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October 8, 2009

Mr. Terry Abel Energy Resources Conservation Board 8th Floor, 640-5th Avenue, SW Calgary, AB T2P 3G4

Dear Mr. Abel:

Re: StatoilHydro Canada Ltd. (formerly North American Oil Sands Corp.) Proposed Kai Kos Dehseh In-Situ Project ERCB Application No. 1523635 EPEA Application No. 001-241311 Water Act No. 00239880

In support of the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* (EPEA) Application No. 01-241311 the *Water Act* File No. 00239880 and the ERCB Application No. 1523635, Alberta Environment and associated government agencies have reviewed the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) report received on August 21, 2007 and Supplemental Information Request Responses received on July 28, 2008, March 31, 2009 and September 25, 2009.

Please be advised that I have deemed the EIA complete pursuant to Section 53 of EPEA.

Please contact me if you have any questions or wish to discuss Alberta Environment's review of the EIA report.

Sincerely,

Chris Powter Environmental Assessment Team Leader Northern Region (Designated Director under the Act)

cc: Pat Marriott (AENV) Doug Wong (AENV) Brent Welsh (AENV) Laura Hickman (ERCB) Julie Lefebvre (ASRD) Dani Walker (ASRD) Alex Mackenzie (AHW)

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