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Dear Mr. Hicks:

As requested, the Department of National Defence (DND) has reviewed the report entitled "Addendum to the Environmental Assessment of Statoil's Geophysical Program for Jean d'Arc and Central Ridge/Flemish Pass Basins, 2011-2019" that was provided digitally to DND by the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board on 2 June 2011.

DND has no further comment 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