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Via electronic mail to: info@nirb.ca

Re: **Notice of Screening for University of Manitoba's "Characterizing Iqaluit's baseline municipal wastewater containment loadings to the marine environment" project proposal**

Dear Ms. Ohokannoak,

On July 12, 2018 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) invited parties to comment on University of Manitoba's "Characterizing Iqaluit's baseline municipal wastewater containment loadings to the marine environment" project proposal. Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments and offers the response below as it pertains to the NIRB's request

Whether the project proposal is of a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and mitigable with known technology, (please provide any recommended mitigation measures);

As the project application does not provide details on how fuel will be managed, CIRNAC suggests that the Proponent store fuel and conduct re-fueling of equipment at a minimum of thirty-one (31) metres away from the high water mark of any water body.

CIRNAC 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@canada.ca.



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and Northern Affairs Canada

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et Affaires du Nord Canada

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Felexce Ngwa', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Felexce Ngwa
A/Manager, Impact Assessment