledging that a 180 day short-term renewal is required as their current type A



water licence will expire before a new one is approved. In light of the upcoming expiry of the Hamlet's current Type A water licence, before the approval of a renewal, AANDC strongly encourages the applicant to take full advantage and make use of this extended time wisely if approved by the NWB.

Prepared by Ian Parsons