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**Re: Suncor Energy's Eastern Newfoundland Offshore Area 2D/3D/4D Seismic Program, 2014-2024,
Environmental Assessment**

On December 23, 2013, Suncor Energy (Suncor) submitted to the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board (C-NLOPB) an environmental assessment report for proposed 2D/3D/4D seismic surveys for the Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Area from 2014 until 2024. The enclosed report "*Environmental assessment of Suncor Energy's Eastern Newfoundland Offshore Area 2D/3D/4D Seismic Program, 2014-2024*" (LGL December 2013) describes these activities for this area.

The environmental assessment report was completed in accordance with the scoping document prepared by the C-NLOPB on November 1, 2013.

Please review the enclosed environmental assessment report and forward comments to me no later than **February 21, 2014**. If you have any questions regarding the environmental assessment report, you may contact me (709-778-1431 or dhicks@cnlopb.nl.ca).

Yours truly,

Original signed by Darren Hicks

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Enclosure

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