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**Re: Bathurst Caribou Herd Management Proposal**

With the recent completion of the 2012 Bathurst Caribou herd calving ground survey, the Wek'èezhìi Renewable Resources Board (WRRB) understands that the final population estimate will be released in October 2012. As per Section 12.5.1 of the Tłı̨chǫ Agreement, the WRRB requests that any changes in current management actions arising from the 2012 Bathurst Caribou herd population estimate be submitted jointly by the Government of the Northwest Territories and the Tłı̨chǫ Government as a management proposal, per the Board's interim Rule for Management Proposals.

Upon receipt of the joint management proposal, the WRRB will determine the appropriate level of review required, per the interim Rule for Management Proposals. Until the Board's final recommendations are provided, the WRRB's October 2010 recommendations are to remain in place until March 31, 2013.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please do not hesitate to call our office any time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph Judas".

Joseph Judas  
Chair

Cc      Jack Bird, Assistant Deputy Minister, Environment & Natural Resources  
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