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Robert Hunter Licensing Administrator Nunavut Water Board P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU X0B 1J0

Dear Robert Hunter:

RE: 3AM-CHE---- - Hamlet of Chesterfield Inlet - Type A Water Licence Application, **Technical Review** 

Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) has reviewed the information submitted to the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) regarding the above-mentioned Technical Review, and has no comments to provide at this time.

ECCC would like to thank the Nunavut Water Board for this opportunity to provide input to the Hamlet of Chesterfield Inlet Technical Review, and looks forward to continuing its participation in observer status for the remainder of this process.

ECCC provides expert information and knowledge to project assessments on subjects within the department's mandate, including climate change, air quality, water quality, biodiversity, environmental preparedness and emergencies. This work includes reviewing proponent characterization of environmental effects and mitigation measures, and providing advice to decision makers on activities needed to mitigate these environmental effects. Any comments received from ECCC in this context does not relieve the proponent of its obligations to respect all applicable federal legislation.

If you need more information, please contact Stephinie Mallon at Stephinie.Mallon@ec.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

Stephinie Mallon Environmental Assessment Officer – Prairie & Northern Region

cc: Melissa Pinto, Acting Head – Environmental Assessment North (NT and NU), **Environmental Protection Operations Directorate** 



