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To: [Mia Otokiak](#)
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Subject: RE: NIRB 20YN007: CIRNAC Comment
Date: Thursday, May 7, 2020 12:38:40 PM
Attachments: [Belcher Research Spill Contingency Plan 2020.pdf](#)
[Consultation Recommendation Form - Gilchrist Belchers 2020 signed.pdf](#)
[NIRB 20YN007 - CIRNAC Comment Responses.pdf](#)

Hello Mia,

Thank you again for your help in this. I've attached three documents to address the concerns that were raised in our permit application. One with all of our responses, and two supporting documents.

- 1) First, there is the document in which we address the concerns raised in the letter from CIRNAC, titled: "NIRB 20YN007 – CIRNAC Comment Responses". In this document, I've listed each of the concerns raised by CIRNAC in their letter in **black text**. Our responses follow each of their concerns and are in plain blue text.
- 2) One of the criticisms was that the link to our Spill Response Plan out to be updated to the correct location of the online spill report form. I've attached our updated Spill Contingency Plan with the correct link to verify that we have indeed done this (titled: Belcher Research Spill Contingency Plan 2020).
- 3) I've also attached the form from our CWS permit application in which the Sanikiluaq Hunters and Trappers Association indicates the support of our project. This is for verification in our "Interactions Summary" section of our responses (titled: Consultation Recommendation Form – Gilchrist Belchers 2020 signed).

If there is any further information or clarification that I can provide, please do not hesitate to contact me.

We can appreciate very much the constraints that the current COVID-19 pandemic places on administration and the ability of people to work. I received a letter via email indicating that review of this project would take longer than anticipated and there are no concerns about this whatsoever. We appreciate that there is still flexibility for the various committees involved in this process to even meet and review applications at this time. As you will note in our attached response, we have delayed this field season until the summer of 2021. We are just hoping to get our permits in place for next summer.

Cheers,

Holly

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Hi Holly,

Great, thank you for the information.

Either through the portal or via email to myself and cc'ing info@nirb.ca and sgranchinho@nirb.ca works.

If you have any other questions feel free to ask!

Best regards,

Mia Otokiak

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Hello Mia,

Thank you for letting me know about this. I hope to have the response submitted to you before the end of next week.

This is the first time I am submitting a project for review; Do I submit the responses to you via email or are they to be submitted on the online portal?

Best,

Holly

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From: Mia Otokiak <motokiak@nirb.ca>
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Good afternoon Holly,

Please be advised that on April 27, 2020, CIRNAC provided a comment on your Proposed Project. Please find it attached.

It is suggested that ECCC review the comments and respond to the concerns.

Please let us know how long you think it will take to respond, as we will have to present all information to our Board for consideration.

Thank you for taking the time.

Best regards,

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