

June 2, 2023

Mayor Kyle Wolki Hamlet of Sachs Harbour P.O. Box 90 Sachs Harbour, NT X0E 0Z0

Dear Mayor Wolki:

Re: N7L3-1531 Hamlet of Sachs Harbour - Municipal Water Licence - 2022 Annual Report

The Inuvialuit Water Board (IWB) acknowledges receipt of N7L3-1531 Hamlet of Sachs Harbour Municipal Water Licence 2022 Annual Report on May 29, 2023. The IWB appreciates the Hamlet of Sachs Harbour submission of the annual report. Upon review, information gaps have been identified. As per the Hamlet of Sachs Harbour's Municipal Water Licence N7L3-1531, please provide the following information:

- 1. Part B, Item 1 f): tabular summaries of all data collected under the Surveillance Network Program (SNP) Stations:
 - a. 1531- 2 (i.e., Effluent discharge from existing Sewage Waste Disposal Facilities, and
 - b. 1531-3 (i.e., Run-off from existing Solid Waste Disposal Facilities).
 - If samples were not collected during 2022 reporting year from SNP Stations 1531-2 and 1531-3, please provide reasons why. For example: "no runoff was observed and / or no sample was collected due to weather etc." or other reasons. Note: The SNP sampling of all licences is critical for tracking effluent data. For SNP sampling and analysis requirements please see Hamlet of Sachs Harbour's Municipal Water Licence N3L7-1531 Annex A: Surveillance Network Program (SNP).
- 2. Part B, Item 1 j): a description of the status and results of any studies requested by the Board and a brief description of any future studies planned. Note: If this information is not applicable for the 2022 reporting year, indicate in your response: "No studies requested by the Board during 2022 reporting year, and no future studies planned" or "n/a").
- 3. Part B, Item 1k): any updates and/or revisions to the:
 - o approved Unauthorized Discharge or "(Spill)" Contingency Plan;
 - o approved Solid Waste Disposal Facility Operation and Maintenance Plan;
 - o approved Sewage Waste Disposal Facility Operation and Maintenance Plan:
 - o approved Hazardous Waste Management Plan; and
 - approved Closure and Reclamation Plan.

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Note: If there are no revisions to the above-mentioned Board approved Plans during the 2022 reporting year (i.e., January 1, 2022, to December 31, 2022), please indicate in your response: "No updates during the 2022 reporting year".

- 4. Part B, Item 1 I) results of Hamlet staff inspections on all water supply and waste disposal facilities authorized under this Licence; and any corrective actions, as necessary.
- 5. Part B, Item 1 m) all correspondence between the Inspector and the Licensee. Note: If there is no correspondence during 2022 reporting year (i.e., January 2022 to December 2022) between Inspector and the Licensee, indicate in your response: "there is no correspondence between the inspector and the licensee during 2022 reporting year".

Also please note the submitted annual report cover page indicated "Annual Report for the Year 2022 - 2023", which is incorrect. As per the Hamlet of Sachs Harbour's Municipal Water Licence N7L3-1531 Part B: General Conditions, Item 1, the report covers the calendar year January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022. Therefore, it should read: "Annual Report for the Year January 1 to December 31, 2022".

The above-mentioned information is a requirement for annual reporting and a condition of the municipal water licence. The submitted documents, including all related IWB correspondence, will be placed on the IWB Public Register. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact me at 867-678-8610 or adhikarib@inuvwb.ca or Mardy Semmler, Executive Director, at 867-678-8609 or semmlerm@inuvwb.ca.

Sincerely,

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