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EPP Timing - 8BC-BTN----

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Fri, Apr 27, 2018 at 8:37 AM

To: Eric Shilts <eric@concentricgeo.com>, Licensing Department <licensing@nwb-oen.ca>, Ida Porter <ida.porter@nwb-oen.ca>

Eric,

Please accept my apologies on behalf of the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for the errors in our recent correspondence. I miscommunicated with our licencing department which led to that letter including things that we are aware are not part of your project.

Your Application is currently out for public comment until May 1, 2018. At that time, I can finalize my technical review of the Application, and then send it to the Board for approval. Your EPP will, more than likely, end up a Licence requirement. My query to you now about the EPP was to ensure that I understood your timing and constraints and could, as much as is practicable, ensure that I don't inadvertently impact your schedule.

When I was in Iqaluit for the Nunavut Mining Symposium, I visited the Bridge to Nowhere and talked to a few locals about the bridge. I hope that I have a reasonable understanding of the scale of your project and how important it is to the community. I can assure you that I want to work with you to address your concerns and develop a Licence that meets the NWB's regulatory requirements while aligning with the scale and schedule of your project.

Please don't hesitate to give me a call if there is more I can do to understand or alleviate your concerns.

All the best,

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On Fri, Apr 27, 2018 at 6:56 AM, Eric Shilts <eric@concentricgeo.com> wrote:

Mr. Baines,

You are correct in that an EPP will be prepared by an appropriately qualified professional retained by the general contractor. The EPP will be reviewed by Dr. Brown to ensure it has the necessary components and meets all environment and regulatory requirements. After his review, the EPP will be submitted to NIRB, NWB and DFO offices. We anticipate the EPP will be available to you in June.

The proposed project has already incorporated measures in design to protect and maintain water quality, quantity and flow. Moreover, DFO has already determined that the project will not require an authorization and that there were no concerns about Species At Risk. I sincerely hope that a sound EPP is simply a condition of the licence and not holding up the process.

I would also like to highlight concerns pertaining to the inaccurate information we received from your office last week. First, our project was listed as an exploratory drilling operation. Next, we were referred to as a mining company in correspondence.

This is a small but very important project to the City of Iqaluit and the community as a whole.

I trust that our concerns will be addressed quickly and appropriately.

Thank you,

Eric Shilts

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From: Dave Baines [mailto:dave.baines@nwb-oen.ca]

Sent: April-25-18 5:30 PM

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Subject: EPP Timing - 8BC-BTN----

Eric,

You and I have chatted a few times about the technical components of your application to the NWB for the Bridge to Nowhere - Repair to Abutments Project (NWB File No. 8BC-BTN----). I've been reviewing your revised application as I was for the public comment period to end.

In your Application, you state in Box 17, that a site specific EPP will be completed as a requirement of the tender process. Do you have an estimate for when you might expect to have a final EPP completed for the Project?

Regards,

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