



NPC File No. 149664

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Dear Ms. Maksagak, Mr. Dwyer, Mr. Cote, Ms. McCaie, Mr. Clark, Ms. Lebeau:

RE: NPC File # 149664 [Izok Lake targeted VMS mineralization in the Slave craton]

The following works and activities have been proposed in the above-noted project proposal:

1. Undertake scientific research and field work activities on the Izok Lake Property. Specific project activities include:
 - Mobilization of 2-4 people to undertake core logging of mineralized zones (e.g., volcanic lithofacies, primary and secondary alteration, metamorphic grade, and metal endowments) in the Point Lake greenstone belt area;
 - Use of helicopter for transporting research personnel to and from the project sites and to explore the southern and northern extent of the point lake greenstone belt or conduct day long visits to the Hood and Gondor sites; and
 - Use of an existing camp with sleeper tents and large weather havens for accommodation.
2. Location: Kitikmeot Region; [Izok Lake Property].

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 determined that this project proposal is outside the area of an applicable regional land use plan. The project proposal requires screening by the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) because it does not belong to a class of exempt works or activities set out in Schedule 12-1 of the Nunavut Agreement.

By way of this letter, the NPC is forwarding the project proposal to the NIRB for screening. Project materials are available at the following address:

<https://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/project-dashboard.php?appid=149664&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.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 983-4982.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'SA' with a horizontal line extending from the 'A'.

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