



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 06AN041

Project Name: The “Diving and Snorkling” project
Proponent Name: Adventure Canada
Project Type: Access Region: Qikiqtani (North Baffin) Region
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125341
Comment Deadline: **May 28, 2018**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Diving and Snorkeling” project is located within the Qikiqtani (North Baffin) region, approximately 150 kilometres (km) from Pond Inlet and 160 km from Resolute Bay. The Proponent intends to amend the scope of the previously approved activities to conduct tourism activities that include diving and snorkeling at Bylot Island and Prince Leopold Island. The program is proposed to take place in August 2018. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Diving and Snorkeling at Tay Bay and Cape Hay on Bylot Island and Prince Leopold Island
- Use of a Remote Operated Vehicle (ROV) for filming.

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **06AN041** to access all project information, maps, and public comment forms.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

You are invited to provide the NIRB with your comments regarding whether the proposed project is:

- likely to arouse significant public concern and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse ecosystemic or socio-economic effects and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse impacts on wildlife habitat or Inuit harvest activities and, if so, why;
- a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and can be prevented/managed appropriately with known technology.

Parties are also invited to recommend any specific mitigation measures they feel would be appropriate, and to bring any other matter of importance related to this project proposal to the NIRB’s attention.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The NIRB has recently launched an updated online public registry, and parties can access project information as well as submit comments directly to the NIRB via www.nirb.ca. Comments can still be submitted directly to the NIRB via email at info@nirb.ca or via fax to (867) 983-2594.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the proposed project or the NIRB’s screening process, please contact Jaida Ohokannoak, Technical Advisor II toll-free at 1-866-233-3033 or johokannoak@nirb.ca.