



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 21EN013

Project Name: The “Pistol Lake” project
Proponent Name: Leeward Capital Corp
Project Type: Exploration Region: Kitikmeot
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No: 125588
Comment Deadline: **April 8, 2021**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Pistol Lake” project is located within the Kitikmeot region, approximately 280 kilometres (km) from Kugluktuk. The Proponent intends to conduct exploration activities and construct a 16- person temporary camp to support prospecting, sampling, and 3000 meters of core drilling. The program is proposed to take place from July 1, 2021 to October 1, 2021. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Establishment of a temporary sixteen (16) person exploration camp;
- Use of a helicopter to support drill move, fuel transport to drill site, and transport personal;
- Drilling to depths of up to 3,000 meters; and
- Storage of aviation fuel, gasoline, diesel, propane, and hazardous materials such as drilling mud, calcium, and hydraulic oil.

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **21EN013** 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 Francis Emingak, Junior Technical Advisor toll-free at 1-866-233-3033 or femingak@nirb.ca.