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February 22, 2005

Ernie Smith, Resources Applications  
8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Alberta Energy and Utilities Board  
640 - 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue S.W.  
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Dear Sirs:

Re: General Bulletin 2003-28 ("GB 2003-28")  
Bitumen Conservation Requirements  
Athabasca Wabiskaw-McMurray  
Phase 3 Final Proceeding  
Proceeding No. 1347905

Further to Decision 2004-088 in the above matter dated October 14, 2004, as supplemented by Mr. Perkins' February 1, 2005 letter to all parties and counsel, this is to advise that Stylus Exploration Inc. ("Stylus") would be prepared to provide its response submission to the February 14, 2005 submission of the Staff Submission Group by March 22, 2005 and would request that the Phase 3 Final Hearing commence no sooner than May 1, 2005.

Stylus makes this submission recognizing that a number of other parties to the Phase 3 Final Proceeding will likely require much more time than Stylus to prepare for the Phase 3 Final Hearing and that it is the timing requirements of those parties that should be determinative as to the timing required to prepare response submissions and complete the Phase 3 Final Hearing.

Yours very truly,



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cc: Stylus Exploration Inc.  
Attn: Mr. P. Evans, President (via e-mail)