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BY COURIER

December 11, 2013

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

**EB-2013-0142 – Hydro One Remote Communities Inc. 4GIRM 2014 Distribution Rate Application
Affidavit of Service for Notice**

As directed by the Board in the November 12, 2013 Letter of Direction, I am now attaching for filing an executed copy of the Affidavit of Service dated December 11, 2013. The Affidavit addresses service of the Board's Notice of Application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Erin Henderson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Erin Henderson

Attach.

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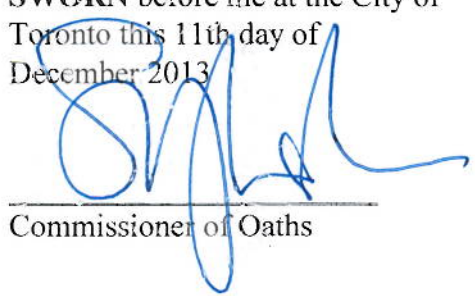
AFFIDAVIT OF ERIN HENDERSON

I, Erin Henderson, of the City of Toronto, **MAKE OATH AND SAY AS FOLLOWS:**

1. I am employed as a Senior Regulatory Coordinator in the Regulatory Affairs Division of Hydro One Networks Inc.
2. In accordance with paragraph 1 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, an English version of the Notice of Application and Hearing was published in The Chronicle Journal of Thunder Bay on Saturday, November 23, 2013. The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "A".
3. In accordance with paragraph 1 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, an English version of the Notice of Application and Hearing was published in the Wawatay News on Thursday, November 21, 2013. The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "B".
4. In accordance with paragraph 1 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, an English version of the Notice of Application and Hearing was published in The Sudbury Star on Saturday, November 23, 2013. The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "C".

5. In accordance with paragraph 2 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, a French version of the Notice of Application and Hearing was published in Le Nord on Wednesday, November 27, 2013.
The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "D".
6. In accordance with paragraph 2 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, a French version of the Notice of Application and Hearing was published in Le Voyageur on Wednesday, November 27, 2013.
The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "E".
7. In accordance with paragraph 3 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, Cree, Ojibway, and Oji-Cree versions of the Notice of Application and Hearing were published in the Wawatay News on Thursday, November 21, 2013.
The forms of the Notice as published are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "F".
8. In accordance with paragraph 4 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, a copy of the Notice of Application and Hearing was served directly upon all intervenors of record in Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s previous cost of service rate application proceeding EB-2012-0137, on Wednesday, November 20, 2013, namely; Cat Lake First Nation, Energy Probe Research Foundation, Nishnawbe Aski Nation, and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition.
The forms of the Notice as served are attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit "G".
9. In reference to paragraph 5 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, I am advised and hereby certify that Hydro One Remote Communities Inc. is not a Host Distributor to any Embedded Generators in the Hydro One Remote Communities Inc.'s service area.
10. In accordance with paragraph 7 and 8 of the Board's EB-2013-0142 Letter of Direction dated November 12, 2013, a copy of the Application, the pre-filed evidence and any additional materials, including the Notice of Application and Hearing, are available for convenient public perusal at the Hydro One Remote Communities offices, and all such documents are posted on the Hydro One Remote Communities Applications Website:

<http://www.hydroone.com/RegulatoryAffairs/Pages/HOCDx.aspx>

SWORN before me at the City of }
Toronto this 11th day of }
December 2013 }


Commissioner of Oaths


Erin Henderson

Illegal dentist off to jail

THE CANADIAN PRESS

VANCOUVER — After months of being on the run, a British Columbia man who defied a court order not to practice dentistry illegally in the province is going to jail.

Tung Sheng Wu, also known as Davis, escaped from B.C. to Ontario in the summer after the B.C. College of Dental Surgeons revealed he had been treating patients without a licence in a Metro Vancouver home under unhygienic conditions.

Wu had agreed to stop practising dentistry in 2003 after being ordered to do so by a court.

Last month, a B.C. Supreme Court judge sentenced him in absentia to three months in jail for contempt of that court order. Wu was also ordered to pay back the dental college for costs involved with its investigation.

A nation-wide warrant for Wu's arrest was issued in August, along with a \$2,000-reward from the dental college. The unlicensed dentist finally turned himself in to Toronto police on the weekend.

Wu was shoeless and wearing athletic wear when he appeared in court Friday.



THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Greenpeace International activist and Canadian Alexandre Paul, centre, leaves a jail after being freed on bail in St. Petersburg, Russia on Friday.

Activists released on bail

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ST. PETERSBURG, Russia — The two Canadian activists held in Russia after an Arctic protest in September have been released from custody.

Paul Ruzicki of Port Colborne, Ont., and Alexandre Paul of Montreal were among those from the Greenpeace ship Arctic Sunrise released Friday.

Nicole Paul, Alexandre Paul's mother, said she wanted to hold her son in her arms as soon as possible.

Patti Stirling, Ruzicki's sister, called word

of her brother's release the best news her family has had in a long time and said it means part of a nightmare is over.

The two Canadians were among 30 people from the ship who were arrested following an anti-oil drilling protest in Arctic waters two months ago.

All but one of the 30 were free on bail Friday after spending more than two months in Russian jails. The only one to be denied bail, an Australian activist, also was expected to be released after his appeal was heard.

Greenpeace lawyers said they would now focus on helping the foreign citizens to leave Russia.

President Vladimir Putin suggested this would be possible, jokingly telling Turkey's visiting leader that the environmental activists would soon be heading his way.

"We have no desire to exacerbate the situation or hold someone specially," Putin said during a joint news conference with Turkish Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdogan.

"Soon they will all be going to Turkey and will do good work on your projects."

But in response to a question of whether Erdogan would be allowed to take a freed Turkish female activist back with him, a smiling Putin said that would be impossible. "He came with his wife, so who else can he take along? What kind of question are you asking?"

Harper avoids audit meddling debate

BY JENNIFER DITCHBURN
THE CANADIAN PRESS

OTTAWA — Prime Minister Stephen Harper dodged questions Friday about alleged attempts by his people — including the party's top bagman — to meddle in and even quash an independent audit of Sen. Mike Duffy's contested expenses.

But Harper's own Conservative senators appear to want to lend the issue more scrutiny. RCMP files made public this week included emails from Harper's staff and interviews from key players describing how they sought to cut short the work of auditing firm Deloitte in order to avoid any damning statements on Duffy.

Members of Harper's staff appeared to receive inside information about the audit even before senators who sit on the committee that was studying Duffy's expenses.

Duffy and Nigel Wright, Harper's former chief of staff, face police allegations of bribery, fraud and breach of trust. No charges have been laid.

At an in-camera meeting Thursday, sources say Liberal Sen. George Furey put forward a motion to summon Deloitte's auditors before a meeting next week of the internal economy committee. All Conservatives present — including Harper's former Senate leader, Marjory LeBreton — voted in favour of the motion.

Other Conservative senators have said publicly they're disturbed to learn of the extent to which the Prime Minister's Office was meddling in Senate affairs.

When asked Friday what the apparent efforts to influence an independent audit say about the culture in the PMO, Harper avoided the issue.

"There are two individuals who are responsible and who are under investigation," Harper told a news conference in Winnipeg.

"As we said from the outset, they are Mr. Duffy and Mr. Wright, and we will do everything to make sure the investigation proceeds and those who acted improperly are held accountable."

The RCMP documents detail an agreement between Duffy and the PMO to have him repay the disallowed expenses and acknowledge the repayment publicly. In exchange, he would be reimbursed, and an audit into those expenses would not pass judgement on whether his primary residence was in P.E.I. or in Ottawa.

Senate officials told police that Conservative senators David Tkachuk and Carolyn Stewart Olsen — two of the three members of a sub-committee studying Duffy's expenses — tried to stop the audit at different junctures. Tkachuk was also the chairman of the larger internal economy committee, traditionally treated as one of the most non-partisan bodies in the Senate.

Kenny withdraws from Grit caucus

THE CANADIAN PRESS

OTTAWA — Sen. Colin Kenny has withdrawn from the federal Liberal caucus while the Senate investigates a complaint about him.

Justin Trudeau's office confirms that Kenny informed the Liberal leader that he was requesting himself from caucus "pending the outcome of an investigation by the Senate administration."

Sources tell The Canadian Press the investigation involves a complaint of sexual harassment.

Kenny had little comment on the allegation that has been levelled against him.

"There is a Senate process that is under way looking into the allegations that prohibits me or anyone else involved from commenting," Kenny said in an email.

"All I can say is at the end of the day I expect to be vindicated."

