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April 23, 2015.

Dear Ms. Beaulieu:

On behalf of the Principal Investigators of the Environment Canada's Shorebird project, Dr. Paul Smith and Eider project, Dr. Grant Gilchrist, please see the attached documents "Application for Approval without license East Bay Shorebird and Eider 2015.pdf", and the translations to Inuktitut for the project description and this cover letter ("project description EB 2015-Inuktitut.pdf", "NWB cover letter EB 2015-Inuktitut.pdf").

Please note the approval should be made out to Dr. Paul Smith. We work in close collaboration with Dr. Gilchrist and will henceforth manage his waterboard exemption permit for his work at East Bay. However, if you have any questions regarding this material you can direct them to me, Christine.eberl@ec.gc.ca 613-998-8282.

Thank you very much for your consideration of this application, and please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely,

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