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TO: All Participants (See Attached List)

RE: Public Consultation Meeting

Place: Metropolitan Centre, 333- 4th Avenue SW. Calgary, AB

Time: July 3 and 4, 2003, commencing at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 3

The Board has considered requests for an adjournment of the above-noted meeting and confirms that it will be proceeding with the consultation meeting as set out in General Bulletin 2003-16. The Board will take all submissions into consideration in formulating a conservation policy for gas production in Oil Sands Areas.

This letter will serve to outline the procedure for the meeting and related matters.

The Board received 42 written submissions from interested parties pursuant to General Bulletins 2003-12 and 2003-16. Some parties provided submissions to both general bulletins and one party's submission contained a number of individual letters from interested persons. The order of oral presentations will be as described in Attachment A to this letter.

The Board will call upon parties in the order described in Attachment A and then reverse the order to provide an opportunity for participants to comment on the position of others. Each party will have a total of 45 minutes to both present its position when initially called upon and to provide remarks on the position of others. Participants may allocate the 45 minutes as they deem advisable between the two opportunities to speak.

All submissions that a party wishes to make regarding the substantive issues or aspects of the Board's process in formulating the appropriate policy must be made within that speaker's 45 minutes and during his or her turn in the order of presentations. The Board will be holding parties to the 45 minute time allotment.

Written submissions which have been filed in accordance with General Bulletins 2003-12 and 2003-16 are posted on the Board's website at:

<http://www.eub.gov.ab.ca/BBS/new/Projects/GasBitumenPolicy.htm>

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(403) 265-2550, or fax at (403) 237-0541 to make arrangements for these reporting services if you so wish.

Two conference rooms located near the hearing room will be available for parties.

General Bulletin 2003-16 contemplates a two day meeting, however, the meeting will continue on Saturday, July 5 and on the afternoon and evening of Monday, July 7 if additional time is required to accommodate the submissions. Each meeting day will have a mid-morning break for 20 minutes, one hour for lunch starting at 12:00 noon and a mid-afternoon break. The meeting will close at 6:00 p.m. each day with the exception of Monday, July 7 which may see the meeting extend into the evening if necessary.

If you have any questions about the format of the meeting, please contact me at (403) 297-7402.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Douglas A. Larder".

Douglas A. Larder
Associate General Counsel

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Attachment A

Order of Presentations

1. Alta Gas Services Inc.
2. BP Canada Energy Company
3. Canadian Forest Oils Ltd./ Producer Marketing Ltd.*
4. Canadian Natural Resources Limited
5. CP Services
6. Devon Canada
7. EnCana Corporation
8. Epact Exploration Ltd.
9. Giant Grosmont Petroleums Ltd.
10. Husky Oil
11. ISH Energy Ltd.
12. Paramount Energy Operating Corp.
13. Paramount Resources Limited
14. Paramount Energy Trust Unit Holders (11 individual unit holders)
15. PrimeWest Energy Inc.
16. Purcell Energy Ltd.
17. SEPAC
18. Stylus Exploration Inc.
19. Superman Resources Inc.
20. Talisman Energy
21. Taurus Exploration *
22. TriQuest Energy Corp.
23. Viking Energy Limited *
24. ConocoPhillips Canada Resources
25. Imperial Oil Resources
26. Japan Canada Oil Sands Limited
27. Nexen Canada Ltd.
28. Petro-Canada Oil and Gas
29. NOVA Gas Transmission Ltd.

* party indicated that no oral presentation would be made