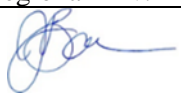




COMMENT FORM FOR NIRB SCREENINGS

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: Responses of Permafrost Microbial Communities to Climate-Driven Thaw	
Proponent: Thompson Rivers University	
Location: Kitikmeot and Qikiqtani Regions	
Comments Due By: July 28, 2025	NIRB #: 25YN051
Indicate your concerns about the project proposal below: <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no concerns <input type="checkbox"/> water quality <input type="checkbox"/> terrain <input type="checkbox"/> air quality <input type="checkbox"/> wildlife and their habitat <input type="checkbox"/> marine mammals and their habitat <input type="checkbox"/> birds and their habitat <input type="checkbox"/> fish and their habitat <input type="checkbox"/> heritage resources in area </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> traditional uses of land <input type="checkbox"/> Inuit harvesting activities <input type="checkbox"/> community involvement and consultation <input type="checkbox"/> local development in the area <input type="checkbox"/> tourism in the area <input type="checkbox"/> human health issues <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ _____ _____ </div> </div>	
Please describe the concerns indicated above: 	
Do you have any suggestions or recommendations for this application? Transport Canada reviewed the project proposal and does not have any comments to submit, as none of the project components fall within Transport Canada's mandate. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this project.	
Do you support the project proposal? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional comments? Not applicable	
Name of person commenting: Jackie Barker of Winnipeg	
Position: Regional Env. Advisor	Organization: Transport Canada
Signature: 	Date: July 23, 2025