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Dear Mr. Hicks:

As requested, the Department of National Defence (DND) has reviewed the document entitled "Amendment to the Environmental Assessment of StatoilHydro Canada Ltd. Exploration & Appraisal/Delineation Drilling Program for Offshore Newfoundland, 2008-2016".

DND has no comments to offer at this time.

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

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