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December 18, 2019

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson Environment and Climate Change Canada Government of Canada

Dear Jonathan Wilkinson:

Re: NWMB decision on the proposed listing of Harris's Sparrow as a species of Special Concern under the federal *Species at Risk Act*

NWMB Decision

On December 4, 2019, at the Nunavut Wildlife Management Board's (NWMB or Board) Regular Meeting (RM004-2019), Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) provided an oral presentation and a briefing note requesting the NWMB's approval of the proposed listing of Harris's sparrow as a species of Special Concern under the federal Species at Risk Act (SARA).

At the NWMB's In-Camera Meeting (IC004-2019) on December 5, 2019, the Board considered the proposal and made the following decision:

RESOLVED that the Nunavut Wildlife Management Board approve, pursuant to Section 5.2.34(f) of the Nunavut Agreement, the designation of Harris's sparrow as a species of Special Concern under the federal Species at Risk Act.

Rationale for the NWMB decision

The Board took into consideration ECCC's presentation, briefing note, the summary of community consultations, responses to consultations from communities and comanagement partners, and the 2017 COSEWIC Assessment and Status Report on the Harris's Sparrow.

In reaching its decision, the Board considered that:

- Analysis of Christmas Bird Count data indicates that there has been a long-term decline in population size of 59% over the past 35 years and a 16% decline over the last decade.
- Most of the identified threats occur outside the Nunavut Settlement Area.

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- The affected communities were consulted on the proposed listing.
- It is not a known harvested species in Nunavut.
- Inuit harvesting rights under the *Nunavut Agreement* will not be affected if Harris's sparrow is listed as Special Concern under SARA.

Conclusion

The NWMB is now forwarding its decision to you, for your consideration pursuant to the terms of the *Nunavut Agreement*. Please contact the NWMB if you or your officials have any questions concerning the contents of this letter.

Sincerely,

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Chairperson

Nunavut Wildlife Management Board

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