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Fwd: 3BM-RAN1214 "New" Solid Waste Site

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Wed, Dec 9, 2015 at 4:02 PM

To: Licensing Department <licensing@nwb-oen.ca>

please include the info below to the ftp site for 3BM-RAN1214

Thanks,



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From: **Lusty, Megan** <MLusty@gov.nu.ca>

Date: Wed, Dec 9, 2015 at 3:59 PM

Subject: 3BM-RAN1214 "New" Solid Waste Site

To: "cynthia.ene@nwb-oen.ca" <cynthia.ene@nwb-oen.ca>

Hi Cynthia,

Further to our conversation on December 4, 2015, I have discussed the use of the “new” solid waste site with the CGS-Community Infrastructure Division. They do not want to eliminate the possibility of using this site for the next 10 years, though there is no plan currently in place to use the site in the near future (5 years). The Hamlet’s improved operation of the existing solid waste site, including segregation of hazardous materials, diversion of clean wood materials for burning, and periodic compacting/covering of the household waste area, has resulted in more space being available at the site, and a longer life for the site than previously thought (the NWB states in the Background section of Licence 3BM-RAN1214 that the existing solid waste site reached capacity in 2002).

If the Board maintains that the conditions related to the “new” solid waste site should remain in the Licence, I would like to request that they are revised so that they are not triggered until the “new” solid waste site will be commissioned, or the existing solid waste site is being decommissioned. For example, Part G, Item 1 states that the revised version of the *Rankin Inlet Solid Waste Site Abandonment and Restoration Plan (July 2009)* be submitted within 6 months of Licence issuance. This was not done because by the time the Licence was issued in 2012, there were no plans to decommission the existing solid waste site. I would suggest that this condition be revised to state that an A&R Plan be submitted for

approval at least six months prior to planning to abandon the existing solid waste site. As previously discussed, the A&R Plan was produced by AECOM and this consultant would not be involved with the submission of a new A&R Plan in the future.

The Plans included in the 3BM-RAN1214 Licence that were produced by Nuna Burnside in 2008 (O&M Plan, Environmental Emergency Plan, QA/QC Plan) were all written to be used with the "new" solid waste site. The 2015 updated Plans were revised to only be applicable to the current solid waste site. I would suggest that the relevant conditions in the new Licence be modified so that Plans related to the "new" solid waste site are not required until this site is being commissioned (ie. submit at least six months prior for approval).

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss this further.

Thanks,

Megan

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