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Re: Request for Inclusion of Monitoring Conditions for the City of Iqaluit’s “Type A Water Licence Renewal”

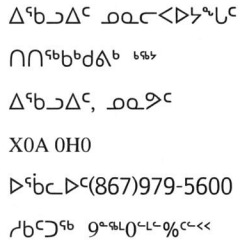
Dear Ms. Beaulieu,

On 12 December 2014 the City of Iqaluit received a letter from Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) concerning the City's expired water licence and the water monitoring criteria described therein (i.e Table 2 – Water Quality Monitoring Criteria of the licence). The letter acknowledged that the City's WWTP was currently not compliant with the discharge criteria of the expired licence and that while the City continues to work towards a functional and compliant WWTP by 31 December 2018, AANDC would not require certain sampling a reporting conditions be met until either a new treatment plant is operational, as required in a new water licence issued by the Nunavut Water Board, or, as required by an Inspector. Further, the letter indicated that one of the samples required for the WTP was unneeded.

Specifically, the alterations to the monitoring conditions allowed by AANDC are as follows (and described further in the letter issued by AANDC):

1. Water sampling and monitoring would not be required at locations IQA-03 'Influent Sewage Lagoon' or IQA-05 'Influent to Wastewater Treatment Plant';
2. Water sampling frequency reduced to quarterly for monitoring locations IQA-04 'Final Discharge Point from the Wastewater Treatment Plant' and IQA-06 Sludge at Wastewater Treatment Plant';
3. Water sampling at location IQA-1 (Raw Water Supply) would not be required, as this is already monitored independently by the City of Iqaluit and the Government of Nunavut, Department of Health (Environmental Health Division); and
4. All other water sampling and monitoring is required to be undertaken according to Part 1, Item 4 and Schedule C-Conditions applying to Monitoring in expired water licence 3AM-IQA0611.

In light of the letter issued by AANDC, the City requests that the alterations in the sampling program for the WWTP (as outlined in the letter) be included in the conditions



If you have any questions, please contact the Department of Engineering at 867-979-6363.

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