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BY E-MAIL

Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street, Suite 2700
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Dear Ms. Walli,

RE: EB-2011-0140 – East West Tie Designation Proceeding

Further to the Board's Procedural Order No. 6, I am writing on behalf of Pic River First Nation to confirm their intention to make oral submissions before the Board.

As I am in the process of obtaining a US Visa, there is currently a restriction on my travel outside of the US. This restriction may however, be lifted at any time.

As a result, we have not yet determined who will be attending on behalf of Pic River, although most certainly, the Chief will be present. We will endeavour to advise the Board at our earliest opportunity who will be attending the oral portion of this hearing scheduled for May 2 and 3, 2013, in Thunderbay.

Yours very truly,

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