



Dated: April 15,2026

Dear Mr. Richard Dwyer

Manager, Licensing
Nunavut Water Board

Subject: Resolute Bay Airports Sewage Lagoon – Water Licence No. 3BM-YRB2126 Renewal

Dear Mr. Dwyer,

As you are aware, the existing sewage lagoon at Resolute Bay Airport is a naturally occurring, non-engineered facility that relies on natural exfiltration. The Government of Nunavut, Department of Transportation and Infrastructure (GN-TIN), is the current licensee. GN-TIN intends to decommission this facility once the new wastewater treatment plant is constructed and successfully commissioned.

We acknowledge that the level of care and operational oversight of this facility has not met expectations in recent years.

This letter serves to confirm that GN-TIN is committed to bringing the facility into full compliance with the terms and conditions of the renewed water licence. To this end, GN-TIN will retain qualified personnel or a specialized firm with the necessary expertise to oversee the operation and monitoring of the lagoon. This will include, but not be limited to, routine sampling, implementation of the Spill Contingency Plan (SCP), adherence to Quality Assurance and Quality Control (QA/QC) protocols, and preparation and submission of annual reports in accordance with Nunavut Water Board requirements.

Furthermore, GN-TIN will manage the operation of the facility in close coordination with, and under the guidance of, the Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada Inspector to ensure ongoing regulatory compliance until the lagoon is formally decommissioned.

Should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.



Sincerely,

Darin Nichol

Director, Airports Division, GN-TIN