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Dear Natalie D'Souza, Tracey McCaie, Richard Dwyer, Jared Ottenhof, Cassel Kapolak, and Sophie Lanfear:

RE: NPC File No: 150304 [Arctic Wolf Filming Project – Ellesmere Island]

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Wildlife observation and filming to document the lives of a wolf pack over a two-year period.
 - a. Use of Utility Task Vehicles (UTVs), ATVs, and snow machines for transportation and filming
 - b. Use of drones and helicopter for filming and transportation
2. Establishment of a base camp to support operations:
 - a. 3 group tents and 6 personal tents
 - b. Storage of approximately 34,150 L of fuel
3. Timing, Duration, & Personnel:
 - a. 170 days over period 26 August 2024 to 14 September 2026
 - b. 6 personnel for a total of 1020 person-days
4. Associated NPC File No.: 150189
5. Location: Qikiqtani Region; [North Baffin: Fosheim Peninsula, Ellesmere Island and into Eureka Sound]

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) can be accessed online using the link below.

The NPC has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. It conforms to the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan (NBRLUP) and the Proponent has undertaken to comply with the applicable conformity requirements of Appendix C, H, and I of the NBRLUP.

The project proposal is exempt from screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB). The project proposal does not require screening because it belongs to a class of works or activities set out in Schedule 12-1 of the *Nunavut Agreement*, and the NPC does not have concerns regarding the cumulative impacts of the project proposal.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the Proponent. Project materials, including the applicable conformity requirements, are available at the following address: <https://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/registry/registry.aspx?appid=150304>.

The regulatory authorities to which this letter is addressed are responsible under the *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act (NuPPAA)* to implement any of the applicable requirements by incorporating the requirements directly, or otherwise ensuring that they must be met, in the terms and conditions of any authorizations issued.

This conformity determination applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licenses, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required. Regulatory authorities may consult with the NPC to obtain recommendations on their duties to implement the existing land use plans prior to issuing licenses, permits and other authorizations under subsection 69(6) of the *NuPPAA*.

My office would be pleased to discuss how best to implement the applicable requirements and to review any draft authorizations that regulatory authorities wish to provide for that purpose. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 979-3444.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Goump Djalogue'.

Goump Djalogue
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Nunavut Planning Commission