A CBC report does not identify the specific complainant, but it does reference an earlier interview with a woman who worked for Kenny for two months over the summer.

CBC reported the woman said in the interview that Kenny made sexual comments, asked her to wear high-heeled shoes and repeatedly put his hand on her wrist when meeting alone with her in his office.

Kenny, a former staffer in the Prime Minister's Office under Pierre Trudeau, has been a senator since he was appointed to the upper chamber in 1984.

He's perhaps best known for his work on defence and security issues, serving as chairman of the Senate committee on national security and defence from 2001 to 2008.

NOTICE

Westfort Ward Meeting with Councillor Joe Virdiramo

Thursday, Nov. 28, 2013
7:00 pm

West Thunder Community Centre
915 Edward Street South

AGENDA:

Ward & City Issues

Everyone Welcome!

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www.thunderbay.ca

NOTICE

Current River Ward Meeting with Councillor Andrew Foulds

Thursday, Nov. 28
7:00 pm

Current River Community Centre
450 Devine Avenue

AGENDA:

1. City Infrastructure
2. Ward and City Issues

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NOTICE

Red River Ward Meeting with Councillor Brian McKinnon

Tuesday, Nov 26
7 pm

Thunder Bay 55 Plus Centre
700 River Street

AGENDA:

1. Ward and City Issues

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OPP officer receives Mothers Against Drunk Driving award

Rick Garrick
Wawatay News

An Ontario Provincial Police officer was recently awarded for his work to reduce impaired driving in northwestern Ontario.

OPP Const. Steve Jacko was recipient of the Terry Ryan Memorial Award for Excellence in Police Services by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) Canada.

"I try to focus on community safety and my number one priority is public safety," said the Wikwemikong band member. "I had a family member killed by an impaired driver and I know how traumatic an impact it has on the entire family and also the entire community."

Jacko has attended many motor vehicle collisions where people were killed or seriously injured by impaired drivers during his 23 years with the

OPP.

"Impaired driving remains the leading criminal cause of death in Canada," Jacko said. "Plan ahead and always have a friend or family member pick you up where you are attending the function. Or grab a taxi. Don't drink and drive — if you are questioning yourself, don't drive."

The Terry Ryan Memorial Award for Excellence is awarded annually for a significant contribution of police services in helping to reduce impaired driving. Const. Ryan died in 2002 in a two-car alcohol-related crash on his way home from a police function in the Durham Region of Ontario.

Jacko first became interested in police work due to his father's position as chief of police with the Wikwemikong Tribal Police.

"That encouraged me to follow the same path as my



Submitted photo
Kenora Ontario Provincial Police Const. Steve Jacko recently received the Terry Ryan Memorial Award for Excellence in Police Services by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) Canada.

father," Jacko said. "I noticed that my dad used to care for the community and was always helping out with the community."

Jacko studied Law and Security at Cambrian Col-

lege before joining the OPP in 1990.

"I was posted at the Kenora OPP detachment and I did most of my policing here in this general area in Kenora, Grassy Narrows, Minaki and

Sioux Narrows," Jacko said. "The policing is great here — we just recently took over the City of Kenora three years ago."

Jacko worked in traffic enforcement at the Kenora detachment for the first four years before transferring over to the Grassy Narrows detachment.

"I wanted to get more familiar with the criminal aspects of investigation, which is why I transferred there," Jacko said. "It was a great experience. There were quite a few serious calls involving murders, assaults."

Jacko also met many community members while in Grassy Narrows.

"I got to know the people really well," Jacko said. "I always attended at their school, did some short presentations and also I was part of the team that was developing

the Tribunal Court in Grassy Narrows under the Indian Act charges regarding intoxication."

Jacko said the Tribunal Court featured a panel of six people from the community who decided the punishments for the people charged for intoxication.

Jacko currently works regular patrol but spends a great majority of his time dedicated to combating impaired driving in the Kenora area. He laid a total of 59 impaired related driving charges in 2012 and as of Sept. 1 this year, he has laid a total of 42 impaired driving charges. Jacko was recently

recognized for being in the top 10 of all OPP officers for traffic statistics, and he also received the Ontario Provincial Police Regional Commander's Letter of Recommendation for exemplary effort and skills with respect to his job.

James Bay hit by storm

Stephanie Wesley
Wawatay News

In the early hours of Nov. 18, Attawapiskat First Nation experienced a power outage during a heavy snowfall.

