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July 2, 2019

Mr. Daniel Shewchuk Chairperson Nunavut Wildlife Management Board P.O Box 1379 Igaluit, NU X0A 0H0

Dear Mr. Shewchuk:

Re: Government of Nunavut's Proposal to Increase the Total Allowable Harvest for Muskoxen in Management Unit MX-08 from 66 to 275

Thank you very much for your decision concerning an increase to the Total Allowable Harvest (TAH) for the Muskoxen in Muskox Management Unit MX-08.

To reiterate the decision of the NWMB:

 "RESOLVED that the NWMB approves, pursuant to Sections 5.2.33(d) and 5.6.17(a) of the Nunavut Agreement, an increase to the community total allowable harvest for muskoxen in management unit MX-08, from 66 to 275 muskoxen.

I hereby accept your decision to approve an increase to the TAH in the Nunavut settlement area of Muskox Management Unit MX-08 from sixty-six (66) to two hundred and seventy-five (275) muskoxen.

I will implement this TAH decision effective July 1, 2019 and the TAH will be put into regulation and be implemented as a final decision. This decision will remain in place until I receive a new NWMB decision following the submission of updated population information.

I trust that our collaborative work will continue in the implementation of this management decision and I appreciate the efforts that have been put forth in its creation.

Sincerely.

Joe Savikataaq,

Minister

Cc. Jimmy Noble Jr. - Deputy Minister, Department of Environment, Government of Nunavut (GN)