From: NL DFA

Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2013 11:23 AM

To: C-NLOPB

Subject:RE: Suncor Eastern NL seismic program, 2014-2024

I have one comment on the scoping document pages 7-8 notes the following:

"Traditional historical fishing activity, including abundance data for certain species in this area, prior to the severe decline of many fish species (e.g., a general overview of survey results and fishing patterns in the survey areas for the last 20 years);"

Given that some of the commercial fish stocks in the project area closed in the early to mid-1990s than a review of the past 20 years will not adequately show the picture for all fisheries prior to the severe Decline. A review including the 1980s would provide a better historic fishing pattern.

Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture

From: C-NLOPB

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To: DFO; EC; TC; HC; DND; NRCan; NL DEOC; NL DNR; NL DFA

Cc: C-NLOPB

Subject: Suncor Eastern NL seismic program, 2014-2024

Hello all: please see the attached project description, DRAFT scoping document and letter from the C-NLOPB requesting comments and identification of expertise. Please provide a response by the close of business, October 30, 2013. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

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