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Dear Mr. Dwyer, Mr. Morrison, Ms. McCaie, Ms. Osmond, and Ms. Jeani:

RE: NPC File # 149625 [3BM-WHA1520 Municipal Water Licence Renewal]

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Amendment of the Municipality of Whale Cove Type B Water Licence (**3BM-WHA1520**) to allow for the following activities:
 - Construction of a new raw water intake in Fish Lake next to the existing intake. The GN intends to refurbish the existing intake by replacing the pump, motor, screen, wiring, heat trace and associated equipment, and other repairs during construction.
 - Construction of a second, new inclined shaft intake parallel to the existing intake to provide redundancy protection against intake failures. The intake will be constructed of an insulated HDPE carrier pipe not less than 300mm in diameter that houses the pump and HDPE discharge pipe.
2. Related NPC File No: 149386; Related NIRB File No. EX229.
3. Location: Kivalliq Region; (Whale Cove).

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the NPC can be accessed online using the link below.

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. The activities associated with this proposal were previously reviewed by NPC, and conformity determination issued on May 11,

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2009, January 23, 2015, and July 29, 2020, which still applies. In addition, the activities were previously exempt from screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB File No.: EX229). It conforms to the Keewatin Regional Land Use Plan (KRLUP). The proponent has undertaken to comply with the applicable conformity requirements of Appendix C, G, and H of the KRLUP.

The project proposal does not require screening because it belongs to a class of works or activities set out in Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Agreement (NA), and the NPC does not have concerns regarding the cumulative impacts of the project proposal.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials, including the applicable conformity requirements, are available at the following address:

<https://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=149625&sessionid=>

This conformity determination applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licenses, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4625.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'SA' with a horizontal line extending from the 'A'.

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