

June 29, 2005

John Hawkins Manager, Airport Facilities Department of ED&T Rankin Inlet, NU X0C 0G0 Fax: (867) 645-8246

Dear Mr. Hawkins,

RE: Replacement of Field Electrical Centre & Approach Lighting Coral Harbour

Thank you for forwarding the above-mentioned application. The Nunavut Land Claim Agreement allows for certain projects to be exempt from screening and specifically states in Schedule 12-1:

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

This is a construction project and in future will provide a service, which will be occurring within the established municipality of Coral Harbour. The project is exempt from NIRB Screening.

Should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at your convenience.

Yours truly,

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