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Dear Ms. Ohokannoak, Mr. Kharatyan, Ms. McCaie, Mr. Cameron:

**RE: NPC File #148572 Dewar Lakes Camp**

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Site Cleanup/Remediation & Temporary Structures:
  - a. Commander Resources is applying for a new Land Use Permit and renewing the Water Licence to authorize work activities at the existing Dewar Lakes Camp
  - b. Facilitate a cleanup and rebuild of the vandalized Dewar Lake Camp. Cleanup is scheduled to begin June 2017.
2. Location: Qikiqtani Region; Baffin Island, Dewar Lakes

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the NPC can be accessed online using the link below.

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) has determined that this project proposal is outside the area of an applicable regional land use plan, and the works and activities listed above were previously screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB FILE NO.: 04EN022). This project proposal is exempt from the *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act* (NUPPAA) under section 235 of that Act. The above-noted project proposal is exempt from screening by the NIRB because the NPC is of the understanding that it does not change the general scope of the original or previously amended project activities, and the exceptions noted in Section 12.4.3 (a) and (b) of the Nunavut Agreement do not apply.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials are available at the following address:

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<http://npc.strata360.com/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=148572&sessionid=>

This decision applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licenses, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4634.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alana', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Alana Vigna  
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