

# **Application for Water Licence Renewal**

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#### APPLICATION FOR WATER LICENEC RENEWAL

Your application may be classified as a **renewal** only if all operations remain the same as previously licensed and only the term of the licence requires change. If your application contemplates:

- a change to the volume of water authorized for use;
- a new activity related to water use or waste disposal;
- a new component related to water use or waste disposal;
- a change in predicted environmental impacts(s); and/or
- a change to any term or condition of the original licence

your application is **NOT** classified as a renewal but rather an amendment and will require submission of an Application for Water Licence Amendment. Licensees applying for combined renewal / amendment are also referred to the Application for Water Licence Amendment.

The applicant is referred to the NWB's Guide 7: <u>Licensee Requirements Following the Issuance of a Water Licensee</u> for more information about this application form.

Where possible, provide background information regarding the original licence application or attach previously submitted information.

| 1. LICENSEE CONTACT INFORMATION   |
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| Is the licensee the same as that referred to on the existing licence?   |
| ⊠ Yes □ No  |
| If No, a licence assignment must be completed and approved by the NWB. A renewal will only be issued in the name of the current licensee in the absence of assignment of the licence. |
| If the licensee is the same, but the <u>name</u> of the licensee has changed, attach a certificate of name change.  |
| Name: Colonel D.O. Quinn  |
| Address: Commander Real Property Operations Group, Assistant Deputy Minister (Infrastructure & Environment), 101 Col By Drive, Ottawa, ON, K1A 0K2                                    |
| Phone: <u>613-943-7980</u> Fax: <u>613-992-3349</u> e-mail: <u>Darlene.Quinn@forces.gc.ca</u>   |
| 2. LICENSEE REPRESENTATIVE CONTACT INFORMATION – If different from Block 1.   |
| Name:   |
| Address:  |
| Phone:  |
| 3. NAME OF PROJECT  |
| Is the name of the project the same as that considered in the existing water licence?   |
| ⊠ Yes □ No  |
| Indicate the name of the project including the name of the location:  |

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| ame as that considered in the existing water licence?   |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes □ No  |  |  |
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| Longitude: ( 62° 51' "W)  |  |  |
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| Longitude: ( 62° 20' 37" W)   |  |  |
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| Are the locations of the main components of the undertaking the same as those considered in the existing licence? |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes   |  |  |
| Attach a topographical map, indicating the main components of the undertaking.                                    |  |  |
| Map Name: Map Scale:  |  |  |
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| 6.     | NATURE OF INTEREST IN THE LAND   |
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| Is the | nature of the interest in the land the same as that considered in the existing water licence?                                  |
|        | ☑ Yes □ No   |
|        | any of the following that are applicable to the proposed undertaking (at least one box under the ce' header must be checked).  |
|        | Sub-surface  |
|        | Mineral Lease from Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated (NTI)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry:                     |
|        | Mineral Lease from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry:                |
|        | Surface  |
|        | Crown Land Use Authorization from Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry: |
|        | Inuit Owned Land (IOL) Authorization from Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry: |
|        | ☐ IOL Authorization from Kivalliq Inuit Association (KivIA)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry:                 |
|        | ☐ IOL Authorization from Qikiqtani Inuit Association (QIA)  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry:                  |
|        | Commissioner's Land Use Authorization  Date (expected date) of issuance: Date of expiry:                                       |
|        | ☑ Other <u>Order-in-Council P.C. 1973-584</u>  |
|        | Date (expected date) of issuance: _13 March 1973 Date of expiry:N/A  |
| Is the | name of the entity(s) holding authorizations the same as that considered in the existing water licence?                        |
|        | ☑ Yes □ No   |
| If No, | a licence assignment must be completed and approved by the NWB.  |
| Name   | of entity(s) holding authorizations:   |
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| 7. NUNAVUT PLANNING COMMISSION (NPC) DETERMINATION  |
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| Is the undertaking located in the same land use planning area as that considered in the existing licence?   |
| ĭ Yes ☐ No  |
| Indicate the land use planning area in which the project is located.  |
| □ North Baffin □ Keewatin   □ South Baffin □ Sanikiluaq   □ Akunniq □ West Kitikmeot  |
| Was a land use plan conformity determination required from NPC prior to the issuance of the existing water licence?   |
| ☐ Yes ☒ No  |
| If Yes, indicate date issued and attach copy  |
| Does the proposed renewal change the original NPC conformity determination or the need to obtain one?   |
| ☐ Yes ☒ No  |
| If Yes, indicate date issued (or expected) and attach a copy  |
| To be initiated by NWB, if required.  |
| 8. NUNAVUT IMPACT REVIEW BOARD (NIRB) DETERMINATION   |
| Was a screening determination required from NIRB prior to the issuance of the existing water licence?   |
| ☐ Yes ☒ No  |
| If Yes, indicate date issued and attach copy  |
| Does the proposed renewal change the original NIRB screening determination or the need to obtain one?   |
| ☐ Yes ⊠ No  |
| If Yes, indicate date issued (or expected) and attach a copy.  If No, provide written confirmation from NIRB confirming that a screening determination is not required. |
| To be initiated by NWB, if required.  |

