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Dear Sirs and Mesdames:

**Re: Application Nos. 1394112 and 1409180
Cold Lake Oil Sands Area – Clearwater Deposit**

The Alberta Energy and Utilities Board (Board) has asked that I provide you with the following information. Although the hearing regarding the above-mentioned applications will commence as scheduled on October 31, 2006, the Board will not sit the week of November 6, 2006 due to unforeseen circumstances but will continue the hearing on November 14, 2006 if necessary.

The Board noted in the submission of Husky Oil Operations Limited (Husky) dated September 5, 2006 that it is requesting the shut in of wells which are not part of the applications currently before the Board. Without the submission of a complete application that meets Board requirements, the Board will not consider the shut in request. However, the remainder of the Husky submission will be considered to be an intervention.

If an application for the shut in of the wells described in the Husky submission is received, the Board, in consultation with the interested parties, will determine whether that application may be joined with the above-mentioned applications for hearing.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours truly,

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