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To Nunavut Water Board Members,

I am a Coastal Ecosystem Specialist with Canadian Wildlife Service (Environment and Climate Change Canada) based in Iqaluit, Nunavut. I am writing this letter in hopes of gaining authorization to use water and deposit liquid waste without a license in Nunavut.

We will be camping at Nirjutiqarvik National Wildlife Area (NWA) from July 25, 2025, to July 30, 2025, to install a temporary Emergency Shelter and conduct photo surveys of the nesting colonies of Northern Fulmars and Thick-Billed Murres as per the objectives of the Nirjutiqarvik Area Co-management Committee. We will collect the water from the nearby glacier river for consumption, cooking and cleaning using a five-gallon water jug. We are going to be 4-6 people camping and we estimate that we will use less than 50 m³ per day.

We will dig out a small hole to dispose of the gray water far from the fresh water source and camp as to not attract Polar Bears. We will be using bio-friendly soap to clean the dishes. We do not plan on leaving human waste within the NWA as we will use "Go anywhere" kits for human waste, and transport the waste bags back to Resolute Bay during demobilization of the camp.

We thank you for your time and hope to hear back from you soon regarding the authorization of freshwater use and disposal in Nirjutiqarvik NWA for July 2025.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Chevallier', with a large, sweeping flourish underneath.

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