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File: **G18X005**

Attention: Noel Voykin
NWT Energy Corporation (03) Ltd.
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Sent by email

Mr. Voykin,

Re: Inuvik Wind Project - Information Request – Land Use Permit Application G18X005

On December 5, 2019 the Gwich'in Land and Water Board (GLWB or the Board) received a Motion from the [Nihtat Gwich'in Council \(NGC\)](#) under the *Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board Rules of Procedure*. NGC requested that the Board issue a Directive to NWT Energy (03) Corporation Ltd. (NTEC) to provide particulars in respect of its right to occupy the land related to Land Use Permit Application G18X005. This information is necessary for NTEC to prove eligibility to receive a permit in accordance with section 18 of the *Mackenzie Valley Land Use Regulations* (MVLUR).

Based on the evidence filed to date, it is not clear to the Board that NTEC satisfies the eligibility requirements set out under paragraph 18(b) of the MVLUR. As a result, instead of proceeding with the NGC Motion, the Board is issuing the Information Request set out below.

Please provide the following information to the GLWB prior to December 17, 2019:

1. evidence or lawful authority that indicates the proposed Project is on Commissioner's Land;
2. evidence or lawful authority that indicates the proposed Project area is reserved for NTEC use;
3. evidence or lawful authority indicating that the reservation of the proposed Project Area is not considered a disposition under Land Withdrawal Order R-065-2014; and
4. evidence or lawful authority that indicates NTEC has a right to occupy land and is therefore eligible to receive a permit in accordance with 18(b) of the MVLUR.

The GLWB will continue with this Proceeding upon receipt of the above-requested information. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (867) 777-4954 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alec Sandra Macdonald
Regulatory Specialist

CC: GLWB Distribution List