

February 6, 2020

**By Electronic Mail ONLY**

Carol DiBello, Submerged Lands Coordinator  
Submerged Lands Program, Bureau of Parks and Lands  
Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry  
22 State House Station  
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Bureau of Parks and Lands Reconsideration of Nordic  
Aquafarms, Inc. Submerged Lands Lease No. 2141-L-48.

Dear Coordinator DiBello:

In accord with the Waldo County Superior Court Order dated December 19, 2019, Nordic Aquafarms Inc. ("Nordic") submits the following updated information in support of the Bureau's reconsideration of specific findings in the Bureau's September 11, 2019 Final Findings ("Findings"). Specifically, as noted by the Court, design changes to the subtidal portion of the piping, most notably the anchoring for the piping. In support of the Bureau's reconsideration we enclose:

1. A Construction Narrative updated with signature by Cianbro;
2. A Pipeline Routing Memorandum from Nordic with exhibits (which exhibits were previously submitted on January 10, 2020 but are included here again for ease of reference); and
3. January 2020 Review Comments to the Maine DEP from the Department of Marine Resources regarding construction of the intake and discharge pipes.

As mentioned in my prior letter, it is possible that there will be design changes as the project proceeds through the permitting processes before Maine DEP/BEP and the ACOE and into final design and construction. However, it is not anticipated that there will be changes to the use or area conveyed such that would require amendment of final findings. As such, Nordic respectfully requests, pursuant to Section 1.7(B)(11) of the Submerged Lands Rules, that the Bureau expedite reconsideration to the extent feasible.

As also mentioned previously, the total dredging amounts remain approximately 35,000 cubic yards with approximately 25,000-30,000 cubic yards being replaced and approximately 5,000-10,000 cubic yards sent to upland disposal. Of that total, there has been no change to the approximately 4,000-8,000 cy from submerged lands that will be sent offsite for land based disposal as stated in the Bureau's Final Findings regarding Submerged Lands Dredging Lease No. 05-21DL.

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Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Joanna B. Tourangeau

cc: Attorney K.J.E. Tucker (electronic service only)