## TO NEEM STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS, DANISH AND GREENLANDIC AUTHORITIES.

PROJECT NEEM (C-12-5) – SITuation REPort (SITREP) no. 12, Sunday 29. July 2012.

This SITREP covers the period July 23 – July 29, 2012 (inclusive).

## Movement of personnel:

July 23 Jørgen-Peder Steffensen (DK), Nanna Steffensen (DK) from Kangerlussuaq to NEEM by 109<sup>th</sup> NYANG.

Dorthe Dahl-Jensen (DK), Nanna Steffensen (DK), Trevor Popp (DK), Steffen Bo Hansen (DK), Kaitlin Keegan (US) from NEEM to SFJ by 109<sup>th</sup> NYANG. Bryn P. Hubbard (UK) from SFJ to CPH by Airgreenland.

July 24 Trine Dahl-Jensen (DK), Trevor Popp (DK), Steffen Bo Hansen (DK) from SFJ to CPH by Airgreenland.

**July 25** Dorthe Dahl-Jensen (DK), Nanna Steffensen (DK) from SFJ to CPH by Airgreenland.

## Movement of cargo:

July 23 12600 lbs, Drill boxes, Viessmann + Stapi, garbage and empty drums, rack of ATO's from NEEM to SFJ by 109th NYANG.

July 24 2242 kg Ice core samples (63 boxes) from SFJ to Holbæk/DK by Airgreenland. Transport in Denmark by G.P. Spedition. AWB 631 0186 994 3 2200 lbs Drillers workshop Viessmann from NEEM to SFJ by 109th

**July 27** Cargo to Bremerhaven and UK picked-up by BlueWater. Cargo will leave Kangerlussauq by ship on August 04.

## **Activities:**

Packing down camp was the main activity this week. Drillers workshop was disassembled and sent out of camp. Drill trench was emptied and all installations and main elevator were removed. Carpenters garage was emptied and brackets and braces for movement of the garage were mounted.

The white weather port was excavated free of snow and ice, lifted up to the surface and disassembled. Snow hill for carpenter garage is being built. The roof over the drill site has been removed, bore hole casing has been fixed to vertical and the inclined trench in drill trench floor has been back filled with snow. Backfilling of drill trench is in progress. Small items were sorted out as rubbish and useful items. Rubbish will be sent to Kangerlussuaq and useful items will be documented and packed. Received one scheduled Skier and one training and had more retro-cargo sent out of camp. The skiway was groomed to remove tracks from the last couple of flights.

# Science:

Air sampling program still ongoing. Japanese pit study in progress.

## **Drilling:**

Activity is concluded.

# **Associated programs:**

Activity has stopped.

#### Weather at NEEM:

-14C - +1C, wind 2 – 26 knots mainly from S and SW, overcast and snow and at times drifting snow. Friday Night and all Saturday a very warm blizzard hit camp with a mixture of snow, rain and sleet.

**NEEM camp population: 11** 

### **NEEM iridium numbers:**

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Kangerlussuaq: Moving cargo and breaking down pallets. Organizing received cargo in warehouse according to cargo that will stay in Kangerlussuaq and cargo to be sent south. Garbage from NEEM camp brought to dump. Handled 2 flights to NEEM, one scheduled and one training. Received outgoing field crew and changed tickets at Air Greenland. 63 boxes of ice core samples were sent by Airgreenland to Holbæk/DK. Arranged pick-up by BlueWater of AWI cargo and cargo to UK going by ship on August 4. Maintained cars, clothes picked-up from laundry and retro-clothes brought in for cleaning. Signed up JP and Lars for a 5K Fun Run on August 19 at 10 O'clock.

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**Weather in Kangerlussuaq/SFJ**: Start of the week sunny and warm weather with temperature up to 20C. Mid week clouds came in. Showers. Temp. Around 15C. One... no zero mosquitoes left.

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