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Don Holmes
Director of Municipal Works
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Cape Dorset, NU, X0A 0C0

Dear Mr. Holmes,

This letter is to inform you that, according to Section 5 (a) (d) of the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act (CEAA)*, Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) has determined that an environmental assessment will be required if the Nunavut Water Board holds a public hearing during the licencing processes of your application for the Water Licence NWB3CAP.

To prepare for the possibility of a public hearing, INAC has initiated a screening in accordance with *CEAA* procedures. It has been determined that INAC and the Department of Fisheries and Oceans will be the responsible authorities during this screening. Environment Canada and Health Canada are also federal authorities and will be providing information and expertise for the screening.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (867) 975-4555, or fax at (867) 975-4560.

Sincerely,

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