Christina Edwards, who is employed at Attawapiskat Power Corporation, said that the first trip in power occurred between 6 a.m. and 7 a.m.

"We tried restoring hydro through generators, but it was impossible to do the whole community," Edwards said. She said that the efforts to restore power continued throughout the day.

"We finally succeeded around 9 p.m.," Edwards said, although not every residence in the community had their power restored. "We still have some residents who are without power. We are not back on the grid yet."

It is estimated that Attawapiskat received four feet of snow in the storm.

"It cleared up now," Edwards said. "There was lots of snow, and it was windy. It was mostly snow drifts."

Edwards said that some of the shingles came off of the houses due to the wind, and that there were no injuries during the storm and power outage that she knew of.

Edwards said that they are still awaiting a response from Hydro One on the situation. The community is currently running on generators.

Other James Bay communities were hit by the storm and experienced power outages as well, including Moosonee, Moose Factory and Fort Albany. According to Environment Canada, the region experienced winds gusts of 80 kilometres per hour.

Attawapiskat Crisis Coordinator Dennis Koostachin posted a public notice on his Facebook profile stating that the community of Attawapiskat needs to "limit our hydro usage in order to supply power to the whole town."

"Please turn off unnecessary power sources, etc. (water heater, washer/dryer, electronics) and decrease base board heaters if possible," Koostachin instructed. "If we can minimize usage of power, we can generate the whole community until this matter is resolved."

"This is an emergency, it's possible to run on generators for two days or more, depending on the weather," Koostachin stated.

Edwards is unsure of what caused the power outage.

"We have Hydro One patrolling the lines," she said. "We will have more when they call me for an update."

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THE STAR ■ SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2013

LOCAL NEWS

■ RING OF FIRE CONTROVERSY

Province must step up: Feds

BENJAMIN AUBÉ
JMI Agency

TIMMINS — During a stop in Timmins on Friday, the federal minister responsible for the Ring of Fire gave pointed answers as to who he thought was to blame for Cliffs Natural Resources pulling out of its proposed multi-billion dollar chromite mining project.

Greg Rickford (Conservative-Kentville), federal Minister of Science and Technology, and FedNor, said the management of an iron company land ownership conflict between Cliffs and KWC Resources Inc. is at the top of the list of reasons why the project was put on hold.

Since Ontario's mining and land commissioner ruled against Ohio-based Cliffs request for an easement to build an access road across KWC-owned land in September, Cliffs had threatened to indefinitely cancel the project.

Rickford expanded on why he believed the decision was the result of a breakdown in the relationship between Cliffs and KWC.

"The land commissioner's decision is the real source of the uncertainty; you can't talk about those large-scale infrastructure projects until you know in which direction they're going to go," said Rickford. "It's really made it complicated for Cliffs to understand how their road

or what road, in what direction it would take, would get to their extraction site."

Ontario's Minister of Natural Resources, Michael Gravelle (Liberal - Thunder Bay-Superior North), revealed in early November the creation of a Ring of Fire development corporation made up of the feds, the province, mining companies and local First Nations communities.

Cliffs' announcement to pull out of the project came just under two weeks later.

On Thursday, Gravelle said, "The province is prepared to invest in vital infrastructure and create the right climate to support development in the region."

Rickford said he wasn't prepared to state that companies like Cliffs and Noront were frustrated with the province about the perceived lack of progress. He did add, however, that "if you ask them, Noront and Cliffs will say they are very satisfied with the level of engagement the federal government has demonstrated on this file."

"We have taken care of the things we know we should be addressing as a federal government, and we've shown and expressed a willingness to work with all of our partners," said Rickford. "That's not going to change. Noront is still very much in play here, and we hope that with the

province's extra efforts focusing on the land commissioner's decision... that Cliffs will come back to the table and we'll get back to work."

"We look forward to the province moving forward in a bit of a more collaborative way. They recently announced the development corporation; we would have appreciated a little more collaboration and notice to that, since what it considers is fairly large in scope, from what I can gather, although it's not been shared with me at this point."

"The good news is I have an effective working relationship with Minister Gravelle on a number of fronts, and this challenge, I think, sits squarely in the Premier's office. The world is watching; this is a legacy resource project, and we want to get it right for the multi-generations of Northern Ontarians that can benefit from this."

Rickford maintained he was remaining positive about the future aspects of the Ring of Fire development.

