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Dear Ms. Maksagak, Mr. Dwyer, Ms. McCaie, Ms. Bolt:

**RE: NPC File # 149236 [Lupin Mine Winter Access]**

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Construction and maintenance of Contwoyto Winter Road
2. The Applicant wishes to withdraw additional water to support winter road construction. The original application included withdrawal of 49 m3/day of water, to be authorized by the NWB as a Use Without a Licence. The Applicant now wishes to withdraw up to 299 m3/day to be authorized by the NWB under a Type B licence.
3. Associated NPC File No: 148975 **Lupin Mine Winter Access**
4. Location: Kitikmeot Region; [Contwoyto Winter Road]

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the NPC can be accessed online using the link below.

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. The NPC previously reviewed works and activities associated with the current project proposal and a determination was issued on Jan. 14 2019 (NPC file 148975) that it is outside the area of an applicable regional land use plan.

In addition, works and activities associated with the current proposal were previously screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB FILE NO.: 19RN005).

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By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials are available at the following address:

<http://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=149236&sessionid=>

This decision applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licenses, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 857-2242.

Sincerely,



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