



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.s: 03DN013, 03DN117, 03DN119, 03DN124

Project Name: The “DEW Line Sites Water Licence Renewals” project
Proponent Name: Department of National Defence (DND)
Project Type: Remediation Region: Kitikmeot and Baffin Regions
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.s: 125417, 125416, 125415, 125412
Comment Deadline: **November 30, 2018**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “DEW Line Sites Water Licence Renewals” projects which would be located in the same areas as previously approved and would be located within the Qikiqtani (South Baffin) and Kitikmeot regions. The Proponent intends to amend the scope of previously approved activities to include a hydrocarbon landfarm at each of the four (4) sites with the timing for the activities. The program is proposed to take place from March 2019 to March 2029. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Testing and release of berm water from fuel storage facility
- Construction of landfarm for remediation of hydrocarbon impacted soils
- Treat contaminated water as HAZMAT;
- Use of a helicopter and fixed winged aircraft to access each main site as well as adjacent sites

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.s: **03DN013, 03DN117, 03DN119, 03DN124** 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.