

NIRB Application for Screening #124698**Committee Bay Project**

Application Type: New

Project Type: Fuel

Application Date: 8/24/2016 2:24:57 PM

Period of Operation: From 2016-08-24 to 2017-09-07

Proposed Authorization: From 2016-09-07 to 2017-09-07

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Non-technical project proposal description

English: North Country Gold Corp. (NCGC) hereby proposes a request for amendment to 'Permit to use the Commissioners' Land' LUP-06-600-013. The permit, authorized since September 7, 2012 and currently valid until September 7, 2017, is renewable annually and subject to environmental, spill response and reporting terms and conditions put in place by Nunavut departments of Environment (DOE), Community and Government Services (CGS), and Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB). NCGC requires an area within Rankin Inlet for the temporary storage and staging of materials to support exploration activities at the company's Committee Bay Project located approximately 400 km north of Rankin Inlet. This area will be used to store fuel and materials arriving during the summer sealift until the following spring when an ice airstrip is constructed at the Committee Bay Project and supplies can be airlifted to site. During the spring airlift, inert waste materials including scrap metals, drained, empty

French: N/A

Inuktitut: N/A

Project Activities

Location	Activity Type	Land Status	Site History	Site Archaeological or Palaeontological Value	Proximity to the nearest communities and any protected areas
NCGC_RankinInletLot11	Fuel and chemical storage	Commissioners	The permit was initially granted on Sep 10, 2012 with a start date of Sep 7, 2012. The permit site area presently gives NCGC authorization to store various supplies and up to 73,800 Litres of fuel. NCGC is presently storing a sea container, core boxes and a number of pallets of emptied, crushed fuel drums on this lot. All fuel previously stored on the lot was moved to the Committee Bay Project in April 2016. Crushed drums are scheduled to be shipped to Montreal in September 2016.	There are no known archaeological/palaeontological historical sites on site.	Rankin Inlet is <1 km from the permitted site. Iqalugaarjuup Nunanga Territorial Park is approximately 10 km away from the permitted site.

Project Authorization

Authorizing Agency	Authorization Description	Current Status	Date Issued / Applied	Expiry Date
Community Government & Services	NCGC presently has a Permit to use the Commissioners Land which covers a portion of Lot 11 within Itivia Industrial subdivision located within the Hamlet of Rankin Inlet. This permit presently gives NCGC authorization to store various supplies and up to 73,800 litres of fuel. A letter dated September 3, 2015 is attached that requested renewal until September 2017, and a 2nd letter dated August 23, 2016 is attached requesting renewal for an additional year.	Active	2012-09-07	2017-09-07

Community Involvement and Regional Benefits

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Community	Name	Organization	Date Contacted
Rankin Inlet	Ashley Ymana	Municipality of Rankin Inlet	2016-07-26
Rankin Inlet	Randy Mercer	Community Government & Services	2016-06-28
Cambridge Bay	Natasha Lear	Nunavut Impact Review Board	2016-09-06

Equipment to be used (including drills, pumps, aircraft, vehicles etc.)

Equipment Type	Quantity	Size - Dimensions	Proposed Use
n/a	0	0	n/a

Detail Fuel and Hazardous Material Use

Fuel / Material	Type	Number of Containers	Container Capacity	Total Amount	Units	Proposed Use
Diesel	fuel	1950	205	399750	Liters	Project operations
Aviation fuel	fuel	1950	205	399750	Liters	Air transport
Gasoline	fuel	100	205	20500	Liters	Project operations
n/a	hazardous	0	0	0	Liters	n/a

Types of Waste Associated with the Proposed Project Activities

Project Activity	Type of Waste	Projected Amount Generated	Method of Disposal	Additional Treatment Procedures
Information is not available				

Project Water Consumption

Daily Amount (m3)	Proposed Water Retrieval Methods	Proposed Water Retrieval Location
0	n/a	n/a

Description of Existing Environment: Physical Environment

Description of Existing Environment: Biological Environment

Description of Existing Environment: Socioeconomic Environment

Identification of Impacts and Proposed Mitigation Measures

Cumulative Effects

TABLE 1 - IDENTIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

CONSTRUCTION																					
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OPERATION																					
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DECOMMISSIONING																					
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(P = Positive, N = Negative and non-mitigatable, M = Negative and mitigatable, U = Unknown)

