

June 7, 2005

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Canadian Wildlife Service
Iqaluit, NU

Re: Ground Surveys of Breeding Shorebirds in Queen Maud Gulf Bird Sanctuary
Vicky Johnston
NIRB: #05AN070 **CWS**

Enclosed is the completed NIRB Screening Decision Report for the above-mentioned application for a multi-year Bird Sanctuary Permit.

NIRB has screened this application for ecosystemic and socio-economic impacts of the proposal.

NIRB's indication to the Minister is:

The decision of the Board in this case is 12.4.4(a) **the proposal may be processed without a review under Part 5 or 6; NIRB may recommend specific terms and conditions to be attached to any approval, reflecting the primary objectives set out in Section 12.2.5;**

Please contact Stephanie Briscoe, Executive Director at (867) 983-2593 if you have any questions about the Screening Report.

Yours truly,

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