



**ACTION PLAN IMPLEMENTATION STATUS UPDATE  
REPORT TO THE EVALUATION, PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT AND REVIEW COMMITTEE  
AS OF JUNE 30, 2013**

Northern Affairs Organization			
<i>Evaluation of the Northern Contaminants Program and Northern Scientific Training Program</i>			
<b>APPROVAL DATE: 09/28/2012</b>			
PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS	ACTION PLAN	EXPECTED COMPLETION DATE	PROGRAM RESPONSE
	<p>3. A review of the NCP proposal review criteria, proposal template, and related processes, including the effectiveness of NCP's consultation requirements, as well as reporting requirements and template, will be carried out by the NCP Secretariat in consultation with the RCCs, NCP Aboriginal Partners, researchers and others as part of the annual review of NCP blueprints. This review will also be informed by the two initiatives described above. This review will result in improved proposal and reporting criteria and supporting initiatives that will be reflected in revisions to the Call for Proposals and supporting documentation.</p>	<p>Call for proposals material updated: <b>November 2012</b></p> <p>Recipient Reporting criteria templates updated with improved reporting criteria for effective engagement with communities: <b>January 2013</b></p>	<p><b>3A. Status:</b> Request to Close (Completed) <b>Update/Rationale as of 31/03/2013:</b></p> <p>Proposal review criteria, template and consultation documents updated and review by the NCP Management Committee for the release of the call.</p> <p><b>3B. Status:</b> Request to Close (Completed) <b>Update/Rationale as of 31/03/2013:</b></p> <p>Recipient reporting criteria templates have been updated in consultation with a working group of the Management Committee.</p> <p><b>AES: Close – Sufficient work as been done. Actions 1 and 2 are in the approval process</b></p>
<p>2. It is recommended that the NCP project proposal process be enhanced, in order to foster information sharing and collaboration on approved projects.</p>	<p>In order to ensure responsive and timely program and information posting, the NCP will provide funding to <a href="http://www.science.gc.ca">www.science.gc.ca</a>, the Government of Canada science portal, in order to foster better information sharing and collaboration with the public and NCP</p>	<p>The NCP Call for Proposals posted <b>November 2012</b></p> <p>The list of approved projects posted <b>May 2013</b></p>	<p><b>Status:</b> Request to Close (Completed) <b>Update/Rationale as of 31/03/2013:</b></p> <p>Call for Proposals materials posted November 2012.</p> <p><b>Status:</b> Request to Close (Completed)</p>

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	partners.	Other reports and materials as needed	<p><b>Update/Rationale as of 31/03/2013:</b> A list of approved projects will be posted after final decisions are made by the management committee April 2013.</p> <p><b>Update/Rationale as of 30/06/2013:</b> – Approved Projects posted June 6, 2013</p> <p><b>Status:</b> Request to Close (Completed) <b>Update/Rationale as of 31/03/2013:</b> The NCP Synopsis of Research for 2011-12 has been posted. This Synopsis provides a summary of the results from each NCP project.</p> <p><b>Update/Rationale as of 30/06/2013:</b> – Ongoing enhancements and posting of information on the website is in progress and will continue.</p> <p><b>AES: Close – Fully Implemented.</b> Key processes are in place while other actions are perpetual in nature.</p>