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Via email: licensing@nunavutwaterboard.org

Re: Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: FSC Architects and Engineers' "Baker Lake Water Treatment Facility Upgrades" project proposal

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu:

On May 16, 2011 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an email from FSC Architects and Engineers – Arlen Foster regarding its "Baker Lake Water Treatment Facility Upgrades" project proposal. Please be advised that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to items 3 and 5 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (3, 5):

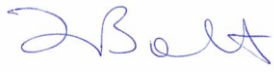
Item 3: *"All construction, operation and maintenance of all buildings and services within an established municipality, except for bulk storage of fuel, power generation within nuclear fuels, or hydro power and any industrial activity."*

Item 5: *"Water uses that do not require a public hearing under Section 13.7.3."*

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by the NIRB, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. If this application is associated with a project proposal which has previously been screened by the NIRB, the NIRB's Screening Decision Report may contain recommendations which are relevant to your organization. Screening Decision Reports can be accessed online from the NIRB's public registry using the following link: <http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/COMPLETED%20SCREENINGS/>

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact the undersigned directly at tbolt@nirb.ca or 867 983 4603.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'T Bolt'.

Tannis Bolt
Environmental Administrator

Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc: Arlen Foster, FSC Architects and Engineers
Brian Aglukark, Nunavut Planning Commission