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Phyllis Beaulieu Manager of Licensing Nunavut Water Board P.O. Box 119 Gjoa Haven, NU X0B 1J0

Sent via email: Phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca

Re: <u>Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Resolute Bay's "Renewal Type B" project proposal</u>

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu:

On August 12, 2014 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for Resolute Bay's "Renewal Type B" project proposal. The NIRB has determined that this project proposal is exempt from screening pursuant to item 5 of Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), *Types of Project Proposals Exempt from Screening*:

NLCA Schedule 12-1 (5):

"Water uses that do not require a public hearing under Section 13.7.3".

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.

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact the undersigned directly at johokannoak@nirb.ca or (867) 983-4609.

Sincerely,

Jaida Ohokannoak

Manager, Technical Administration

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cc:	Angela Idlout, Hamlet of Resolute Bay Tracey McCaie, Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada