



COMMENT FORM FOR NIRB SCREENINGS

The Nunavut Impact Review Board (NIRB) has a mandate to protect the integrity of the ecosystem for the existing and future residents of Nunavut. To assess the environmental and socio-economic impacts of the project proposal, NIRB would like to hear your concerns, comments and suggestions about the following project proposal application:

Project Proposal Title:	Izok Corridor Exploration Project		
Proponent:	MMG Resources Inc		
Location:	Kitikmeot		
Comments Due By:	July 15, 2025	NIRB #:	25EN034

Indicate your concerns about the project proposal below:

<input type="checkbox"/> no concerns	<input type="checkbox"/> traditional uses of land
<input type="checkbox"/> water quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Inuit harvesting activities
<input type="checkbox"/> terrain	<input type="checkbox"/> community involvement and consultation
<input type="checkbox"/> air quality	<input type="checkbox"/> local development in the area
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> wildlife and their habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> tourism in the area
<input type="checkbox"/> marine mammals and their habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> human health issues
<input type="checkbox"/> birds and their habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fish and their habitat	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> heritage resources in area	_____

Please describe the concerns indicated above:

The Wildlife Management Plan submitted by MMG Resources Inc. (MGG) has not been updated since 2011. It should be revised to align with the most recent Project Description (2025), incorporate current wildlife mitigation practices, and include relevant recommendations from existing range plans for caribou herds within the project area.

The current Wildlife Management Plan does not include recommendations from the Bathurst Caribou Range Plan that was published by the Department of Environment and Climate Change of the Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT-ECC) in 2019. As part of the implementation of the Bathurst Caribou Range Plan, GNWT-ECC developed a draft Mobile Caribou Conservation Measures (MCCM) Implementation Framework and Operational Guidance in 2022. These documents are meant to provide guidance to land use operators on planning, monitoring, and undertaking land use activities within the Bathurst range in a way that avoids and minimizes sensory disturbance to barren-ground caribou.

MCCMs are intended to apply to generally smaller-scale operations or early to mid-stage exploration programs in the Northwest Territories. In Nunavut, MCCMs are currently being implemented by Blue Star Gold Corp. (Ulu-Hood River Project), B2Gold (Back River Project), and West Kitikmeot Resources Corp. (Grays Bay Road and Port/Arctic Security Corridor). Monitoring and adaptive mitigation approaches analogous to MCCMs have also been implemented for the Meadowbank and Meliadine Projects in Nunavut (Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. 2017; Golder 2014).

