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Re: Notice of Screening for Fisheries and Oceans Canada's "Kitikmeot Region Marine Science Study" Project Proposal

Dear Ms. Maksagak,

On July 17, 2017 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) invited parties to comment on Fisheries and Oceans Canada's "Kitikmeot Region Marine Science Study" project proposal. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) has reviewed the project proposal and related documents, and has no comments or additional terms and conditions to offer at this time pertaining to the NIRB's request.

INAC appreciates the opportunity to provide comments and looks forward to working with the NIRB and the Proponent throughout any further review phases related to this project. Should you have any questions, please contact Julia Prokopick at (867) 975-4567 or by e-mail at julia.prokopick@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

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