



Commission of Inquiry Respecting the Muskrat Falls Project

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NALCOR ENERGY SUBMISSION REGARDING COMMERCIAL SENSITIVITY

On December 18, 2019, Co-Counsel for the Commission of Inquiry Respecting the Muskrat Falls Project (“Commission”) provided Nalcor Energy with a copy of the Grant Thornton Forensic Audit Report - Construction Phase (“GT Report”) to enable it to assess, prior to its release to parties with standing, whether the GT Report discloses commercially sensitive information.

Following Nalcor’s review, Commission Co-Counsel and Nalcor Counsel met, but were unable to reach agreement on redactions to be made to the GT Report for commercial sensitivity.

Today Nalcor made an application to the Commissioner for a ruling on commercial sensitivity redactions for the GT Report. The application has been made in two parts, one of which does not contain any material that Nalcor considers commercially sensitive. That part of Nalcor’s application can be found on the Commission’s website as follows: <https://www.muskratfallsinquiry.ca/submissions>.

The application by Nalcor will be heard by the Commissioner at the Commission’s hearing room on the 3rd Floor, Beothuck Building, 20 Crosbie Place, St. John’s on Tuesday, January 22, 2019 at 1:00 pm. The hearing will be broadcast on the Commission’s website and the hearing room will be open to the public, unless the Commissioner subsequently orders otherwise. Parties with standing have been invited to make submissions, either in writing or orally, in response to Nalcor’s application.

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