



February 11th, 2019

NWT Power Corporation
P.O. Box 2250
YELLOWKNIFE, NT X1A 2P7

Attention: Mr. Rob Sunderland

**Re: Land Use Permit MV2017X0005
Bluefish Lake Hydro Facility
Bluefish Lake, NT**

Dear Mr. Sunderland,

An inspection of the Bluefish Winter Road was conducted by Inspector Clint Ambrose on February 6th, 2019. The inspection was carried out to ensure operating conditions annexed to the above noted land use permit are being adhered to during this land use operation. The Inspector met with Mr. Clinton Westgard of CJ Contracting Ltd. (Contractor) and all findings of the inspection were discussed.

Winter road construction is complete and no concerns were noted during the inspection since the requirements of Condition #11 have now been met. Your copy of the Environmental Inspection Report is enclosed and should be self-explanatory.

Once use of the winter road ceases in the Spring of 2019, the Permittee must provide the Inspector notice (Condition #8) so that a final inspection can be scheduled.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the undersigned at (867) 767-9188 or Mr. Brandon Bradbury at (867) 767-9187 ext. 24193.

Sincerely,

Clint Ambrose
Manager, Resource Management (Inspector)
North Slave Regional Office
GNWT – Department of Lands

cc: MVLWB



ENVIRONMENTAL INSPECTION REPORT

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| Permittee: | NWT Power Corporation | Inspection Date: February 6 th , 2019 |
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| | | Permit Expiry Date | Last Previous Inspection |
| Land Use Permit No. | MV2017X0005 | April 5 th , 2022 | February 4 th , 2019 |
| Quarry Permit No. | | | |
| Contractor: | CJ Contracting Ltd. | Subcontractor: | |

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| Location(s) Inspected: | Winter road from McMeekan Bay to the Bluefish Hydro Facility at the north end of Prosperous Lake. |
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| Current Stage of Operation: | Winter road construction is complete and all equipment has been demobilized. |
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| Program Modifications Approved: | |
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Condition of Operation "A" - Acceptable "U" - Unacceptable "N/A" - Not Applicable

| | Operating Condition | Aspect Inspected | | | Condition |
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| | | Winter Road | | | |
| A | Location and Area | A | | | |
| B | Time | A | | | |
| C | Type and Size of Equipment | A | | | |
| D | Methods and Techniques | A | | | |
| E | Type, Location, Capacity and Operation of All Facilities | A | | | |
| F | Control or Prevention of Ponding of Water, Flooding, Erosion, Slides and Subsidence of Land | A | | | |
| G | Use, Storage, Handling and Ultimate Disposal of Any Chemical or Toxic Material | A | | | |
| H | Wildlife and Fisheries Habitat | A | | | |
| I | Storage, Handling and Disposal of Refuse or Sewage | A | | | |
| J | Protection of Historical, Archeological and Burial Sites | A | | | |
| K | Objects and Places of Recreational, Scenic or Ecological Value | N/A | | | |
| L | Security Deposit | A | | | |
| M | Fuel Storage | A | | | |
| N | Methods and Techniques for Debris and Brush Disposal | A | | | |
| O | Restoration of the Lands | A | | | |
| P | Display of Permits and Permit Numbers | A | | | |
| Q | Matters Not Inconsistent With the Regulations | A | | | |
| R | Sections 8 to 16 M.V.L.U.R. | A | | | |



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| Date: February 6 th , 2019 | Permit#: MV2017X0005 |
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Explanatory Remarks

An inspection of Bluefish Winter Road was conducted by Inspector Clint Ambrose on February 6th, 2019. The inspection was carried out to ensure operating conditions annexed to the above noted land use permit are being adhered to during this land use operation. The Inspector met with Mr. Clinton Westgard of CJ Contracting Ltd. (Contractor) and all findings of the inspection were discussed.

It was noted during the February 4th, 2019 inspection that the portages required further icing to meet the requirements of Condition #11 of the land use permit. The Inspector is pleased to report that compliance has now been achieved and the winter road is in an acceptable condition to allow for the movement of vehicles. The Contractor's efforts to continue watering portages after the previous inspection is appreciated.

The remaining piece of equipment, the Terra Gator, was in the process of being de-mobilized from the land use area at the time of the inspection and no concerns were noted since no obvious hydrocarbon spills were observed, all equipment has been removed from the land use area, a spill log was provided to Inspectors, and no garbage or debris was present.

Overall, the Inspector was pleased with the Contractor's environmental diligence during this land use operation and it is anticipated that the Permittee will continue to comply with all operating conditions annexed to the permit for the remainder of the 2019 winter road operation.

Once use of the road ceases in the Spring, the Inspector must be provided advance notice (Condition #8) so that a final inspection can be scheduled.

Completed off Site
Representative's Signature

Clint Ambrose
Inspector


Inspector's Signature



Photo #1 - MV2017X0005 - NTPC - Bluefish Winter Road
Looking north at the first portage along the route. Sufficient icing was present.



Photo #2 - MV2017X0005 - NTPC - Bluefish Winter Road
Looking north at the portage at the north end of Prosperous Lake. Additional icing occurred since the last inspection.