



**NIRB File No.: 15XN041**

July 20, 2015

Shawn Stuckey  
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*Sent via email: [saogjoa@qiniq.com](mailto:saogjoa@qiniq.com)*

**Re: Application Acknowledgement and Additional Information Required for “Swan Lake River Bridge” project proposal**

Dear Shawn Stuckey:

On November 17, 2014 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received initial information in regards to the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven’s (the Hamlet) “Swan Lake River Bridge” project proposal from the Hamlet. Additional information was received on July 6, 7 and 10, 2015. On July 8, 2015 the NIRB received a referral from the Government of Nunavut. The NIRB has assigned this project proposal file number **15XN041**. All documents received and pertaining to this project proposal include:

- *NIRB Part 1 Summary Application Form in English and Inuinnaqtun*
- *Maps*
- *Non-technical Project Proposal summary in English and Inuinnaqtun*
- *Fisheries and Oceans Canada email allowing usage of Clear-span Bridge Operational Statement*

The NIRB has undertaken a preliminary completeness check and finds that your project proposal does **not** contain sufficient information for the NIRB to permit proper screening. Specifically, the NIRB is requesting submission of the following information by **July 30, 2015**.

- *NIRB Project Specific Information Requirements (blank form attached)*
- *Existing environment*
- *Plans or details related to the operations of the bridge, as well as maintenance, inspections, and decommissioning and reclamation of the site, including but not limited to:*
  - *Spill contingency planning during construction;*
  - *Expectations for communicating to the public any operational, spill, or emergency plans; and*
  - *A Preliminary Abandonment and Restoration Plan*
- *Public consultation*

Please forward all forthcoming submissions to the NIRB at [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) or via fax at **(867) 983-2594**.

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, feel free to contact me at (867) 983-4619 or [kgillard@nirb.ca](mailto:kgillard@nirb.ca).

Sincerely,



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Attachment: NIRB Part 2 form