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NUNAVUT PLANNING COMMISSION
APPLICATION TO DETERMINE CONFORMITY
WITH THE NORTH BAFFIN REGIONAL LAND USE PLAN

NUNAVUT PLANNING COMMISSION
BOX 419, Arviat, Nunavut
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*All applicants for a project proposal shall comply with the requirements listed below.
The relevant sections of the plan are noted in each requirement.*

GENERAL

2. **Environmental Protection:** s3.13.8: The applicant undertakes to prevent any new occurrences of pollution, garbage and contamination at the site of the development.

Yes

No

3. **Removal of Fuel Drums:** s3.13.8: The applicant undertakes to remove all drums safely from the site and dispose of the drums in a safe manner.

Yes

No

4. **New Site Restoration and Clean Up:** s3.13.1 and Appendix H, s1: The applicant undertakes to clean up the site and restore the site to its natural condition to the greatest extent possible.

Yes

No

5. **Old Site Restoration and Clean Up:** s3.13.2: The applicant undertakes to clean up the site and restore the site to its original condition to the greatest extent possible, including any work required due to the applicant's action prior to this application.

Yes

No

6. **Low-Level Air Flights:** Appendix H, s3: Will the applicant avoid all low-level flights?

Yes

No

- i. If not, explain why such flights are or may be absolutely necessary.

- ii. If such flights are or may be absolutely necessary, will they avoid disturbance to people and wildlife?

Yes

No

- iii. If not, explain why it is not possible to avoid such disturbance.

- 9. Polar Bear Denning Areas and Walrus Haul-outs: s3.3.8:** Will the applicant keep its activities away from any polar bear denning area or walrus haul-out?

Yes

No

HERITAGE RESOURCES

- 10. Reporting of Archaeological Sites: s3.11.3 and Appendix H, s2 and s8:**

Will the applicant immediately report the discovery of all suspected archaeological sites to the Department of Culture, Language, Elders and Youth (GN)?

Yes

No

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

17. **Scientific Research:** s3.9.3: Does the project proposal involve scientific research?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If yes, will the applicant integrate all available and relevant local and traditional knowledge when conducting its research?

☒ Yes

☐ No

18. **Consultation with Nunavut Research Institute:** s3.9.5: Has the applicant consulted with the Nunavut Research Institute about research topics that would benefit or interest local residents?

☒ Yes

☐ No

- i. Describe the results of your consultation.

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- ii. If no, explain why.

19. **Local Services and Local Employment:** s3.9.4: Will the applicant rely on local services and employment where possible?

☒ Yes

☐ No

- i. Describe the services retained and the people to be employed.

BEAR MONITOR FROM LOCAL HTA
will BE Employed

young students are invited to participate to learn
science

- ii. If no, explain why it is not possible.

20. Communication on Scientific Research: s3.2.8: The applicant will, at minimum, translate a summary of its work into Inuktitut and communicate with communities using language that is clear and non-technical. The results of all scientific research shall be made available to the affected communities as soon as possible.

☒ Yes

☐ No

MARINE AND TERRESTRIAL TRANSPORTATION

22. Code of Good Conduct for Land Users: *Appendix H:* The applicant undertakes to adhere to the code of Good Conduct at all times.

☒ Yes

☐ No

I, NEIL Shubin (name of applicant), certify that the information I have given in this application is true and correct and hereby make the above undertakings which form part of my application for a project proposal within the meaning of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement.

Date:

7/6/11

Signature of Applicant:

[Signature]