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**Draft Sahtu Land Use Plan Amendment Application**

The Sahtu Land Use Planning Board (Board) provided the Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) a 60 calendar day period to review and comment on the Draft Sahtu Land Use Plan Amendment Application (the Amendment). In particular, the Board asked the GNWT to identify and resolve obstacles that would prevent approval of the final submission.

The GNWT requests a deadline extension for submitting comments. The GNWT requires an additional 90 calendar day period to complete our review and provide comments. This would allow more time to coordinate with the other approving parties and wait until the establishment of the 18<sup>th</sup> Northwest Territories Legislative Assembly.

At this time, the GNWT has identified Conformity Requirement #14, as it relates to the amendment, as a matter that requires additional clarity. The GNWT would like to meet with Board staff to discuss Conformity Requirement #14 before providing comments. We will follow up to schedule a teleconference.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Darha Phillpot ([Darha\\_Phillpot@gov.nt.ca](mailto:Darha_Phillpot@gov.nt.ca)), Manager, Land Use Planning.

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