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**NWB File No: 8BC-NNF1920**

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Subject: Renewal Application Nanisivik Naval Facility Department of National Defence

Dear Mr. Watson and Ms. Rahmer:

The Nunavut Water Board (“NWB”) acknowledges receipt on April 16, 2021 of your renewal water licence application, for the Nanisivik Naval Facility. This application has been assigned file number 8BC-NNF1920. Please refer to this number on future submissions. Application documents received are as follows:

- 131024-09DN018-Screening\_Decision\_Report
- Application Water Licence Renewal
- camp\_layout\_and\_site\_location\_rev2
- Contract\_Specification\_for\_Emergency\_and\_Spill\_Response\_Plans
- Emergency\_response\_plan
- NORTHERN\_STAKEHOLDER\_CONSULTATIONS\_2007-2012
- NPC Letter re 149449
- Overall\_Site\_Plan\_(Feb\_2010)
- Site\_Plan\_including\_water\_sources\_(Feb\_2010)
- Site\_Post\_Construction\_drawings\_(30\_Jul\_2013)
- Spill\_Contingency\_Plan\_(NIRB)\_(Jul\_2013)
- Summary English
- Summary Inuktitut

Please be advised that under the Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada (Nunavut Agreement) Article 11, Section 11.5.9 and s. 76 (1) of *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act* (NuPPAA), the proponent of a project governed by NuPPAA is also required to submit a project proposal document directly to the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC or Commission) for the NPC’s determination regarding the applicable land use planning requirements and/or directions regarding whether the project is subject to screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board. In particular, please note that as established under Articles 11, 12 and 13 of the Nunavut Agreement, NuPPAA and Part 3 of the

*Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act*, until the project has completed the applicable land use planning and assessment process required by the NPC and the NIRB, the NWB cannot issue a water licence/approval.

The NWB confirms receipt of NPC conformity under NuPPAA on February 17, 2021 and NIRB determination through NPC under NuPPAA on February 17, 2021. This application is now ready for review and comments. Deadline for comment submissions is **May 10, 2021**.

Please call the undersigned at (867) 360-6338 or email to [licensing@nwb-oen.ca](mailto:licensing@nwb-oen.ca) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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