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Honourable Chuck Strahl
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and

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Via email: Strahl.C@parl.gc.ca

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Re: <u>Extension Request for NIRB Screening of 5050 Nunavut Limited's Kugluktuk – McGregor Lake Campsite 2008 Winter Trail Project Proposal</u>

Dear Sirs:

Pursuant to Section 12.4.5 (b) of the Nunavut Land Claim Agreement (NLCA), the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) hereby requests more time to screen the project proposal referenced above (KIA File KTL307F021, INAC File N2007X0043).

The NIRB requires further time to complete this screening due to seasonal office closures which significantly limit the time available for interested Parties to consider the abovementioned file and to submit their comments.

If this request is approved, NIRB understands that the authorizing agency will inform the Proponent, stakeholders and interested Parties on the extension.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

(original signed by:)

Stephanie Autut, Executive Director
Nunavut Impact Review Board

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Jeff Holwell, Indian and Northern Affairs Canada
Stanley Anablak, Kitikmeot Inuit Association