



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 19XN011

Project Name: The “Kugluktuk Power Plant and Solar Project” proposal
Proponent Name: Qulliq Energy Corporation (QEC)
Project Type: Infrastructure Region: Kitikmeot Region
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125442
Comment Deadline: **March 20, 2019**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Kugluktuk Power Plant and Solar Project” is located within the Kitikmeot region, within the Hamlet of Kugluktuk. The Proponent intends to conduct to build a new power plant to replace the existing power plant in Kugluktuk for a 40-year life span. A solar array will be built adjacent to the plant to supplement electrical production. The plant will also be built to integrate sustainable technologies for future power generation. The construction program is proposed to take place from 2019 to 2021 with operations planned until 2049. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Construction of new power plant with higher power output;
- Installation of two (2) double walled fuel tanks (each at 90,000 litres capacity);
- Storage of hazardous materials;
- Construction of additional facilities to support the power plant

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **19XN011** 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 Keith Morrison, Technical Advisor II toll-free at 1-866-233-3033 or kmorrison@nirb.ca.