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

RE: NPC File # 149702 [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:
 - Move the wastewater treatment compliance point (WHA-3) which represents a partially treated effluent at the outlet of the lagoon, to WHA-4 which represents effluent that is fully treated at the outlet of the wetland-treatment-area.
 - Use pumps to draw water from source into water treatment plant for chlorination/disinfection, and then to be moved into discharge arm for filling of the water trucks.
 - Continuation of sampling at WHA-3 to understand how the treatment facility is performing with the effluent quality limits removed with further monitoring to ensure that WHA-4 have effluent quality limits of Carbonaceous Biological Oxygen Demand of 100 mg/L and Total Suspended Solids 120 mg/L which is consistent with the best available Nunavut research and similar treatment facilities in the Territory.
2. Related NPC File No: 149625; 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, 2009, January 23, 2015, July 29, 2020, and November 23, 2021, 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=149702&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) 983-4982.

Sincerely,

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

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