

WILDLIFE ACT

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MUSKOX TOTAL ALLOWABLE HARVEST ORDER

The Minister, in accordance with an accepted decision of the NWMB, under sections 120, 121, 156, 157 and 201 of the *Wildlife Act* and every enabling power, makes the annexed *Muskox Total Allowable Harvest Order*.

1. (1) A total allowable harvest is established for muskox in accordance with this Order.

(2) The level of the total allowable harvest is set out in column 3 of Schedule A and is expressed as a yearly limit allocated to a Muskox Management Zone.

(3) It is presumed that Inuit need the total allowable harvest established for muskox.
2. (1) The populations of muskox that are recognized in Nunavut are pictured in a map set out in Schedule B, using the abbreviations for the populations.

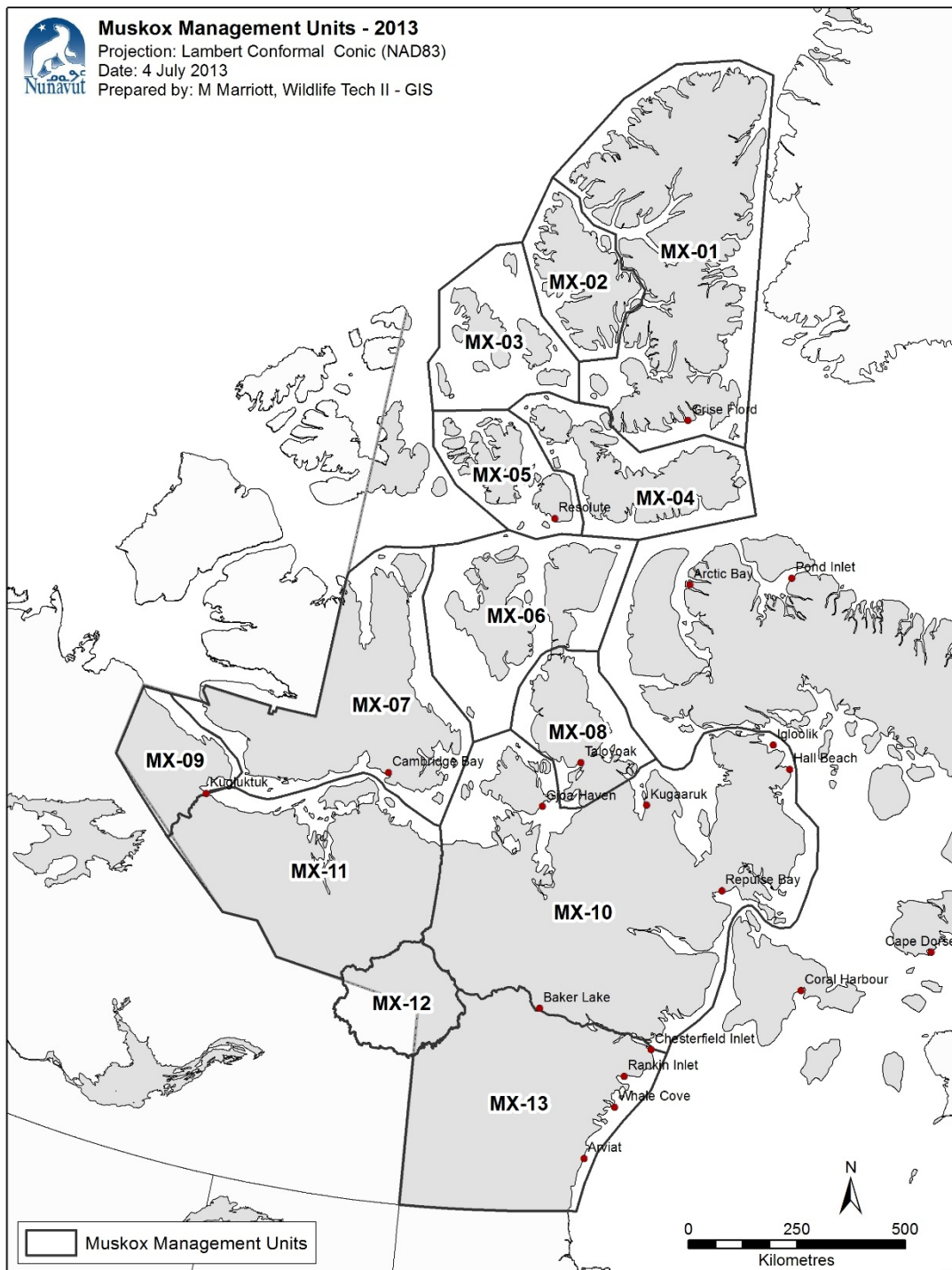
(2) A muskox found inside Nunavut within 30 km of the boundary of a muskox population may be presumed to come from either the population of the area it was found in or from the bordering one.
3. The following regulations are repealed:
 - (a) the *Big Game Hunting Regulations*, registered under the *Statutory Instruments Act* (Northwest Territories) as regulation numbered R-019-92, as duplicated for Nunavut by section 29 of the *Nunavut Act* (Canada); and
 - (b) the *Wildlife Management Muskox Areas Regulations*, R.R.N.W.T. 1990, c.W-11 as duplicated for Nunavut by section 29 of the *Nunavut Act* (Canada);
4. **This order comes into force on September 1, 2015.**

SCHEDULE A

Column 1 Muskox Management Zone	Column 2 Abbreviation	Column 3 Total Allowable Harvest (per year)
Ellesmere Group	MX-01	No total allowable harvest established
Axel Heiberg Group	MX-02	No total allowable harvest established
Ringnes Group	MX-03	No total allowable harvest established
Devon Group	MX-04	15
Bathurst Group	MX-05	30
Prince of Wales / Somerset Group	MX-06	No total allowable harvest established
Victoria Island Group	MX-07	400
Boothia Peninsula Group	MX-08	66
West of Kugluktuk Group	MX-09	20
Northeast Mainland Group	MX-10	190
Central Kitikmeot Group	MX-11	225
NWT/Kitikmeot/Kivalliq Group	MX-12	No total allowable harvest established
Southern Mainland Kivalliq Group	MX-13	182

SCHEDULE B

MUSKOX POPULATIONS



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