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Attachments: Hibernia 2013 Annual EA_Activity Review.pdf.pdf; Final EA Update 2013.pdf.pdf

Good Day All,

As part of the C-NLOPB's environmental assessment process, and as outlined in our Screening reports for multi-year projects, at the time of application for authorizations for works or activities that were previously assessed, Operators must provide environmental information to the Board. As stated in our screening reports, this information should outline the proposed activities, confirm that the proposed program activities fall within the scope of the previously assessed program, and indicate if, with this information, the EA predictions remain valid. In addition, the Operator shall provide information regarding the adaptive management of requirements of the SARA into program activities (e.g., introduction of new species or critical habitat to Schedule 1; additional mitigations; implementation of recovery strategies and/or monitoring plans).

Attached is a recent submission from Hibernia Management and Development Company Ltd. for proposed activities in 2013 that addresses the above information requirements. I am forwarding it for your information and to provide you with an update of their activities for this year. If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

Cheers
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