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**From:** Barnes, Marvin  
**Sent:** January 12, 2007 11:40 AM  
**To:** Hood, Bruce  
**Subject:** FW: Possible Screenings - Continental Stone Quarry Project - Belleoram, NL

**Importance:** High

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Is this guy for real? Do you know him??

Regards,

M. A. Barnes

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**From:** Maracle, Brett [CEAA] [mailto:Brett.Maracle@ceaa-acee.gc.ca]  
**Sent:** Friday, January 12, 2007 12:19 PM  
**To:** Barnes, Marvin  
**Cc:** Rodrigues, Vanessa [CEAA]; Robinson, David J. [CEAA]; Hood, Bruce: DFO XNCR  
**Subject:** FW: Possible Screenings - Continental Stone Quarry Project - Belleoram, NL

Hi Marvin - thanks for the wording provided earlier today, however the Agency feels that it does not give us comfort with respect to the potential for a screening to be referred to a review panel.

I have included some wording below from DFO that we have received with respect to other projects with respect to screenings outside of Comp Studies: I took this from the letter from John Cooley to the RDG of INAC (lead on Wollaston Lake road). We also received a similar letter for the Keltic LNG project.

"DFO, as a responsible authority and a department with expertise over fish and fish habitat, was consulted in the preparation of the track report. DFO is currently of the view that the potential for the necessity of a review panel, while not non-existent, is low.

DFO is committed to working with INAC and the province of Saskatchewan to ensure that one environmental assessment will address all federal and provincial EA responsibilities."

If you could provide wording similar to this to give the Agency comfort with the recommendation on the track report with respect to the DFO screenings, then it would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,  
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From: Robinson, David J. [CEAA]  
Sent: Friday, January 12, 2007 9:50 AM  
To: Maracle, Brett [CEAA]  
Subject: RE: Possible Screenings - Continental Stone Quarry Project - Belleoram, NL

If this is supposed to provide some comfort as to the unlikelihood of a referral to a panel, it doesn't do the trick. Perhaps we should share with Marvin one of the earlier letters from DFO?

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From: Rodrigues, Vanessa [CEAA]  
Sent: Friday, January 12, 2007 8:26 AM  
To: Maracle, Brett [CEAA]  
Cc: Coulter, Bill [CEAA]  
Subject: FW: Possible Screenings - Continental Stone Quarry Project - Belleoram, NL

Hi Brett,

Not sure this will help - I did my best to explain what we were looking for and why.

Vanessa

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From: Barnes, Marvin  
Sent: Friday, January 12, 2007 9:20 AM  
To: Rodrigues, Vanessa [CEAA]  
Cc: Decker, Randy; TC; Hood, Bruce; Powell, Shawna  
Subject: Possible Screenings - Continental Stone Quarry Project - Belleoram, NL

As per our discussions by telephone of this date, DFO has yet to receive a project description for Phase 1 of the Quarry development that outlines project components and therefore is unable at this time to determine if these components will result in a harmful alteration, disruption or destruction (HADD) of fish habitat and therefore constitute a Trigger under the CEAA.

When the proponent responds to DFO requests for information on the project description for Phase 1 of the quarry development (which I understand is not yet finalized) the information will be reviewed to determine if a HADD will result and a CEAA Review required.

While I am unable to make a definitive statement at this time as to the level assessment in the event a CEAA review is required, we do not currently anticipate any requirement beyond that of a screening for Phase 1. I will be able to confirm DFO's final position when the appropriate information once the appropriate information has been received from the proponent and reviewed by DFO.

Regards,

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