



- c. 148373 (Operation Nunaliut 2017, issued Nov. 12, 2016)
- d. 148577 (Operation Nanook 2017, issued May 24, 2017)
- e. 148656 (Operation Nunaliut 2018, issued Nov. 29, 2017)
- f. 148867 (Operation Nunakput 2018, issued May 31, 2018)
- g. 148932 (Operation Nanook 2018, issued Aug. 17, 2018)
- h. 149149 (Operation Nunakput 2019, issued June 18, 2019)
- i. 149253 (Operation Nannok-Nunaliut, 2020, issued December 13, 2019)

4. **Location:** Kitikmeot Region; [multiple locations]

A complete description of the project proposal reviewed by the NPC can be accessed online using the link below.

The Nunavut Planning Commission (NPC) has completed its review of the above noted project proposal. NPC has determined that this project proposal is outside the area of an applicable regional land use plan. The activities associated with this proposal were previously reviewed by NPC with conformity determination issued at different dates as noted above which still applies. In addition, associated activities were previously screened by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB File Nos.: 16DN031, 16DN063, 16DN004 ).

The above-noted project proposal is exempt from screening by the NIRB because the NPC is of the understanding that the inclusion of additional military operations and patrol activities between the Hamlets of Taloyoak and Gjoa Haven does not change the general scope of the original or previously amended project activities, and the exceptions noted in Section 12.4.3 (a) and (b) of the Nunavut Agreement do not apply.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the regulatory authorities identified by the proponent. Project materials, including the applicable conformity requirements, are available at the following address:

<https://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=149615&sessionid=>

This decision applies only to the above noted project proposal as submitted. Proponents may not carry out projects and regulatory authorities may not issue licenses, permits and other authorizations in respect of projects if a review by the NPC is required. Regulatory authorities may consult with the NPC to obtain recommendations on their duties to implement the existing land use plans prior to issuing licenses, permits and other authorizations under subsection 69(6) of the NUPPAA.

My office would be pleased to discuss how best to implement the applicable requirements and to review any draft authorizations that regulatory authorities wish to provide for that purpose. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4625.

Sincerely,



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