

### Nunavut Water Board (NWB) Community Session Presentation

Regarding an Application for a amendment to

Type "A" Water Licence
3AM – IQA1626
City of Iqaluit

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#### The NWB

- is an Institution of Public Government (IPG) established under Article 13 of the Nunavut Agreement
- ➤ has responsibilities and powers over the regulation, use, and management of freshwater in the Nunavut Settlement Area

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# NWB Background Info. Cont.

- Dbjects of the NWB are to provide for the conservation and utilization of waters in Nunavut, except in a national park, in a manner that will provide the optimum benefit from those waters for Nunavut's residents in particular, and Canadians in general.



# Authorizations NWB may Issue

- ➤ Based on its mandate and Nunavut Waters Regulations (Regulations), the NWB may issue any of the following authorizations for the use of water and/or deposit of waste for undertakings in Nunavut:
  - Approval without a
     Licence (less than 50 m³
     per day water required)
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- Type "B" Water Licence
   (between 50 m³ and 299 m³
   per day water required)
- Type "A" Water Licence
   (300 m³ or more per day water required)
- This week's Public Hearing is for a Type "A" water licence application, based on criteria set out in Schedules 2 and 3 of the Regulations.

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NWB receives application and confirms classification of undertaking and type of licence as a Type "A" licence

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**Public Hearing** 

Applicant provides additional information if required

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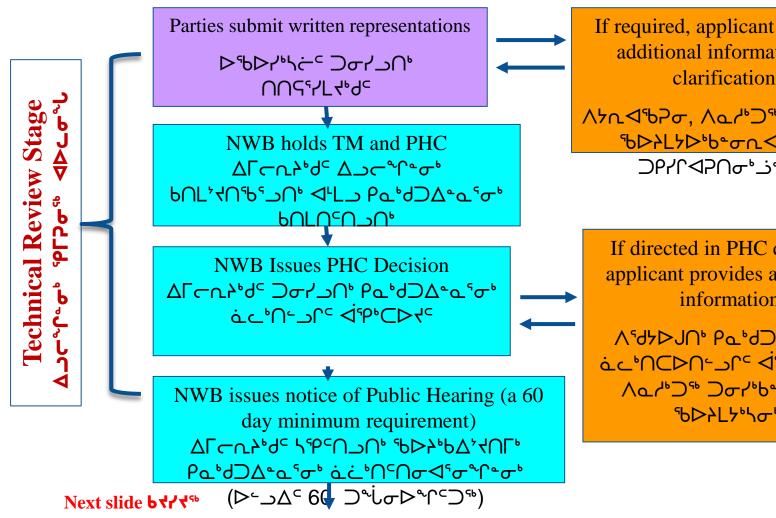
NWB issues notice of application and requests technical review and submission of comments (30 days minimum)

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If required, applicant provides additional information or clarification

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Parties prepare for public hearing

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NWB holds Public Hearing

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Minister approves the issuance of the licence

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NWB issues decision to not approve of application with reasons to Minister (Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs)

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Minister approves of NWB decision

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➤ Northwest Territories Water Board (NWTWB) and the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) have issued licences to the City of Iqaluit in the past:

#### Licence No. N5L3-0087

- Issued by the NWTWB on February 23, 1996
- Authorized the use of water and deposit of waste for a Municipal undertaking

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#### **Licence No. NWB3IQA9900**

- Issued by the NWB on
   December 31, 1999 and expired
   on Dec. 31, 2000
- Allowed for use of 1.1 million m<sup>3</sup> of water/year and the deposit of waste

#### Licence No. NWB3 IQA0103

- Issued by the NWB on January1, 2001 and expired onDecember 31, 2003
- Allowed for use of 1.1 million m³ of water/year and the deposit of waste

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#### **Licence No. 3AM-IQA0611**

- Issued by the NWB on May 15,2006 and set to expire on May15, 2011
- Allow for use of 1.1 million m<sup>3</sup>
   of water/year and the deposit of waste
- Expiry date of the licence was amended on May 13, 2011 to July 15, 2012

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#### Licence No. 3AM-IQA1626

