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To whom it may concern:

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The Mi'kmaq Confederacy of Prince Edward Island is the Tribal Council working for the advancement and protection of rights for Abegweit and Lennox Island First Nations on PEI. Accordingly we would like to provide our input into the ongoing discussion on potential oil and gas drilling in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Firstly we formally request that the two First Nations be properly consulted with as required by law in an issue which clearly has the potential to impact the rights of the communities under both their food, social and ceremonial fisheries and their commercial fishing rights.

We also support those parties that want to take time to debate and decide what is in the best interests of the Canadian people, the economy and the environment.

Please contact our organization through my office to proceed with further discussion.

Original signed by:

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