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Re: WesternGeco Canada Southeastern Newfoundland Offshore Area Seismic Program, 2015-2024 Environmental Assessment

On May 8, 2015, WesternGeco Canada (WesternGeco) submitted to the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board (C-NLOPB) an environmental assessment report for proposed 2D, 3D and/or 4D seismic surveys for the Southeastern Area of the Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Area from 2015 until 2024. The enclosed report "*Environmental Assessment of WesternGeco's Southeastern Newfoundland Offshore Seismic Program, 2015-2024*" (LGL May 2015) describes these activities for this area.

The environmental assessment report was completed in accordance with the scoping document prepared by the C-NLOPB on February 27, 2015.

Please review the enclosed environmental assessment report and forward comments to me no later than **June 24, 2015.** If you have any questions regarding the environmental assessment report, you may contact me (709-778-1431 or <u>dhicks@cnlopb.ca</u>).

Yours truly,

Original signed by Darren Hicks

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Enclosure

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