

## COMMENT FORM FOR NIRB SCREENINGS

The Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) has a mandate to protect the integrity of the ecosystem for the existing and future residents of Nunavut. To assess the environmental and socio-economic impacts of the project proposal, NIRB would like to hear your concerns, comments and suggestions about the following project proposal application:

<b>Project Proposal Title:</b> <u>Cambridge Bay Undersea Observatory</u>																			
<b>Proponent:</b> <u>NEPTUNE Canada's</u>																			
<b>Location:</b> <u>Cambridge Bay</u>																			
<b>Comments Due By:</b> <u>July 6, 2012</u>	<b>NIRB #:</b> <u>12YN034</u>																		
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<p><b>Do you have any suggestions or recommendations for this application?</b></p> <p>The Proponent should be guided by and directed to the following standards/guidelines/acts that are applicable to the Transport Canada - Navigable Waters Protection Program (NWPP) and the Navigable Waters Protection Act (NWWA). NWPP is the Federal Authority mandated with enforcing the NWWA. <u>All proponents</u> must deal directly with NWPP for any work(s) to be built or placed in, on, over, under, through, or across any navigable water. The proponent will need to submit formal applications to the NWPP in order to obtain NWPP's approval, promulgation, or exemption for each specific work. The proponent shall also inform the NWPP of any design, construction, or operational changes accordingly. If the proponent is uncertain of the NWPP's requirements as they pertain to an application for a specific work, please refer to the NWPP Internet site or contact the NWPP office.</p> <p><a href="http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/marinesafety/oep-nwpp-menu-1978.htm">http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/marinesafety/oep-nwpp-menu-1978.htm</a></p> <p><i>Transport Canada          Navigable Waters Protection Program          1100 9700 Jasper Avenue          Edmonton, Alberta          T5J 4E6          780-495-8215</i></p>																			

8. Comment Form Distribution

<b>Do you support the project proposal? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional comments?</b>	
<b>Name of person commenting:</b> <u>John Cowan</u> <b>of</b> _____	
<b>Position:</b> <u>Environmental Officer</u>	<b>Organization:</b> <u>Transport Canada</u>
<b>Signature:</b> _____	<b>Date:</b> <u>July 13, 2012</u>