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Dear Mr. Shewchuk,

I am writing in response to your correspondence of December 8, 2025, regarding the Nunavut Wildlife Management Board's decision to approve modifications to the 2019 Greenland Halibut Integrated Fisheries Management Plan to include quota carry forward provisions in Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization (NAFO) Subarea 0 (SA0), whereby harvesters may carry forward up to 15 per cent of their quota, in eligible years.

I am pleased to accept the NWMB's decision and appreciate the Board's continued collaboration and cooperation in the sustainable management of our shared Greenland halibut resources.

Yours sincerely,

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