Date: 4/24/2013 3:30:58 PM From: "Thompson, Robert"

To: "Heath, Daisy"
Subject: FW: Sanction

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From: Bown, Charles W.

Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2013 3:29 PM

To: Thompson, Robert **Cc:** Burt, Paula **Subject:** Sanction

Robert;

Canada has requested a letter confirming sanction of the MF project by the Govt. The proposed letter is attached for your consideration. JUS has approved.

Charles

April 23, 2013

Mr. Ed Martin President and CEO, Nalcor Energy Hydro Place, 500 Columbus Drive P.O. Box 12800 St. John's, NL A1B 0C9

RE: Sanction – Muskrat Falls Projects

The purpose of this letter is to formally advise that, on December 06, 2012, the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador gave approval to Nalcor Energy to sanction and proceed with the development of the Muskrat Falls Projects, including the Muskrat Falls plant, the Labrador Transmission Assets, Labrador-Island Link and the Maritime Link.

Robert Thompson

Clerk of the Executive Council and Secretary to Cabinet