



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REVIEW BOARD

PUBLIC NOTICE

For the Proposed

INUVIK to TUKTOYAKTUK HIGHWAY PROJECT REVIEW

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Review Board Announces Panel Membership for the Inuvik to Tuktoyaktuk Highway Environmental Impact Review

The Environmental Impact Review Board (Review Board) is pleased to announce that it has appointed five individuals to the Review Panel for the completion of the Environmental Impact Review of the proposed Hamlet of Tuktoyaktuk, Town of Inuvik, and GNWT - Construction of the Inuvik to Tuktoyaktuk Highway, Northwest Territories.

The Review Panel is made up of the following members of the Review Board:

- ✧ Chairperson Elizabeth Snider
- ✧ Herbert Felix
- ✧ Roland Kikoak
- ✧ Cathy Cockney
- ✧ Bruce Chambers

The Review Panel will complete the Public Review on behalf of the Review Board, in accordance with the Inuvialuit Final Agreement. It is comprised of 5 of the permanent members, two appointees of Canada, two appointees of the Inuvialuit and the Chairperson. Decisions of the Review Board are to be made by majority vote of the appointed Review Panel.

The Review Panel will hold Public Hearings in the communities of Tuktoyaktuk and Inuvik in September 2012. Information about the timing and location of these hearings will be provided to all parties and the public at a later date.

Background

The proposed Construction of the Inuvik to Tuktoyaktuk Highway, Northwest Territories was referred to the Environmental Impact Review Board by the Environmental Impact Screening Committee in April 2010. The Review Board is mandated by the Inuvialuit Final Agreement to review projects referred to it and on the basis of the evidence and information before it and shall recommend whether or not the development should proceed and , if it should, on what terms and conditions, including mitigative and remedial measures. The Review Board is conducting a substituted Review process and is therefore required to satisfy the requirements of the Inuvialuit Final Agreement and the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*.

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