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**RE: Sarnia Airport Storage Pool Limited Partnership
Sarnia Airport Storage Pool – Increase in Maximum Operating
Pressure**
• Board File Number: EB-2017-0362

Dear Madam,

In accordance with the Board's directions, please find attached the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry's submission with respect to the above-referenced application.

Yours truly,

Demetrius Kappos
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Encl.

- c. Jug Manocha (MNRF)
- c. The Applicant

SARNIA AIRPORT STORAGE POOL LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

SARNIA AIRPORT STORAGE POOL

INCREASE IN MAXIMUM OPERATING PRESSURE

EB-2017-0362

**Written Submission of the Ministry of
Natural Resources and Forestry**

Introduction:

Sarnia Airport Storage Pool Limited Partnership ("the Applicant") filed an application dated December 7, 2017 ("the Application") with the Ontario Energy Board ("OEB") pursuant to S. 38(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* for an Order varying the maximum operating pressure in the Sarnia Airport Pool to enable it to be operated at a maximum pressure gradient of 17.2 kPa/m (0.76 psi per foot) as permitted under CSA Z341.1-14.

The OEB initiated this proceeding and invited status requests.

Further to Interrogatories and responses to Interrogatories, the MNRF is hereby providing a Written Submission.

Analysis:

MNRF Petroleum Operations Section has reviewed the Application, Board Staff's Interrogatories and the Applicant's responses to same, and the Applicant's responses to MNRF's Interrogatories.

Based on the Application and this further information provided, MNRF is satisfied with the Application and with the Applicant's commitment to fully comply with CSA Z341.1-14 with respect to this Application.

Conclusion and Relief Requested:

MNRF can support the Application.

ALL OF WHICH IS RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

DATED AT Toronto, this the 6th day of April, 2018.

Yours truly,



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