



NIRB File No.: EX180

Associated NIRB File No.: 08QN080

GN-CGS File No.: 08-415-02

Gjoa Haven Hamlet File No.: GH13-503—01QUA

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Sent via email: gjoalands@qiniq.com

Re: Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: CAP Enterprises' "Oceanside Quarry Permit" project proposal

Dear Troy Beaulieu:

On June 19, 2013 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received an application from the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven for a Quarry Permit Application for CAP Enterprises' "Oceanside Quarry Permit" project proposal. This consideration is regarding the activity to extract approximately 2000 m³ of pit run quarry material from an existing granular quarry within the municipal boundaries of Gjoa Haven. After completing a review of the information provided in support of the current application, the NIRB is of the understanding that the proposed application does not change the general scope of the original project activities as previously screened by the Board pursuant to Part 4, Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA). Furthermore, the NIRB has determined that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item 3 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (3):

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

As this project proposal is exempt from the requirement for Screening by the NIRB¹, authorizations associated with this proposal may be processed by your office. As noted above, this application is associated with a project proposal which has been previously screened by the NIRB (NIRB File No. 08QN080), and the NIRB's Screening Decision Report may contain recommendations which are relevant to your organization, and to the issuance of any further authorizations associated with the project. A copy of the original December 18, 2008 Screening Decision Report has been enclosed for your review and can be accessed online from the NIRB's public registry using the following link:

<http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/COMPLETED%20SCREENINGS/2008/08QN080-GN-CGS%20-%20Gjoa%20Haven%20Quarry/>.

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact the undersigned at 867-793-4633 or sgranchinho@nirb.ca.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure: NIRB Screening Decision Report, File No.: 08QN080 (*December 18, 2008*)

¹ As defined and agreed upon by the NIRB and the Government of Nunavut in correspondence dated August 23, 2007 from K. Buck (NIRB) to R. Chapple (GN) available at: <http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/EXEMPT%20FROM%20SCREENING/AGREEMENTS/GOVERNMENT%20OF%20NUNAVUT/GN-CGS/>.