

April 6, 2019

Nunavut Water Board
Licensing Department
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Re: 2019 Melville Peninsula, Fury and Hecla Geoscience Project, application to the Nunavut Water Board

Dear Ida Porter,

This 2019 Fury and Hecla Geoscience project crew has compiled the required documents for a new Application for Approval for the Use of Water and Deposit of Waste Without a License associated with a small fly camp to be set from June 28th, 2019 to July 5th, 2019 on the shore of an unnamed lake located at 69° 46.49'N, 084°54.60'W. Field activities in Melville Peninsula fall under the larger 2019 Fury and Hecla Geoscience Project. Specifically, the Melville Peninsula portion of the project is an important part of two thematic projects in conjunction with the regional geologic mapping campaign.

As stated in the application and supplementary materials, the Fury and Hecla Geoscience project aims to improve the geological knowledge of the underexplored area around the Fury and Hecla strait, including the northern Melville Peninsula. The 2019 Melville Peninsula portion of the project includes four people (three researchers and one wildlife monitor from the community of Igloolik). This portion of the project involves working eight days in a temporary tent camp. No semi-permanent structures or large water usages are predicted for the project, and the field work will not alter the natural state of any water body or wildlife.

Details of the planned use of water and deposit of waste is included in the application document.

Please review these details at your convenience, and do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Mollie Patzke".

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