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## SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH LICENCE APPLICATION LAND, FRESHWATER & MARINE BASED RESEARCH

NRI strongly recommends that applicants review the following documents prior to submitting an application: *Scientific Research Licencing Guidelines* and *Negotiating Research Relationships in Inuit Communities: A Guide for Researchers*.

### IMPORTANT

This application fulfills the requirements for the NIRB environmental screening. Please be advised that your application will not be processed until the application form, project summary, and maps are received.  
All documents should be uploaded in the following formats: MS Word, Adobe PDF or jpeg.

#### SECTION 1: APPLICANT INFORMATION

1a. Project Title Geology of the Mesoproterozoic Bylot Basins, Nunavut

1b. Project Number

Please indicate if applicant has submitted any previous application(s) to NRI related to this project proposal?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, please indicate the previous NRI licence number:

02-118011R-M

Please indicate if applicant has submitted any previous application(s) to NIRB related to this project proposal?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please indicate the previous NIRB licence number(s):

2. Applicant's full name and mailing address:

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4. Other Personnel list (name, position, affiliation)

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Tiffany Chevrier, Undergraduate student, LU

#### SECTION 2: AUTHORIZATION NEEDED

1. Indicate all authorizations associated with the project proposal:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Regional Inuit Association (RIA)                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Launch Safety (CLS)         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nunavut Water Board (NWB)                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Environment Canada (EC)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC)                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Department of Environment (GN)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Department of Indian And Northern Development (DIAND) | <input type="checkbox"/> Department of National Defense (DND) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO)              | <input type="checkbox"/> Hamlet                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Government & Services (CG&S)                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parks Canada (PC)         |

- ☒ Nunavut Research Institute (NRI/GN)
 ☐ Canadian Wildlife Service (CWS)
- ☐ Department of Culture, Language, Elders, and Youth (CLEY/GN)
 ☐ Other (please specify):

**2. List the active permits, licences, or other rights related to the project proposal and their expiry date:**

Permit: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Have you applied for all authorizations required to conduct the project proposal activities?**

☒ Yes
 ☐ No

**SECTION 3: PROJECT PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION**

**1. Indicate the activities related to the project proposal:**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temporary camp (to be removed at end of field season)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Soil disposal/ soil storage   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent camp (to remain for life of authorization)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Incineration of combustible wastes and removal of non-combustible wastes          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction of recreational or safety cabin  | <input type="checkbox"/> River/ stream/ lake crossing or work/ bridge                                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temporary fuel storage (to be removed at end of field season)                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Drainage alteration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent fuel storage (to remain for life of authorization)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Geoscientific sampling by diamond drilling  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Placement of structures for life of permit (other than camp or cabin "i.e. scientific instruments")       | <input type="checkbox"/> Geoscientific sampling by soil sampling   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Placement of permanent structures (other than camp or cabin "i.e. scientific instruments")                | <input type="checkbox"/> Geoscientific sampling by trenching   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Air surveys (i.e. geophysical, wildlife)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Geoscientific sampling by borehole core   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use of aircraft/watercraft/land vehicle for personnel drop-off and pick-up to project location | <input type="checkbox"/> Blasting  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use of on-site mechanized vehicles (i.e. atv, snowmobile, truck, zodiac)                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Channeling  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sewage or grey water disposal via sump   | <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous waste storage or disposal   | <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrological testing  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Solid waste disposal  | <input type="checkbox"/> Abandonment and restoration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical storage  | <input type="checkbox"/> Site restoration (fertilization/ grubbing/ scarification/ spraying/ recontouring) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Explosives storage  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soil testing  | <input type="checkbox"/> Ecological survey   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harvesting  | <input type="checkbox"/> Removal of vegetation for scientific purposes                                     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>collection of fist-sized rock samples using a rock hammer</u>                        |  |

**2. Personnel**

Total No. of personnel on site = (A)	<u>2 per site</u>	Total No. of days on-site = (B)	<u>total 8 sites</u>	Total No. of Person days (A) × (B)	<u>112 person-days</u>
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**3. Timing**

Period of operation: 10 June to 20 August  
 Proposed term of authorization: 2012 to 2014

Please outline the phases of the proposed project (construction/ operation/ decommissioning) including the timing and scheduling of each phase.

