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**RE: Acknowledgement of the 2016 Annual Report for Forum Uranium Corporation's "North Thelon Joint Venture" Project**

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Dear Ken Wheatley:

Please be advised that the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received Forum Uranium Corporation's 2016 annual report for the "North Thelon Joint Venture" project on February 21, 2017 as required pursuant to the Screening Decision Report, dated July 11, 2007.

Term and Condition 8 states:

8. *The Proponent shall submit an annual report with copies provided to the NIRB, INAC [Indian and Northern Affairs Canada, now Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada], KIA [Kivalliq Inuit Association] and the GN-DOE [Government of Nunavut, Department of Environment] commencing January 31, 2008. The report must contain, but not be limited to, the following information:*
  - *A summary of activities undertaken for the year;*
  - *A work plan for the following year;*
  - *All monitoring results based on the revised Wildlife Mitigation Plan;*
  - *Description of any wildlife encounters and any actions/mitigation measures taken;*
  - *Evidence regarding the Proponent's commitment to require on-site personnel read and understand the comments provided to NIRB by the GN-DOE, EC [Environment Canada, now Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC)] and BQCMB [Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board];*
  - *A summary of local hires and initiatives;*
  - *A summary of community consultations undertaken as detailed in NIRB application documents (PSIR);*

- *A summary of site-visits by Land Use Inspectors with results and follow-up actions;*
- *Any approvals given by Land Use Inspectors regarding Caribou Protection Measures;*
- *The number of take-offs & landings from an airstrip with approved flight path with date and location;*
- *The number of helicopter touch-downs on the land with date and location (provide unless confidential);*
- *Site photos;*
- *Efforts made to achieve compliance with the Canadian Wide Standards for Dioxins and Furans, and the Canadian Wide Standards for Mercury;*
- *The results of compliance with above noted standards when proposed incinerator is applied to dispose of used oil proposed by the proponent;*
- *A summary of the number and location of spills and failures which activated the Spill Contingency Plan; and*
- *A summary of how the Proponent has complied with NIRB conditions contained within this Screening Decision, and the conditions associated with all authorizations for the project proposal.*

Upon review of Forum Uranium Corp.'s 2016 annual report for the "North Thelon Joint Venture" project submission, the following deficiencies have been identified:

- Description of any wildlife encounters and any actions/mitigation measures taken; **please provide indication and a summary of wildlife and any action/mitigation measures that were taken.**
- All monitoring results based on the revised Wildlife Mitigation Plan; **please indicate and provide a summary of the monitoring results recorded.**
- Evidence regarding the Proponent's commitment to require on-site personnel to read and understand the comments provided to NIRB by the GN-DOE, ECCC and BQCMB; **please provide indication on whether or not staff were made aware of these comments, for example, training session dates, describe staff orientation, etc.**
- A summary of local hires and initiatives; **please indicate and provide summary if these activities occurred.**
- A summary of community consultations undertaken as detailed in NIRB application documents; **please indicate and provide summary if these activities occurred.**
- A summary of site-visits by Land Use Inspectors with results and follow-up actions; **please indicate and provide summary if these activities occurred.**
- The number of take-offs and landings from an airstrip with proposed flight path with date and location; **please provide information on air traffic.**
- The number of helicopter touch-downs on the land with date and location (provide unless confidential); **please provide information on helicopter traffic.**
- Efforts made to achieve compliance with the Canadian Wide Standards for Dioxins and Furans, and the Canadian Wide Standards for Mercury; **please provide indication on the efforts made to comply with the standards.**
- The results of compliance with above noted standards when the proposed incinerator was used to dispose of used oil; **please indicate if these activities occurred.**

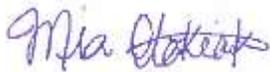
- A summary of the number and location of spills and failures which activated the Spill Contingency Plan; **please provide a summary on the spills and failures that occurred during the reporting year;** and
- A summary of how the Proponent has complied with NIRB's conditions contained within the Screening Decision Report (No. 07EN046), and the conditions associated with all authorizations for the project proposal. **Please provide a summary of compliance.**

This information was not included in the 2017 annual report as required by term and condition 8 of the NIRB's July 11, 2007 Screening Decision Report. Please provide the information listed above no later than **July 27, 2017**.

Please forward all submissions via email to [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) or through the online public registry at [www.nirb.ca](http://www.nirb.ca).

If you have any questions or require further clarification, please contact the undersigned at (867) 983-4622 or at [motokiak@nirb.ca](mailto:motokiak@nirb.ca).

Sincerely,



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