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Sent: Friday, August 16, 2013 10:14 AM
To: C-NLOPB
Subject: RE: Nalcor Energy Oil and Gas Geochemical Data Acquisition and Seabed Sampling Survey, Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Area, 2013-2018 Commencement on Environmental Assessment

Good Morning,

Transport Canada has reviewed the project description and has noted that the proponent has an awareness of their requirements under the Canada Shipping Act, 2001.

TC offers the following;

All project vessels must comply with the applicable regulations under the Canada Shipping Act, 2001 (CSA 2001) and applicable International Maritime Organization (IMO) standards.

More specifically:

- Project vessels registered in Canada must comply with all applicable provisions of the Regulations pursuant to the CSA 2001. In addition, the operation must comply with provisions under the Maritime Occupational and Health Regulations pursuant to Part II of the Canada Labour Code;
- Project vessels registered in a foreign country must apply for a Coasting Trade Permit issued under the Coasting Trade Act. This means that the vessel would comply with all applicable regulations under IMO Conventions. The Coasting Trade Permit is actually issued by Canadian Customs in consultation with CTA and TC.

Also, Section 5.2.8 of the Scoping Document covers the potential effects of marine vessels operating therefore TC has no further comments on the scoping document. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Cheers,

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Hello all: please see the attached project description, draft scoping document and letter requesting the identification of expertise for the above mentioned project. Please reply no later than close of business of August 29, 2013. If you have any questions please feel free to contact myself.

Cheers
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