



**NIRB File No.: 14UN028**

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**Re: Notice of Part 4 Screening for Kudlik Construction's "Repulse Bay High School – Explosive Storage" Project Proposal**

Dear Philippe Poulin:

On July 4, 2014 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received Kudlik Construction's (the Proponent) "Repulse Bay High School – Explosive Storage" project proposal from your office. On July 7, 2014 the NIRB received correspondence from the Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) informing the Board that a conformity determination by the NPC for this file was not required as the proposal falls within the municipal boundary of Repulse Bay. On July 8, 2014 the NIRB received correspondence from Natural Resources Canada (NRCan) requesting that the Board assess the proposed activities for this file. The NIRB has assigned this project proposal file number **14UN028** - please reference this file number in related future correspondence.

When the Proponent submitted its project proposal for this file on July 4, 2014 it informed the NIRB that additional required documentation would follow. On July 15, 2014 the NIRB requested the required outstanding documentation from the Proponent. On July 23, 2014 the NIRB received the requested additional information to proceed with the screening.

The proposed project is located within the municipal boundaries of Repulse Bay, in the Kivalliq Region. The Proponent intends to install two (2) explosive magazines in the existing municipal quarry in Repulse Bay. The program is proposed to take place from August 1, 2014 to 2015.

The proposed project activities and components include:

- Transportation, installation and storage of 2 pre-fabricated explosives magazines in an established quarry;
  - Total storage of 20,000 kilograms of extra gelatin nitroglycerin dynamite; and

- Transportation and installation to be undertaken by one personnel with the use of a truck and loader.

All documents received and pertaining to this project proposal can be obtained from the NIRB's online public registry at

<http://ftp.nirb.ca/01-SCREENINGS/ACTIVE%20SCREENINGS/14UN028-Kudlik%20Construction-Repulse%20Bay%20Explosive/> including:

- *NIRB Part 1 Summary Application Form in English*
- *Non-technical Project Proposal summary in English and Inuktitut*
- *Emergency Response Plan*
- *Transport Details*

Pursuant to Part 4, Article 12 of the Nunavut Land Claims Agreement (NLCA), the NIRB shall proceed to screen this project proposal. The NIRB may request additional information at any time during the process. The NIRB will copy you on screening process related correspondence and upload related documents to the above ftp site for public access.

Be advised that the NIRB is copying parties and municipalities potentially affected by this project proposal. Interested parties are encouraged to comment directly to the NIRB by **August 14, 2014**.

The NIRB would like parties to provide comments regarding:

- Whether the project proposal is likely to arouse significant public concern; and if so, why;
- Whether the project proposal is likely to cause significant adverse eco-systemic and socio-economic effects; and if so, why;
- Whether the project is of a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and mitigable with known technology, (please provide any recommended mitigation measures); and
- Any matter of importance to the Party related to the project proposal.

Please send your comments to the NIRB at [info@nirb.ca](mailto:info@nirb.ca) or via fax at **(867) 983-2594**.

If you have any questions or require clarification, feel free to contact the undersigned at (867) 983-4606 or [hassmussen@nirb.ca](mailto:hassmussen@nirb.ca).

Sincerely,



Heather Rasmussen  
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Nunavut Impact Review Board

cc:           Distribution List  
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              Luis Manzo, Kivalliq Inuit Association  
              Kathleen Cavallaro, Natural Resources Canada

Enclosures (2):   Comment Forms (English and Inuktitut)