

## ASAMM-Beaufort – Flight 24 – 2 September 2017

Area flown: Block 1, 1 partial transect; block 2, 1 partial transect; block 3, 4 complete transects; block 11, 4 complete transects.

Total hours flown: 4.6

Total transect hours: 2.4

Number of bowhead whales seen: 0 (0 calves)

Weather and visibility: Skies were overcast to partly cloudy. Sea state ranged from Beaufort 2 to 4. Visibility ranged from 0 to 10 km, with fog and low ceilings. There was no sea ice in the area surveyed.

Sightings: Polar bears and small unidentified pinnipeds. The polar bears were primarily resting on barrier islands.

### Preliminary Summary, Flight 24 Date: Saturday, September 2, 2017

Total bowhead whales: 0	Start time: 9/2/2017 1:46:20 PM	End time: 9/2/2017 6:26:09 PM
Bowhead whale sightings: 0	Transect minutes: 145	Transect km: 545.8
Bowhead whales on transect: 0	Circling minutes: 0	Circling km: 0
Bowhead whale calves: 0	Trans+Circ minutes: 145	Trans+Circ km: 545.8
Bowhead whale calves on transect: 0	Search minutes: 8	Search km: 29.9
Bowhead whale repeats: 0	Total minutes: 277	Total km: 1232.3
Possible repeats: 0	Deadhead minutes: 125	Deadhead km: 656.6
Total gray whales: 0	Search blocks: 1,2,3,11	
Total belugas: 0	Transect blocks: 1,2,3,11	
Other whale sightings: 0		
Walrus: no		
Total polar bears: 5		

### Cetacean Sightings: None

