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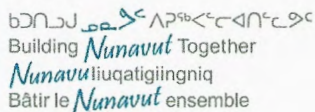
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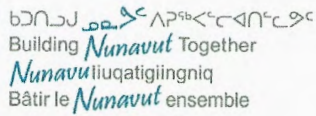


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Conserving wildlife through the application of Inuit Qaujimajatuqangit and scientific knowledge

March 29th 2018

Honourable Joe Savikataaq
Minister of Environment
Government of Nunavut

Dear Minister Joe Savikataaq:

Re: Nunavut Wildlife Management Board decisions concerning the regional total allowable harvest for the Baffin Bay polar bear subpopulation

1. THE NWMB DECISIONS

On March 08th 2018, during its In-Camera meeting (IC001-2018) in Iqaluit, the Nunavut Wildlife Management Board (NWMB or Board) considered the Government of Nunavut-Department of Environment's (Department of Environment) *Proposal for NWMB Decision* (Proposal) concerning the regional total allowable harvest of the Baffin Bay (BB) polar bear subpopulation. The Proposal is to: (1) increase the regional total allowable harvest for the Baffin Bay polar bear subpopulation from 65 to 80 bears, (2) change the current non-quota limitation from a 2:1 (two males harvested for every female harvested) to a 1:1 (one male harvested for every female harvested) harvest ratio, and (3) in the case of overharvest of females or males, deduct the same number of females or males overharvested from the next year's allocation. At this meeting, the NWMB passed the following resolutions:

RESOLVED that the NWMB, pursuant to Sections 5.5.3(a), 5.6.16, and 5.6.17(b) of the *Nunavut Agreement*, approve an increase by fifteen (15), to the total allowable harvest in the Nunavut Settlement Area for the Baffin Bay polar bear subpopulation—resulting in an overall regional total allowable harvest of 80 bears/year.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the NWMB approve, pursuant to Section 5.6.48 of the *Nunavut Agreement* a *modification to the harvest sex ratio* for the Baffin Bay polar bear subpopulation from a 2:1 (two males harvested for every female harvested) to a 1:1 (one male harvested for every female harvested) harvest ratio.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the NWMB approve, pursuant to Section 5.6.48 of the *Nunavut Agreement* a *modification to the annual flexible quota calculation*: in the case of overharvest of females or males—that the same number of females or males overharvested are deducted from the following year's tag allocation.





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