



**NOTICE OF INDICATION
NIRB FILE NO.: 10YN058**

January 14, 2011

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Via email: mosha.cote@arcticcollege.ca

Re: Notice of Indication for Carleton University-Amie Black's "Detecting Avian Cholera in the Hudson Bay Common Eider (*Somateria mollissima sedentaria*) in the Belcher Archipelago, Nunavut" Project Proposal, NIRB File No. 10YN058

Dear Mosha Cote:

Enclosed is the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) Screening Decision Report to the Honourable Daniel Shewchuk, Minister responsible for the Nunavut Arctic College for Carleton University-Amie Black's "Detecting Avian Cholera in the Hudson Bay Common Eider (*Somateria mollissima sedentaria*) in the Belcher Archipelago, Nunavut" in the Qikiqtani Region.

The NIRB has assessed this project proposal for ecosystemic and socio-economic impacts taking into consideration the comments from relevant authorities and communities. Based on this assessment NIRB's indication to the Minister is in accordance with **12.4.4 (a)** which states the following:

"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."

The enclosed NIRB Screening Decision for NIRB File No. 10YN058, signed on January 14, 2011 by Lucassie Arragutainaq at Sanikiluaq has been issued to the Nunavut Research Institute (NRI) and is subject to the terms and conditions contained herein being imposed upon the Proponent.

The NIRB is aware of the NRI's authority to regulate the terms and conditions attached to the enclosed Screening Decision Report, and requests that the NRI send a hardcopy of the

authorization with NIRB's file number referenced on the document to the NIRB office to complete our files. In addition, the NIRB requests that copies of any subsequent inspection reports related to the subject project proposal be sent to the NIRB office.

Please contact an Environmental Administrator at the NIRB at 867-983-4600 or info@nirb.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "T Bolt".

Tannis Bolt
Environmental Administrator

cc: Amie Black (amie.black@ec.gc.ca)
Phyllis Beaulieu, Nunavut Water Board

Enclosure: NIRB Screening Decision Report (NIRB File No.:10YN058)