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Joseph Judas, Chair
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Dear Mr. Judas:

Joint Management Proposal for Sahtì (Bluenose-East) Ekwò Herd

The Tłıchǫ Government and Government of the Northwest Territories Department of Environment and Climate Change would like to submit to the Wek'èezhì Renewable Resources Board (WRRB) for review and recommendation, a joint management proposal for the Sahtì (Bluenose-East) Ekwò barren-ground caribou herd. The management proposal is for the period of July 2027 to June 2030.

We look forward to hearing from the WRRB on our proposal and are happy to contribute to Board proceedings on these caribou management and monitoring actions.

Sincerely,

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