



NIRB File No.: 19XN014
NPC File No.: 149048

May 01, 2019

Kailey Wright
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Sent via email: kwright@northernenergycapital.com

Re: Suspension of Assessment Activities for Northern Energy Capital Inc.'s "Nunavut Clean Energy Project: Rankin Inlet and Baker Lake" Project Proposal Project Proposal, Pursuant to NuPPAA Subsection 143(2)

Dear Kailey Wright:

On April 26, 2019 the Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB or Board) received the enclosed correspondence from Northern Energy Capital Inc. in which a request has been made by the Proponent for an additional six (6) months to submit the required information for the NIRB's assessment of the "Nunavut Clean Energy Project: Rankin Inlet and Baker Lake" project proposal, NIRB File No.: 19XN014. Having taken into consideration the Proponent's comments and request, pursuant to s. 143(2) of the *Nunavut Planning and Project Assessment Act*, S.C. 2013, c. 14, s. 2 (*NuPPAA*) the Board is hereby suspending the assessment of the "Nunavut Clean Energy Project: Rankin Inlet and Baker Lake" project proposal as requested, effective **May 01, 2019**.

Should the Proponent wish to resume the assessment in the future, a written request must be filed directly with the NIRB; please note that if such a written request has not been filed within three years of the suspension date May 01, 2019, the assessment of the project will be terminated as per s. 143(4) of the *NuPPAA*.

Should you have any questions regarding the suspension of this assessment or the information required to support screening of this project proposal in the future, please contact the NIRB's Jaida Ohokannoak, Technical Advisor II, directly at (867)983-4609 or johokannoak@nirb.ca.

Sincerely,



Tara Arko
Director, Technical Services
Nunavut Impact Review Board

Enclosure (1): Northern Energy Capital Inc. Suspension Request, April 26, 2019

cc: Kailey Wright, Northern Energy Capital Inc.
The Honourable Carolyn Bennett, P.C. Q.C. M.P. Minister of Intergovernmental Affairs and Northern Affairs and Internal Trade, Government of Canada
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