

August 20, 2019

Mr. Steve Moran President and CEO Corridor Resources Inc. #301, 5475 Spring Garden Road Halifax, NS B3J 3T2

Dear Mr. Moran:

Re: Notice of Change to Federal Legislation and Implications for the *Corridor Resources Inc.*Drilling of an Exploration Well on the Old Harry Prospect – EL 1153 (previously EL 1105)

CEAR No. 11-01-60633

The Government of Canada recently announced that, on August 28, 2019, the new *Impact Assessment Act* (IAA) will come into force, repealing the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*, 2012 (CEAA 2012). The IAA contains transitional provisions that apply to projects undergoing an environmental assessment (EA) under the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*, 1992 (the 1992 Act). This letter is to inform you of the relevant transitional provision of the IAA and its applicability to the *Corridor Resources Inc. Drilling of an Exploration Well on the Old Harry Prospect – EL 1153* (previously EL 1105) CEAR No. 11-01-60633 (the Project).

Section 178 of the IAA states: "any screening of a project commenced under the 1992 Act in respect of which the responsible authority has not, before the day on which this Act comes into force, taken a course of action under section 20 of that Act is terminated."

Given the current status of the referenced EA for drilling on Exploration Licence 1153, the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board, as the responsible authority for this EA, will not be making a decision to take a course of action before the IAA comes into force on August 28, 2019. As such, the EA will be terminated on that date.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (709) 778-1455 or by email at mmoss@cnlopb.ca.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Melissa Moss

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