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Ms. Kirsten Walli
Ontario Energy Board
PO Box 2319
27th Floor, 2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E4**Re: Electricity Transmission Infrastructure: The East-West Tie Line
Board File No: EB-2011-0140**

Dear Ms. Walli,

Goldcorp Canada Ltd ("Goldcorp") is writing in reply to the Board's letter of August 22, 2011, which invited participation in the transmission designation process for the East-West Tie Line project.

Goldcorp wishes to register as an observer to this proceeding. This process is of interest to our company as we are currently developing a transmission project in partnership with First Nations in Northwest Ontario. Goldcorp intends to only monitor this proceeding and will not request cost eligibility.

Please forward all communication with respect to this proceeding to the following contacts:

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Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Lawson'.Gil Lawson
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