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Your file *Votre référence*

November 27, 2014

Our file *Notre référence*
PATH #14-HNFL-00483

Darren Hicks
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140 Water St., 4th Floor
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Dear Mr. Hicks: *Darren:*

Re: *Bridgeport and JEBCO North Flemish Pass Gravity Survey 2015-2019*

I am writing further to your November 17, 2014 email requesting review of the project description and draft scoping document for the above noted gravity gradiometry survey proposed for offshore NL (North Flemish Pass) for 2015 to 2019.

Based on review of the above noted documents please be advised that Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) is in possession of expert knowledge and advice related to fish, fish habitat, marine mammals, species at risk and fisheries that may inform the project environmental assessment.

Future correspondence on this environmental assessment can be addressed directly to me ■
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Yours sincerely, [Redacted]

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