"I've kept in mind that Noront is still actively pursuing their site," he said. "I think the announcement Cliffs made reflects uncertainty in a broader business sense. The commodity market hasn't been that great for them. In this case, they're waiting on some things the province might have responded to a little bit sooner."

Feeling the good vibes



BOND DONATO/THE SUDBURY STAR

Members of the Laurentian Concert Band rehearse for the Good Vibes concert on Friday, 7:30 p.m., at St. Andrew's Place, 111 Larch St. The Laurentian Concert Band is a 34-piece ensemble made up of 10 music majors, non-music majors and adults who love to play the great standards, such as Vaughan Williams and Gustav Mahler, as well as explore new works, including Eric Whitacre and Michael Maroney. The band is directed by Sally Lesk. The concert will feature special guest soloist Ian Gibson playing the vibraphone. He will play Windhorse by young Canadian composer Peter Hatch, a piece for vibraphone and wind ensemble. Admission is \$10 for adults, and \$5 for students/seniors.

■ MINING: He understands decision to pull out

Rival hopes Cliffs returns

CAROL MULLIGAN
The Sudbury Star

An executive from Cliffs Natural Resources' biggest rival in the Ring of Fire isn't happy the Cleveland-based company has indefinitely suspended development of its chromite project.

M.J. (Mac) Lavigne, vice-president of exploration and development for KWC Resources Inc., said companies are often faced with difficult decisions like the one Cliffs made, and it's a rational one.

Cliffs was spending \$4 million to \$5 million a month developing plans to mine its Black Thor deposit and build a ferrochrome processing plant north of Lapeer.

"It's very hard to justify spending that kind of money when you can't see the light at the end of the tunnel," said Lavigne.

Cliffs' decision was partly based on a ruling by the Mining and Lands Commissioner, which denied the company an easement over KWC claims so Cliffs could build a north-south all-weather road.

Cliffs is appealing that decision, a very lengthy process.

Lavigne said current low chromite prices — about \$200 per ton, down from a high of about \$400 — also made it "not really economical" to develop the project at this time.

Meanwhile, KWC isn't skipping a beat in its plans for the Ring of Fire.

"We still have a viable deposit we control and we'd like to develop, and we're still working on orchestrating the establishment of a railroad up there," he said.

It has had its first discussions with the newly created development corporation and in discussions with first nations and government.

"What they're saying is, 'You guys get yourself organized and we might come back to the party,'" said Lavigne.

carol.mulligan@sudbystar.ca

■ MINING: Noront may ship nickel to Sudbury

'A big resource'

From Page A1

"We have a big resource as well that might add up to another nine or 10 years" to the life of the mine.

Noront expects to spend \$600 million to \$700 million to build the mine and mill, creating 700 jobs during the construction phase. When the mine is fully operational, it will employ 300 people, with an expected 1,200 spinoff jobs.

Because Eagle's Nest is an underground mine, it won't have a big footprint like Cliffs' or KWC Resources' open-pit mines, said Counts.

Noront's mill will also be located underground.

"We've done a lot of innovative things we think will allow us to get our project permitted on a timely basis," said Counts.

As part of its environmental assessment process, Noront chose an east-south route to transport concentrate out of the Ring of Fire by an existing winter road it would convert to an all-weather road if it had its choice. It will move about 200,000 tons a year of nickel

concentrate along that road. Counts said it's early in any what that road would cost to build if that is the transportation option it pursues.

Noront would likely have its nickel concentrate processed in Sudbury at Vale or Glencore Xstrata because those suppliers are the closest to Eagle's Nest.

"Selling concentrate to a smelter is a competitive activity and we'd always be looking for the most competitive deal," said Counts.

"It's hard to believe we wouldn't be seeing that in Sudbury."

So, even though the Cliffs project is stalled, "there's still some benefit we think for Sudbury," he said.

Noront's approach in the last five years has been to "quietly (do) a lot of good things," said Counts. It has got involved with local communities, consulted and participated, conducted good exploration work, done a "robust" feasibility study and formed good partnerships with shareholders Baxsteel and Resource Capital.

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The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

BE INFORMED

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process. You can:

- review Hydro One Remotes' application on the OEB's website now;
- sign up to observe the proceeding by receiving OEB documents related to the hearing;
- at the end of the process, review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

If you want to become an active participant (called an intervenor) in this proceeding, you must apply for intervenor status to the OEB no later than 10 calendar days after the publication or service date of this notice, or the hearing will go ahead without you, and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding. If you do not wish to become an intervenor but wish to give your opinion on the proceeding to the Board members hearing the application, you are invited to file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.

