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To: Roy, Bhabesh
Cc: Phyllis Beaulieu
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Good morning Bhabesh, further to our telephone conversation this morning, I would like to confirm that the effluent quality criteria within the recently issued licence for the Hamlet of Arctic Bay are correct (100/120 BOD/TSS). They remained consistent with the previous licence (as you mentioned) and may be different from other communities for reasons I cannot confirm without going through the other licence files. Environment Canada recommended effluent quality at least as stringent as the guideline and quoted 120/180mg/L, INAC recommended renewal of the licence with no change to the terms/conditions. In reading the guideline, and dependent on the effluent flow rate (summer), Arctic Bay may even be subject to more stringent conditions than contained in the licence, based on flow rate/cap/day, (80/70 BOD/TSS), however these were not addressed based on the recommendations.

On the question of Cape Dorset, I checked with Phyllis this morning and the NWB did receive the approval from the Minister's Office today, dated April 21, 2008. The copy received by the office is very poor (fax) and Phyllis has requested a clear copy (a hard copy should be coming anyway) from INAC to send to distribution.

If you have any further questions, please give me a call at your convenience.

Regards,

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