From: Chippett, Jamie

To: <u>Parsons, Andrew; Shea, Erin</u>
Subject: FW: IEAC Recommendations

Date: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:23:31 PM

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Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 2:23 PM

To: 'Carl McLean' <carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com>

Cc: Rodd Laing <rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com>; Isabella Pain <isabella.pain@nunatsiavut.com>

Subject: RE: IEAC Recommendations

### Hi Carl

Minister Parsons has spoken with all Indigenous groups and as he noted in call with your Minister a decision will needed to be taken by Government and we are engaged in that process now.

### Jamie

From: Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com>

Sent: Thursday, August 9, 2018 1:11 PM

**To:** Chippett, Jamie < <u>JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca</u>>

Cc: Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com >; Isabella Pain < isabella.pain@nunatsiavut.com >

**Subject:** RE: IEAC Recommendations

Hi Jamie, I can tell you we are getting extremely frustrated with the lack of action by your Minister in acting on the IEAC recommendations which the Minister has now has in his hands for 4 months. It's also been more than a month your Minister has had a letter from our Minister with no response. In our mind you are certainly not taking this seriously. When will the Minister be making a decision on the IEAC recommendations that he received in mid April?

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**From:** Chippett, Jamie [mailto:JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca]

**Sent:** Sunday, June 24, 2018 3:37 PM

**To:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com > **Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com >

Subject: Re: IEAC Recommendations

Carl,

I was out for a few days with an illness and am catching up on emails now. The Minister held a teleconference with Dr. Reimer on the day he spoke with your Minister and we are in midst of scheduling calls with other Indigenous groups. As Minister Parsons noted we have to consult with others within Government prior to decisions and that process has commenced.

Sorry for the delay in getting an update to you. We do appreciate the urgency and we are working through our due diligence process as quickly as we can given the significance of the subject matter and recommendations.

Jamie

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 18, 2018, at 9:43 AM, Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com > wrote:

Any word on getting decisions on the IEAC recommendations. We don't see the urgency from your end on this.

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**From:** Chippett, Jamie [mailto:JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca]

**Sent:** Tuesday, May 29, 2018 12:25 PM

**To:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com> **Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com>

Subject: RE: IEAC Recommendations

Hi Carl,

A meeting has been scheduled for next week between my new Minister and Dr. Reimer. We will be seeking to discuss recommendations with the Indigenous groups following that.

Regards, Jamie

**From:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com>

**Sent:** Friday, May 25, 2018 11:03 AM

**To:** Chippett, Jamie < <u>JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca</u>> **Cc:** Rodd Laing < <u>rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com</u>>

**Subject:** RE: IEAC Recommendations

Hi Jamie. As you know our department has a new Minister, Tony Andersen. We briefed our Minister this past week on this file. He indicated this issue is a priority for him and a decision by your Minister is past due. . Further to my emails below is there any updates on getting a decision on the recommendations put forward by the IEAC?

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**From:** Chippett, Jamie [mailto:JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca]

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 16, 2018 5:19 PM

**To:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com> **Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com>

**Subject:** Re: IEAC Recommendations

I was in touch with Dr. Reimer today to pass on that Minister Parsons wished to meet with him and that we would schedule it once we had concluded our briefings with the new Minister. This should happen fairly soon.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 16, 2018, at 4:26 PM, Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com > wrote:

Any updates on this in the last week?

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**From:** Chippett, Jamie [mailto:JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca]

Sent: Wednesday, May 09, 2018 4:01 PM

**To:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com>

**Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com >; Darryl Shiwak

<a href="mailto:darryl.shiwak@nunatsiavut.com">darryl.shiwak@nunatsiavut.com</a> **Subject:** RE: IEAC Recommendations

Carl.

We do appreciate the urgency. As you may be aware we had a change in Minister and the Honourable Andrew Parsons became our Minister on the day we were supposed to meet with Dr. Reimer. Our new Minister has reviewed the recommendations and asked for a detailed briefing which we intend to provide very shortly. I would anticipate re-engaging with Dr. Reimer shortly after that.

### Jamie

From: Carl McLean [mailto:carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 4:01 PM

**To:** Chippett, Jamie < <u>JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca</u>>

**Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com >; Darryl Shiwak

<darryl.shiwak@nunatsiavut.com> **Subject:** RE: IEAC Recommendations

Hi Jamie, it's been over a month since the Minister received the recommendations from the IEAC. When can we expect the Minister to make a decision on the recommendations? Your email below indicated the Minister was to meet with Dr. Reimer the week of April 23 and then with the indigenous groups after that. I would hope that both yourself and your Minister see the urgency in getting these decisions made. We are getting frustrated with the delays.

## Carl McLean

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**From:** Chippett, Jamie [mailto:JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca]

**Sent:** Thursday, April 19, 2018 11:07 AM

**To:** Carl McLean < carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com> **Cc:** Rodd Laing < rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com >

Subject: RE: IEAC Recommendations

Carl,

Thank you for your email. The recommendations are under review.

We are hoping to speak with Dr. Reimer next week. He is travelling back to Canada from the USA at present and he and I have been in touch with one another. The Minister has also publicly stated that he will meet with

the Indigenous groups in advance of any decision and that would be scheduled after we talk to Dr. Reimer.

Regards Jamie

**From:** Carl McLean [mailto:carl.mclean@nunatsiavut.com]

**Sent:** Thursday, April 19, 2018 10:22 AM

**To:** Chippett, Jamie < <u>JamieChippett@gov.nl.ca</u>> **Cc:** Rodd Laing < <u>rodd.laing@nunatsiavut.com</u>>

**Subject:** IEAC Recommendations

Good morning Jamie. The IEAC submitted their recommendations to the Minister on April 10, 2018. As time is of the essence are you able to give me an indication when the Minister will make a decision on the recommendations. In the letter from the IEAC the Chair, Ken Reimer offered to sit down with the Minister and explain in more detail how these recommendations were formulated. Has this meeting taken place as it is my understanding Mr. Reimer's present contract ends tomorrow. Additionally, some parties have said that the mitigation recommendation would need to go to a new environmental assessment. Your Minister has the authority to exempt projects from environmental assessment under your Environmental Assessment Act. I would also say that the work of the IEAC is more than adequate to compensate for not doing a legislated EA in this case as the discussion included all of the relevant experts, regulators and stakeholders through 9 months of research, debate and study. Unless you are willing to further delay the project we don't have much time to complete this mitigation before flooding and you / Nalcor need to get the necessary contracts in place soon.

I look forward to getting an update from you on where the decision process is at.

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