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NUNAVUT WATER BOARD
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**RE: NWB Technical Review of 2017 Annual Report for the Hamlet of Baker Lake;
Water Licence No. 3BM-BAK1526**

Dear Mr. Zettler and Ms. Collins:

The Nunavut Water Board (NWB) has completed a technical review of the 2017 Annual Report.

On April 18, 2018, the NWB acknowledged receipt of the Annual Report and provided it to the Kivalliq distribution list for information. No comments have been received to date.

The technical review of the Annual Report found that the information addresses the requirements of the Licence.

The technical review identified the following issue(s):

- Part D, Item 5 states that effluent discharged at Monitoring Program Station BAK-5 shall not exceed 1×10^4 CRU/100 mL (Faecal Coliforms). Appendix A of the Annual Report indicates 1.99×10^4 CRU/100 mL (Faecal Coliforms) in the effluent.

Please provide additional information about this issue in the 2018 Annual Report to include:

- Possible explanation for the issue;
- Possible mitigation for the issue; and
- Commitment, if appropriate, to timeline to enact mitigation.

The NWB strongly recommends that the Licensee address issues identified in 2017 by the

Inspector¹. Please provide a brief summary of work done to address concerns or deficiencies listed in the inspection reports and/or compliance reports prepared by an Inspector or other parties in the 2018 Annual Report.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me, Dave Baines, at (867) 360-6338 (extension 29), at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Dave Baines
Nunavut Water Board,
Technical Advisor

Cc: Distribution List – Kivalliq

¹ Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) Inspection Report, August 1, 2017