The work will be done from small 2-person backpacking-style camps that are entirely removed with each

[weekly or bi-weekly camp move.](#)

#### 4. Location(s) of data collection:

Location Name	Region North Baffin, South Baffin, Kivalliq, Kitikmeot	Co-ordinates Lat (degree / minute), Long (degree / minute)	NTS Map Sheet Nr.	Land Status Crown, Commissionersâ€™, Inuit Owned
<a href="#">see list sent under separate cover</a>	<a href="#">all North Baffin</a>			

If the project proposal includes a **camp**, please provide the coordinates of the camp location

Lat (degree/minute) [see separate list](#) Long (degree/minute) \_\_\_\_\_

NTS Map Sheet Nr. (if different from above) [see 4 maps sent under separate cover](#)

Please attach maps (preferably 1:250,000 scale) which clearly indicate camp sites and research sites. PDF, jpeg or tiff versions are requested.

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The Nunavut Impact Review Board may require additional location information in a subsequent Project Specific Information Requirement (PSIR) submission. This may take the form of a digital Geographic Information Systems (GIS) file.

#### SECTION 4: NON-TECHNICAL PROJECT PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION

Please attach a non-technical description of the project proposal, no more than 500 words, in English and Inuktitut (+Inuinnaqtun, if in the Kitikmeot). The project description should outline the following:

- Project Title
- Researcher's Name and Affiliation
- Project Location
- Timeframe
- Project Description
  - purpose
  - goals & objectives
  - method of transportation
  - any structures that will be erected (permanent / temporary)
  - restoration / abandonment plans
- Methodology
  - collection protocol
  - collection mechanisms
  - indicate why specific communities or individuals were selected for your research
- Data
  - short term & long term use of data
  - other uses of data
- Reporting
  - How will the research results be communicated to the individual participants, communities, regional and Nunavut organizations?
  - Will the research result in a publication?

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#### SECTION 5: MATERIAL USE

##### 1. List equipment (including drills, pumps, aircrafts, vehicles etc.):

Equipment type and number	Size â€” dimensions	Proposed use
<a href="#">Helicopter 206L</a>		<a href="#">Intermittent use to move camps</a>

##### 2. Detail fuel and hazardous material use:

Fuel	Number of Containers and Capacity of Containers	Total Amount of Fuel (in Litres)	Proposed Storage Methods
Diesel			
Gasoline			

Aviation fuel			
Propane			
Other	2	20 litres	white gas (naptha) stored on plastic sheet
Hazardous Materials and Chemicals		Total Amount of Hazardous Materials and Chemicals (in Litres)	

### 3. Detail daily water consumption rates

Daily amount (In Litres)      Proposed water retrieval methods      Proposed water retrieval location  
 20      with a cooking pot      nearby stream

### 4. Have you applied for a Class A Licence with the Nunavut Water Board?

<input type="radio"/>	YES	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	NO
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## SECTION 6: WASTE DISPOSAL AND TREATMENT METHODS

### 1. List the types of waste:

Type of waste	Projected amount generated	Method of Disposal	Additional treatment procedures
Sewage (human waste)	2 litres/day	burial	
Greywater	18 litres / day	burial	
Combustible wastes			
Non-Combustible wastes	1/2 garbage bag/week	municipal landfill	
Overburden (organic soil, waste material, tailings)			
Hazardous waste			
Other:			

### 2. Will you be incinerating combustible waste, removing all solid waste, and removing the ash generated from incineration?

☐ YES      ☒ NO

## SECTION 7: COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & REGIONAL BENEFITS

### 1. List the community representatives that have been contacted and provide the minutes of the meetings if available:

Minute	<input data-bbox="649 1228 755 1255" type="button" value="Browse..."/>	<input data-bbox="974 1228 1079 1255" type="button" value="Browse..."/>	<input data-bbox="1299 1228 1404 1255" type="button" value="Browse..."/>
Community	Name	Organization	Date Contacted

### 2. How will the proposed project benefit Nunavut? Will your project provide local employment or training opportunities? Please specify.

A main motivation of this GN-funded project is to learn more about the long-term economic potential of northern Baffin Island and associated areas, in the context of the Nanisivik deposit and related deposits. This will help exploration companies focus future activity in the area.

### 3. Please describe the nature of local services and/or logistic support that will be required from local communities, eg. Equipment, accommodations, outfitting, translations...

Groceries, accommodation (Arctic Bay & Pond Inlet).

### 4. Describe and attach documentation regarding community support or concerns for the proposed project?

5. Is there a traditional knowledge component to this research project? If yes, please explain:

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SECTION 8: GENERAL QUESTIONS

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1. Do you give NRI permission to publish project information in the Nunavut Research Institute Annual Compendium of Research Undertaken in Nunavut?

☒ YES

☐ NO

2. Is the proposed research associated with International Polar Year (IPY)?

☐ YES

☒ NO

Applicant:

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2012 Feb 9

Signature

Title

Date

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