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Mr. Darren Hicks, Environmental Analyst Canada Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board 5th Floor, TD Place 140 Water Street St. John's, NL A1C 6H6 Email: dhicks@cnlopb.nl.ca

Dear Mr. Hicks:

As requested, the Department of National Defence (DND) has reviewed the report entitled "Addendum Environmental Impact Assessment for Marine 2D Seismic Reflection Survey Labrador Sea and Davis Strait Offshore Labrador by Multi Klient Invest AS (MKI)" dated March 2012 and authored by RPS Energy. The report was provided digitally to DND by the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board on 20 March 2012.

DND has no further comments to offer. Should you have any questions or require any additional information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Carol Lee Giffin Formation Safety and Environmental Officer for Commander