| 9. DESCRIPTION OF UNDERTAKING   |  |  |
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| Is the description of the undertaking the same as that considered in the existing water licence?  |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes □ No  |  |  |
| List and attach plans and drawings or project proposal.   |  |  |
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| 10. OPTIONS   |  |  |
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| Are the alternative methods and locations that were considered to carry out the project the same as those considered in the existing water licence? |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes   |  |  |
| Provide a brief explanation of the alternative methods or locations that were considered to carry out the project.                                  |  |  |
| 11. CLASSIFICATION OF PRIMARY UNDERTAKING   |  |  |
| Is the primary undertaking the same as that considered in the existing water licence?   |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes □ No  |  |  |
| Indicate the primary classification of undertaking by checking one of the following boxes.  |  |  |
| ☐ Industrial ☐ Agricultural ☐ Mining and Milling (includes exploration/drilling/exploration camps) ☐ Conservation                                   |  |  |
| ☐ Conservation ☐ Municipal (includes camps/lodges) ☐ Power ☐ Power ☐ Miscellaneous (describe below):  |  |  |
| See Schedule II of the Northwest Territories Waters Regulations for Description of Undertakings.  |  |  |

| 12.  | WATER USE   |  |
|--|---|--|
| Is the   | type(s) of water use(s) the same as that considere  | d in the existing water licence?   |
|  | ⊠ Yes   | □No  |
| Check  | the appropriate box(s) to indicate the type(s) of wa  | ater use(s) being applied for.   |
|  | <ul> <li>☒ To obtain water for camp/ municipal purposes</li> <li>☐ To obtain water for industrial purposes</li> <li>☐ To cross a watercourse</li> <li>☐ To alter the flow of, or store water</li> <li>☐ Other:</li> </ul> | ☑ To divert a watercourse ☐ To modify the bed or bank of a watercourse ☐ Flood control |
| No cha   | inge is requested "to obtain water for camp/ mu   | ınicipal purposes".  |
| A change is requested to add a water use "to divert a watercourse" to represent the flow of raw water used in the Return Flow Line. Raw water is taken from the source (untreated), and re-circulated (pipeline) back and deposited to the original source (return flow). The purpose of the raw water return flow line is to prevent damages that may be caused by freezing of the water lines. |   |  |
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| 13.                     | QUANTITY OF WATER INVOLVED   |
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| Is the                  | source of water the same as that considered in the existing licence?   |
|                         | e of water source(s):Source: Upper Dumbell Lake; No change in source.  v location(s) on map)   |
| Is the                  | quality of the water source and its available capacity the same as that considered in the existing licence?  |
|                         | ☑ Yes □ No   |
| Descri                  | ibe the quality of the water source(s) and the available capacity(s):  |
| Is the                  | overall estimated quantity of water to be used the same as that considered in the existing licence?  |
|                         | ☐ Yes ☒ No   |
| Provid                  | de the overall estimated quantity of water to be used: m³/day  |
| Are th                  | ne quantity(s) of water to be used from each source the same as those considered in the existing ce?   |
|                         | ⊠ Yes □ No   |
| Provid<br><b>Uppe</b> r | de the estimated quantity(s) of water to be used from each source:The source remains the same r Dumbell Lake. Based on 2013 monitoring results, the average daily intake amount is 639 m3/day. |
| Are th                  | ne quantity(s) of water to be used for each purpose the same as those considered in the existing licence?  |
|                         | ☑ Yes ☐ No   |
|                         | de the estimated quantities to be used for each purpose (camp, drilling, etc.): <u>Camp 185 m3/day;</u>  |
| Are th                  | ne method(s) of extraction the same as those considered in the existing licence?   |
| Descri                  | ibe the method(s) of extraction:   |
| Are th                  | ne quantity(s) of water returned to source(s) the same as those considered in the existing licence?  |
|                         | ☐ Yes ☒ No   |
| Estima                  | ated quantity(s) of water returned to source(s): m <sup>3</sup> /day   |
| Are th                  | ne quality(s) of water(s) returned to source(s) the same as those considered in the existing licence?  |
|                         | ⊠ Yes □ No   |
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| 15. QUANTITY A                           | AND QUALITY OF W                                 | ASTE INVOLVED                                   |                         |                          |   |
|--|--|---|-------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Are the quantity(s) o                    | f the types of wastes                            | involved the same as t                          | hose considered in th   | ne existing licence?     |   |
|  |  | ⊠ Yes □ No                                      | )                       |                          |   |
| Are the composition                      | (s) of the types of was                          | stes involved the same                          | as those considered     | in the existing licence? |   |
|  |  | ⊠ Yes □ No                                      |                         |                          |   |
| Are the method(s) of licence?            | f treatment for the typ                          | es of waste involved th                         | e same as those con     | sidered in the existing  |   |
|  |  | ⊠ Yes □ No                                      |                         |                          |   |
| Are the method(s) of licence?            | f disposal for the type                          | s of waste involved the                         | same as those cons      | idered in the existing   |   |
|  |  | ⊠ Yes □ No                                      |                         |                          |   |
| For each type of was treatment and metho |  | 14, describe its compos                         | sition, quantity in cub | ic meters/day, method o  | f |
| Type of Waste                            | Composition                                      | Quantity<br>Generated                           | Treatment<br>Method     | Disposal<br>Method       |   |
|  |  | deficiated                                      | Metrou                  | Metriou                  |   |
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|  | HORIZATIONS                                      |   |                         |                          |   |
|  | o-surface and surface<br>red as considered in tl | land use authorizations<br>ne existing licence? | s provided in Block 6   | , are the same           |   |
|  |  | ⊠ Yes □ No                                      | )                       |                          |   |
| For each provide the                     | following:                                       |   |                         |                          |   |
| Authorization:                           | .,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,          |   |                         |                          |   |
| Administering Agend                      | ey:  |   |                         |                          |   |
| Project Activity:                        |  |   |                         |                          |   |
| Date (expected date                      | ) of issuance:                                   | Date of exp                                     | ry:                     |                          |   |