The OEB does not intend to award costs in this proceeding as Hydro One Remotes has only made proposals of a mechanistic nature within the OEB's guidelines.

LEARN MORE

These proposed charges relate to Hydro One Remotes' distribution services. They make up part of the Delivery line — one of the five line items on your bill. Our file number for this case is EB-2013-0142. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case please select the appropriate application from the list at the OEB website: www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice. You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

WRITTEN HEARING

The Board intends to hold a written hearing in this case. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why.

PRIVACY

If you write a letter of comment or sign up to observe the hearing, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This rate hearing will be held under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).



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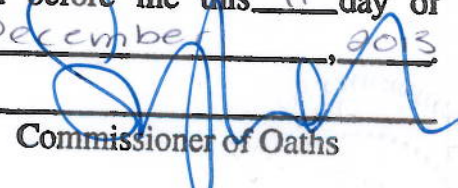
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Les activités du Cercle de feu suspendues indéfiniment :

Le ministre Rickford demeure positif



Émilie Deschênes
Le Voyageur
NORD ONTARIEN

La compagnie Cliffs Natural Resources a suspendu indéfiniment

son projet minier de chromite dans une région potentiellement très riche du Nord de l'Ontario, un projet de plusieurs milliards de dollars. Cliffs attribue entre autres cette suspension aux infrastructures et à la faiblesse du prix des métaux. L'entreprise continue à croire au potentiel des

gisements, toutefois elle a rendu sa décision après avoir analysé les défis ainsi que les coûts qui s'y rattachent.

« Nous continuons de rester positifs avec ceci, affirme Greg Rickford, ministre d'État pour les Sciences et la Technologie et pour FedNor, et ministre responsable du Cercle de

feu. J'ai bien parlé avec le maire de Thunder Bay. Je crois que Noront est encore un joueur majeur dans ce processus. Le but est de s'assurer que tous les niveaux de gouvernement travaillent ensemble, de bien collaborer, de consulter les Premières Nations et de s'assurer que nos déci-

Photo : Émilie Deschênes



Greg Rickford

sions sont là en termes d'infrastructures, de priorités pour le développement économique et l'éducation. »

Le ministre Rickford a à la fois exprimé sa déception et son optimisme par rapport à cette suspension lors de son passage à Timmins vendredi dernier.

« Je pense aussi que Noront et les Premières Nations n'ont pas consulté avec la province, poursuit, en français, le ministre Rickford. Je peux dire que ma relation avec M. [Michael] Gravelle [ministre ontarien du Développement du Nord et des Mines] est très forte. On a travaillé sur certaines choses partout dans le Nord de l'Ontario et je pense que, comme il a dit hier, [...] c'est vrai qu'on doit mettre l'accent sur notre relation avec Cliffs et Noront pour être certain de ce qu'on doit faire pour l'avenir afin de s'assurer que le développement se poursuive. »

Le gouvernement fédéral a été accusé par les partis d'opposition d'avoir laissé tomber à l'eau cet investissement, qui constituait l'une des occasions de mise en valeur des minéraux les plus prometteuses à se présenter en Ontario depuis près d'une centaine d'années. La chef du Nouveau Parti démocratique de l'Ontario, Andrea Horwath, a affirmé, par voie de communiqué, que la décision de Cliffs Natural Resources de suspendre indéfiniment les activités du Cercle de feu constitue une atteinte à la province. « C'est la preuve que le gouvernement libéral n'a pas pris au sérieux les défis par rapport au développement », indique Mme Horwath.

De son côté, le ministre Rickford affirme qu'il ne faut pas jeter le blâme sur le gouvernement fédéral. Il souligne qu'il reste positif quant à l'avenir du développement du Cercle de feu.

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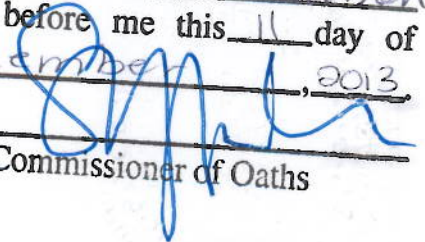
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Good afternoon,

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Sincerely,

Erin Henderson

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