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RE: Letter of July 12 regarding Finalizing the Total Allowable Harvest (TAHs) and Non-Quota Limitations (NQLs) in the draft Regulations and Orders made pursuant to the Wildlife Act

Dear: Mr. Tigullaraq

Thank you for your July 12, 2006 letter regarding the scheduled special meeting No. 12 to take place in the two sessions on September 25-28, and October 23-25, 2006.

I acknowledge receipt of the revised schedule, ad-hoc procedures and proposed agenda, and can confirm that they raise no concerns for the Department of Environment. My department has already submitted translated copies of the documents that comprise our submission for this meeting, with the exception of the additional justification that you requested. This additional document will be submitted to you in English and Inuktitut prior to the August 11, 2006 deadline.

I look forward to the upcoming process and to furthering progress on this important legislation project.

Sincerely,

Patterk Netser

Cc Paul Okalik, Premier of Nunavut
Paul Kaludjak, President, Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated
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