| 17.                | PREDICTED ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS OF UNDERTAKING AND PROPOSED MITIGATION MEASURES  |
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|                    | edicted environmental impacts of the undertaking and proposed mitigation measures the same as those ered in the existing water licence?  |
|                    | ⊠ Yes □ No   |
| Describ            | be direct, indirect, and cumulative impacts related to water and waste.  |
| 18.                | WATER RIGHTS OF EXISTING AND OTHER WATER USERS   |
| use in propert     | e effects of the undertaking on any known persons or property including those that hold licences for water precedence to the application, domestic users, in-stream users, authorized waste depositors, owners of y, occupiers of property, and/or holders of outfitting concessions, registered trapline holders, and holders of ghts of a similar nature, the same as those considered in the existing water licence?        |
|                    | ⊠ Yes □ No   |
| affecte<br>applica | e the names, addresses and nature of use for any known persons or properties that may be adversely d by the proposed undertaking, including those that hold licences for water use in precedent to the tion, domestic users, in-stream users, authorized waste depositors, owners of property, occupiers of y, and/or holders of outfitting concessions, registered trapline holders, and holders of other rights of a nature. |
|                    | the Board if compensation has been paid and/or agreement(s) for compensation have been reached with sting or other users.  |
| 19.                | INUIT WATER RIGHTS   |
|                    | effects of the undertaking on the quality, quantity or flow of waters flowing through Inuit Owned Land<br>ne same as those considered in the existing water licence?   |
|                    | ĭ Yes ☐ No   |
| Land (I            | the Board of any substantial affect of the quality, quantity or flow of waters flowing through Inuit Owned OL), and advise the Board if negotiations have commenced or an agreement to pay compensation for any damage has been reached with one or more Designated Inuit Organization (DIO).  |
| 20.                | <b>CONSULTATION</b> - Provide a summary of any consultation meetings including when the meetings were held, where and with whom. Include a list of concerns expressed and measures to address concerns.  |
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| 21. SECURITY INFORMATION  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Is the financial security assessment the same as that considered in the existing water licence?   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ⊠ Yes   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Is the estimate of the total financial security for final reclamation the same as that considered in the existing water   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| licence?  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provide an estimate of the total financial security for final reclamation equal to the total outstanding reclamation liability for land and water combined sufficient to cover the highest liability over the life of the undertaking. Estimates of reclamation costs must be based on the cost of having the necessary reclamation work done by a third party contractor if the operator defaults. The estimate must also include contingency factors appropriate to the particular work to be undertaken. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Where applicable, the financial security assessment should be prepared in a manner consistent with the principals respecting mine site reclamation and implementation found in the <i>Mine Site Reclamation Policy for Nunavut</i> , Indian and Northern Affairs Canada, 2002.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22. FINANCIAL INFORMATION   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Is the statement of financial security the same as that considered in the existing water licence?   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provide an updated statement of financial security.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| If the applicant is a business entity please answer the questions below:  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Is the list of the officers of the company the same as those considered in the existing water licence?  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provide a list of the officers of the company.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Is the Certificate of Incorporation or evidence of registration of the company name the same?   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Attach a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation or evidence of registration of the company name.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### 23. STUDIES UNDERTAKEN TO DATE

List and attach updated studies, reports, research etc.

