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December 13, 2021

Honourable Joanna Quassa
Minister Responsible for Qulliq Energy Corporation
Government of Nunavut

Re: Major Project Permit Applications – Kugaaruk and Chesterfield Inlet Power Plant Replacement

Dear Minister Quassa,

Pursuant to Section 18.1(2) of the *Qulliq Energy Corporation Act*, Qulliq Energy Corporation (QEC) requires ministerial approval in advance of undertaking a major capital project that has a total cost that exceeds $5 million. Please find attached two major project permit applications to construct two new power plants in Kugaaruk and Chesterfield Inlet for your review and consideration.

Given the age and condition of the existing power plants in these communities, Qulliq Energy Corporation (QEC) proposes to conduct plant replacements accordingly. The proposed upgrades will assist QEC in its continued drive to provide safe, reliable and cost effective power supply and support the continued growth of the aforementioned communities.

We respectfully request your consideration to give permission to move forward with these projects.

Sincerely,

Rick Hunt
President and CEO
Qulliq Energy Corporation