

July 8, 2015

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Sent via email: donald.mclennan@polar.gc.ca

Re: NIRB Screening File Closed for Canadian High Arctic Research Station's "Campon Grenier Lake" Project Proposal

Dear Donald S. McLennan:

On May 21, 2015 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received Canadian High Arctic Research Station's (CHARS) "Camp on Grenier Lake" project proposal. The Board notes that a conformity determination from the Nunavut Planning Commission was not required for this file, as the proposed project is located within a region that does not currently have an approved land use plan in place (Kitikmeot Region).

As you are aware, in correspondence dated July 8, 2015 CHARS formally requested that the "Camp on Grenier Lake" project proposal be withdrawn from the NIRB's screening process.

Please be advised that the Board is hereby closing its screening file for this project proposal. If CHARS re-submits the "Camp on Grenier Lake" application at a later date, the NIRB will initiate a new screening for the proposal at that time.

If you should have any questions or require additional guidance regarding the NIRB's information requirements, feel free to contact me directly at (867) 983-4612 or <a href="mailto:info@nirb.ca">info@nirb.ca</a>.

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Sincerely,

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