- 1. 2013 Monthly Water Usage Data Reports (Jan to Dec).
- 2. As-Built Drawings for the new ALT-10 Landfarm.

Provide a compliance assessment and status report including a response to any inspector's reports. The licensee must contact the NWB for licence specific direction in completing the assessment and report.

If in non-compliance, a licence may not be issued until compliance is achieved. If in non-compliance, attach plans/reports for consideration. Application will not be processed if significant issues of non-compliance exist.

A Compliance Plan is attached to address the non-compliance issues identified by AANDC Inspection Report from July 2013. This plan includes the status and how DND will address the identified non-compliance items during the 2015 season.

| 24.  | PROPOSED TIME SCH                   | HEDULE           |                             |                  |  |  |
|--|-------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Is the time schedule for all phases of development (construction, operations, closure and post closure) the same as that considered in the existing licence? |                                     |                  |                             |                  |  |  |
|  |                                     | X                | l Yes 🔲 No                  |                  |  |  |
| Indicate the proposed start and completion dates for each applicable phase of development (construction, operation, closure, and post closure).              |                                     |                  |                             |                  |  |  |
|  |                                     | (month/year)     | _ Proposed Completion Date: | N/A (month/year) |  |  |
|  |                                     | (month/year)     | _ Proposed Completion Date: | N/A(month/year)  |  |  |
|  |                                     | N/A (month/year) | Proposed Completion Date:   | N/A (month/year) |  |  |
|  | Post - Closure Proposed Start Date: | N/A(month/year)  | _ Proposed Completion Date: | (month/year)     |  |  |
| For each applicable phase of development indicate which season(s) activities occur.  |                                     |                  |                             |                  |  |  |
|  | Construction ☐ Winter ☐ Spring      | ⊠ Summer ☐ F     | Fall                        |                  |  |  |
|  | Operation Winter Spring             | Summer I         | Fall 🗵 All season           |                  |  |  |
|  | Closure ☐ Winter ☐ Spring           | Summer I         | Fall  All season            |                  |  |  |
|  | Post - Closure Winter Spring        | Summer I         | Fall                        |                  |  |  |
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| 25. PROPOSED TERM OF LICENCE  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| On what date does the existing licence expire?  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indicate the proposed term of the renewal (maximum of 25 years): 5 – 10 years   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Requested date of renewal issuance: 07/2015 Requested Expiry Date: 07/2020 (month/year)   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (The requested date of renewal issuance must be <u>at least</u> three (3) months from the date of application for a type B water licence and <u>at least</u> one (1) year from the date of application for a type A water licence, to allow for processing of the water licence application. These timeframes are approximate and do not account for the time to complete any pre-licensing land use planning or development impact requirements, time for the applicant to prepare and submit a water licence application in accordance with any project specific guidelines issued by the NWB, or the time for the applicant to respond to requests for additional information. See the NWB's <i>Guide 5: Processing Water Licence Applications</i> for more information) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 26. ANNUAL REPORTING  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| s the annual report template expected to be the same as that considered in the existing licence?  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ✓ Yes □ No  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| If not using the NWB's <u>Standardized Form for Annual Reporting</u> , provide details regarding the content of annual reports and a proposed outline or template of the annual report.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 27.   | CHECKLIST   |      |                      |  |  |  |
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| The following must be included with the application for renewal for the water licensing process to begin.   |   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | Completed Application for Water Licence Renewal form.   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
| e e   | Updated plans, including designs and reports (see Block 23).  |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ☑ Yes   | No   | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Updated security assessment (see Block 21).   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Updated financial statement (see Block 22).   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Compliance Assessment / Status Report (see Block 23).   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □ No | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | English Summary of Renewal Application.   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Inuktitut and/or Inuinnaqtun Summary of Renewal Application.  |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ⊠ Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Application fee of \$30.00 CDN (Payee Receiver General for Canada).   |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | Yes   | □No  | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
|   | Water Use Fee Deposit of \$30.00 CDN (Payee Receiver General for Canada). The actual water use fee will be calculated by the NWB based upon the amount of water authorized for use in accordance with the Regulations at the time of issuance of the licence. |      |                      |  |  |  |
|   | ☐ Yes   | , No | If no, date expected |  |  |  |
| 28.   | SIGNATURE   |      |                      |  |  |  |
| I, Colonel D.O. Quinn (print name)  |   |      |                      |  |  |  |
| certify that the application requires no changes to water use or waste disposal as previously authorized and that the information given on this form is, to the best of my knowledge, correct and complete. |   |      |                      |  |  |  |
| Signat  | Signature 25 June 2015 Date   |      |                      |  |  |  |