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City of Iqaluit
Attention: Amy Elgersma
A/Chief Administrative Officer
Building 901 Box 640
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Subject: Water Licence (Type A), Emergency Amendment, Niaqunguk River (Apex River) and nearby waters, City of Iqaluit – Receipt of Application for a Paragraph 35(2)(b) *Fisheries Act* Authorization (Emergency Circumstance)

Dear Ms Elgersma:

The Fisheries Protection Program (the Program) of Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) acknowledges receipt of your application for a Paragraph 35(2)(b) Authorization (emergency circumstances) under the *Fisheries Act* which was received on August 7, 2018.

The Department is reviewing the application and anticipates sending you the Emergency Authorization shortly.

Please note that our review should not delay any work required to address this emergency. You are free to start your proposed water withdrawal at the water withdrawal rates as proposed and as outlined in the *Fisheries Act* Authorization Application.

If you have any questions, please contact Richard Janusz by telephone at 204-984-1372 or by email at Richard.Janusz@dfo-mpo.gc.ca.

Yours sincerely,

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