MEMORANDUM - NOTE DE SERVICE

To: Darren Hicks From: Jerry Pulchan Date: 31 August 2012

Subject: Multi Klient Invest AS - Northeast Newfoundland Slope Seismic Program 2012-2017,

Environment Canada's comments concerning proponent's response (27 August 2012) to

EA review

Darren,

Environment Canada does not have any further comments. However, we emphasize to the proponent that oil spills, regardless of magnitude, can have negative impacts to marine wildlife. Even if the risk of a spill is considered to be low by the proponent, this fact should be acknowledged and reflected in oil spill contingency plans and mitigation measures that are mandated by federal government departments.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding the above comments.

Sincerely,

Jerry Pulchan