



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 25RN083

Project Name: The “Aberdeen Lake-Pelly Lake Overland Haul” project
Proponent Name: Peter’s Expediting Ltd.
Project Type: Winter Road/Trail Region: Kivalliq
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 126252
Comment Deadline: **December 23, 2025**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Aberdeen Lake-Pelly Lake Overland Haul” project is located within the Kivalliq region, approximately 300km Northwest of Baker Lake. The Proponent intends to construct a 300km winter trail to backhaul waste from Pelly Lake to Baker Lake for Salumaq Environmental and deliver fuel and supplies to Aberdeen Lake for Geiger Energy. The program is proposed to take place from January to April 2026. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- The Proponent intends to construct and use a 300-kilometre winter trail to backhaul waste from Pelly Lake to Baker Lake and deliver fuel and supplies to Aberdeen Lake. This overland haul replaces the original plan to use an ice airstrip for flying out materials.
- Use of four (4) CAT trains pulling three (3) to five (5) sleds each;
- Use and storage of up to 20,000 litres of fuel for project activities;
- All waste produced during the proposed project to be returned to Baker Lake for proper disposal

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **25RN083** 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 Mia Beattie, Impact Assessment Officer at (867)983-4622 or mbeattie@nirb.ca.