

Pursuant to s. 144(2) of the *NuPPAA*, the Board is suspending its assessment activities for the screening of this project proposal until the requested information has been received by our office. Please be advised that the *NuPPAA* prohibits the carrying out of a project, in whole or in part, where the required assessment by the NIRB has not been completed; regulatory authorities are also not authorized to issue a licence, permit or other authorizations in respect of a project where the required assessment by the NIRB has not been completed

The Board further notes that if the requested information is not received within three years from March 27, 2020, the assessment of the project will be terminated as per s. 144(3) of the *NuPPAA*.

Should you have any questions regarding the suspension of this assessment or require clarification regarding how to address the outstanding information requirements for this file, please contact the NIRB's Manager, Impact Assessment, Sophia Granchinho, directly at (867) 857-4829 or sgranchinho@nirb.ca.

Sincerely,



Tara Arko
Director, Technical Services
Nunavut Impact Review Board

Attachment: Appendix A: File History

Enclosures (2): Information Request letters (April 9, 2020 and May 21, 2020)

cc: The Honourable Lorne Kusugak, Minister of Community & Government Services, Government of Nunavut
Robert Chapple, Community & Government Services, Government of Nunavut
Peter Scholz, Nunavut Planning Commission

APPENDIX A: FILE HISTORY

DATE	CORRESPONDENCE
March 27, 2020	NIRB e-mail to Proponent requesting Proponent complete online application.
April 9, 2020	Information Request Letter #1 requesting information be submitted by April 23, 2020.
May 21, 2020	Information Request Letter #2 requesting information be submitted by May 28, 2020.
June 11, 2020	Follow-up email from the NIRB to the Proponent requesting an update on when online application will be completed.
June 26, 2020	Follow-up email from the NIRB to the Proponent requesting an update on when online application will be completed.
June 26, 2020	Proponent responded to information request letter indicating that information will be delayed until government has decided on next step of the project.