- Issued by the NWB on June 17,
  2016 and set to expire on June
  16, 2026
- Allow for use of 1.1 million m<sup>3</sup>
   of water/year and the deposit of waste
- on August 14, 2018 for the use of 0.5 million m<sup>3</sup> of water/year from the Apex River
- on July 22, 2019 for the use of 0.5 million m<sup>3</sup> of water/year from the Apex River

#### ■ <u>Λτ°ΦΡΩ No. 3AM</u>-<u>IQA1626</u>

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#### **Scope of Application**

- Application before the Board is by the City of Iqaluit related to the use of water, and the supplementation of their freshwater reservoir.
- ➤ Water Use from the Apex River: 500,000 m³/year
- ➤ Increase total water use from 1.1 million m³/year to 2.0 million m³/year

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## Application Procedural History Aadboc abaacal Gabaacal

- February 1, 2019: Amendment Application filed by the City of Iqaluit
- February 12, 2019: NWB received additional information requested following a internal completeness check
- February 13, 2019: NWB issued correspondence requesting that parties conduct their preliminary reviews and completeness check and provide comments by March 6, 2019

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- ➤ March 1, 2019: Preliminary Review comments were received from CIRNA
- March 22, 2019: NWB received Iqaluit's response to Preliminary Review comments
- ➤ April 1, 2019: CIRNA replies to the Applicants responses requesting additional information
- ➤ April 8, 2019: NWB received Iqaluit's response to the second set of Preliminary Review comments

- LA 22, 2019: ΔΦ° ΔΓΓΛΑνδ°
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- ➤ April 11, 2019: CIRNA provides a reply to the Applicants response, indicating that they consider the Application ready for technical review
- April 15, 2019: NWB issued
  Notice of Application and
  correspondence requesting that
  parties conduct a 21-day full
  technical review of the Application
- ➤ May 6, 2019: NWB received technical review comments from CIRNA



# Application Procedural History Aadboc Section Procedural History

- ➤ May 14, 2019: the City of Iqaluit provided satisfactory responses to interveners' comments and recommendations
- ➤ May 16, 2019: NWB notified the parties that a Technical Meeting (TM) and Pre-Hearing Conference (PHC) were to take place on May 27-28, via teleconference, and the draft agendas were distributed
- ➤ May 21, 2019: all parties confirmed participation in the TM/PHC, and provide presentation materials

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# Application Procedural History Aadboc Section Procedural History

- ➤ May 23, 2019: the NWB provided correspondence with the Final Agenda for the TM/PHC
- ➤ May 27, 2019: NWB hosts and completes the TM/PHC via teleconference
- ➤ June 3, 2019: NWB issues the PHC Decision Report, outlining commitments made by the Applicant

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- ➤ July 10, 2019: the Applicant provided final materials as outlined in the list of commitments from the Technical Meeting
- July 15, 2019: NWB receives final > マム 15, 2019: Δロタロック Submissions from CIRNA
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# Application Procedural History Aadboc Section Procedural History

- ➤ July 23, 2019: NWB received final submission from the Applicant.
- ➤ July 29, 2019: NWB received copies of PH presentations from parties
- ➤ July 30, 2019: NWB distributed PH agenda
- ➤ August 8-9: NWB hosts PH in person in Iqaluit

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- ➤ The Applicant and CIRNA have contributed to the review process for the Application
- Participated in formal and informal discussions aimed at resolving relevant issues
- ➤ Provided the Board and the Proponent with valuable technical information (questions and concerns) on relevant issues

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#### **Public Participation**

- ➤ Everyone is encouraged to participate in the PH and this community session
- ➤ Interested persons can also contact NWB staff if needing to provide written comments or to review the documents filed for application
- ➤ All documents received have been posted on the NWB's FTP site at <a href="ftp.nwb-oen.ca">ftp.nwb-oen.ca</a>

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- ➤ The Public Hearing this week is chaired by the Board Panel and led by the Board's Chair
- The NWB Panel is here to consider the evidence provided during the hearing before issuing a decision within 30-45 days
- The NWB will inform the public of the Board's decision once rendered

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Questions and/or Comments?

Thank You!