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via Email to: licensingadmin@nunavutwaterboard.org

RE: NWB FILE # 8BW-KUG – GN-Community and Government Services – Sub-River Aquifer Drilling Project

Dear Ms. Beaulieu:

The Government of Nunavut, Department of Environment (DOE) has reviewed the water license application from GN-Community and Government Services for the Sub-River Aquifer Drilling project, and has the following comments and recommendations to make based on the *Environmental Protection Act*.

Spill Contingency Planning

Please be aware that the NWT-Nunavut spill report form has been updated. The updated form can be obtained from DOE website (<http://www.gov.nu.ca/env/applications.shtml>). This form should be included in the spill plan, and proponents are required to use this form for reporting to the Spill Line in the case of spills. Additionally, the proponent is advised to enter spill information electronically in the form in the case of spills so the information is legible to regulators inspecting the spill.

The GN thanks NWB for the opportunity to provide comments on the GN-Community and Government Services' water license application. Please contact us if you have further questions.

Yours sincerely,

Original signed by

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