



NIRB File No.: EX229
NWB File No.:3BM-WHA0914

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

Re: Application exempt from Screening pursuant to NLCA Schedule 12-1: Hamlet of Whale Cove's "Type B Water Licence Amendment Renewal" project application

Dear Phyllis Beaulieu:

On January 21, 2015 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) received an application from Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for an amendment renewal to the Hamlet of Whale Cove's Type B Water Licence (3BM-WHA0914). On January 23, 2015 the NIRB received a conformity determination from the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) for this file indicating that they have reviewed the listed application and have determined that it does not change the scope of the originally reviewed project to an extent that would warrant a further review by the NPC at this time. 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.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jaida Ohokannoak", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jaida Ohokannoak
Manager, Technical Administration
Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc: Megan Lusty, Government of Nunavut
Paul Kaludjak, Hamlet of Whale Cove