

NIRB File No.: EX205

Associated NIRB File Nos.: EX180, 08QN080 GN-CGS File No.: 08-415-02

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

June 13, 2014

Hamlet of Gjoa Haven c/o Troy Beaulieu PO Box 200 Gjoa Haven, NU X0B 1J0

Sent via email: gjoalands@qiniq.com

Re: <u>Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Hamlet of Gjoa Haven's "Oceanside Quarry" project proposal</u>

Dear Troy Beaulieu

On June 12, 2014 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven for a extension to Hamlet of Gjoa Haven's Quarry Permit application for the "Oceanside Quarry" project. The NIRB has determined that the extension to the Quarry Permit (GH14-503-01QUA) 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 (1):

"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 hydropower and any industrial activity."

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. This application is associated with a project proposal which has been previously screened by the NIRB (NIRB File Nos. 08QN080, EX180), 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 directly at staptuna@nirb.ca or 867-983-4610.

Sincerely,

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cc: Shawn Stuckey, Hamlet of Gjoa Haven Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board

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