



**Tourism and Culture
PO Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 2C6**

CULTURAL SERVICES BRANCH

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January 13, 2022

TO: Dr. Erin Hobin (Public Health Ontario)
Habitat Management, Environment (V-5R)
Land Use Section, Lands Branch (K-320)
Regional Land Use Planning
Ta'an Kwäch'än Council
Kwanlin Dün First Nation
Liard First Nation
Kaska Dena Council
Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in
Health and Social Services
Arctic Institute of North America (ASTIS)

RE: Dr. Erin Hobin (Public Health Ontario)

Please be advised that the attached licence has been issued under the Yukon Scientists and Explorers Act (1958).

Due to the current pandemic, the licensee is required to follow the guidelines and recommendations and adhere to the orders and direction of Yukon's Chief Medical Officer of Health. This licence does not guarantee entry into Yukon, or entry into Yukon free of self-isolation requirements. Please visit <https://yukon.ca/covid-19> webpage for the latest information about COVID-19 in the Yukon, including travel information for people entering the Yukon and border restrictions during COVID-19.

Sincerely,

Brian Groves
Senior Manager, Heritage

Enclosure

**YUKON - CANADA
SCIENTISTS AND EXPLORERS ACT
LICENCE**

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Scientists and Explorers Act (1958) of the Yukon, permission is hereby granted to:

Dr. Erin Hobin (Public Health Ontario)

to enter Yukon to conduct scientific research with respect to:

Evaluating the impact of cannabis legalization in the Canadian territories.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. A complete, final report of the research conducted under this licence shall be submitted, in duplicate, within one year of completion or termination of the project.
 - a) A field or progress report as well as plain English summary, including descriptions or catalogues of collections made (where applicable) shall be submitted in duplicate, within two months following the expiry date written below.
 - b) The Licensee shall provide a copy of any report or article published on the research conducted under this licence to Heritage Resources Unit.
2. All camps shall be established according to the provisions of the Territorial Land Use Regulations.
3. All steps shall be taken to avoid unnecessary disturbance of wildlife.
 - a) No camp site shall be established within 2 km of an active raptor nest.
 - b) When using aircraft, maintain a minimum of 1,000 feet over wildlife such as sheep, raptor nests and migrating caribou.
 - c) Pay particular attention to bear habitat, and take all steps necessary to avoid contact with bears such as use of bear fence, bear-proof containers and maintain a clean camp.
 - d) All camps should be temporary/non-permanent with no structures, and entirely removed at the conclusion of the field work.
4. The Licensee shall meet with, inform and receive permission from First Nation(s) of the field activities conducted under this licence on their settlement land(s), and shall not proceed if permission is not gained from the First Nation(s). The Licensee shall provide a copy of any report or article published on the research conducted under this licence to the First Nation(s).
5. The Licensee shall strictly observe all applicable First Nation Settlement Land, Territorial and Federal legislation and regulations.
6. The licensee shall consult the <https://yukon.ca/covid-19> webpage for the latest information about COVID-19 in the Yukon. The licensee is required to follow the guidelines and recommendations and adhere to the orders and direction of Yukon's Chief Medical Officer of Health.

OTHER CONDITIONS:

- The proponent may need to obtain a TH Community Knowledge Research Agreement: contact the Director of Heritage, Debbie Nagano, at (867) 99307199 x 114
- TH also recommends contacting the Director of Wellness (Allison.Kormendy@trondek.ca)

THIS Licence is valid for the period **January 13th, 2022** to **December 31st, 2022**

DATED at the City of Whitehorse, in the Yukon Territory, this **13th day of January, A.D., 2022**



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