

May 3, 2018

Joe Enook MLA of Tununiq Government of Nunavut PO Box 1200 Iqaluit, NU XOA 0H0

Delivered Via Email: jenook@assembly.nu.ca

Dear Mr. Enook,

RE: Correspondence concerning the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan in relation to the Mary River Project

Thank you for your letter dated March 26, 2018 and for bringing your concerns to our attention.

We understand the importance of the Mary River Project to the community of Pond Inlet and the impact of the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan.

Going forward we will ensure the Mayor, the Municipal Council of Pond Inlet, the community's MLA, and Nunavut's federal Parliamentarians are copied on future correspondence in Inuktitut and English concerning the amendment of the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan in relation to the Mary River Project. Please note that participants in the public review of the proposed amendment to the North Baffin Regional Land Use Plan have been receiving materials associated with the review through a separate distribution.

I would also like to clarify that correspondence associated with this proposed amendment is separate from the decisions related to individual project proposals that the Commission regularly issues, and anyone interested in receiving notifications for specific land uses in specific areas are able to sign up for them through our online public registry.

Respectfully,

Andrew Nakashuk

Chairperson, Nunavut Planning Commission

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CC: Joshua Katsak, Mayor, Municipality of Pond Inlet

Council Members, Municipality of Pond Inlet

Aluki Kotierk, President, Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated

PJ Akeeagok, President, Qikiqtani Inuit Association

The Honorable Paul Quassa, Premier of Nunavut

The Honorable Joe Savikataaq, Minister of Environment, Government of Nunavut

Megan Lord-Hoyle, Director Corporate Sustainability, Baffinland Iron Mines Corp

Elizabeth Copland, Chairperson, Nunavut Impact Review Board

Hunter Tootoo, Member of Parliament for Nunavut

The Honorable Carolyn Bennett, Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs,

Government of Canada

Dennis Patterson, Senator for Nunavut