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**Attention: Douglas A. Larder, Q.C.**

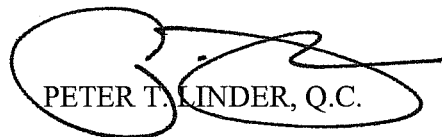
Dear Sir:

**Re: Proceeding Number 1457147; Coal Bed Methane (“CBM”)  
Review Hearing**

Further to the Board’s correspondence of October 2, 2006, Centrica Canada Limited (“Centrica”) estimates that it will require approximately 15 minutes to present its direct evidence. Centrica’s witness will not be presented to answer any questions in respect of the legal argument contained within its written Submissions.

With respect to estimates on the time required to conduct cross-examinations, we concur with the time estimates provided in Mr. Crowther’s October 6, 2006 letter sent on behalf of his clients Devon and Fairborne.

Yours truly,

  
PETER T. LINDER, Q.C.

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cc: Participants and Interested Parties  
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