



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 24YN023

Project Name: The “Nanuit Itillinga NWA and Seymour Island (Naujawaat) MBS Management Activities” project

Proponent Name: Canadian Wildlife Service

Project Type: Research Region: Qikiqtani

Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125970

Comment Deadline: **July 5, 2024**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Nanuit Itillinga NWA and Seymour Island (Naujawaat) MBS Management Activities” project is located within the Qikiqtani region, approximately 130 kilometres (km) from Resolute Bay. The Proponent intends to place wildlife cameras and recorders. The program is proposed to take place from June 2024 to August 2024. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Daily helicopter trips from Resolute Bay for approximately three (3) days
- Use of a drone for aerial photography
- Placement of wildlife cameras/recorders

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **24YN023** to access all project information, maps, and public comment forms.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

You are invited to provide the NIRB with your comments regarding whether the proposed project is:

- likely to arouse significant public concern and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse ecosystemic or socio-economic effects and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse impacts on wildlife habitat or Inuit harvest activities and, if so, why;
- a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and can be prevented/managed appropriately with known technology.

Parties are also invited to recommend any specific mitigation measures they feel would be appropriate, and to bring any other matter of importance related to this project proposal to the NIRB’s attention.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The NIRB has recently launched an updated online public registry, and parties can access project information as well as submit comments directly to the NIRB via www.nirb.ca. Comments can still be submitted directly to the NIRB via email at info@nirb.ca or via fax to (867) 983-2594.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the proposed project or the NIRB’s screening process, please contact Keith Morrison, Manager, Impact Assessment toll-free at (867) 983-4617 or kmorrison@nirb.ca.