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Ms. Christine E. Long
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Dear Ms. Long:

Re: Lagasco Inc.

Classification of Pipelines in Haldimand County

OEB Staff Supplemental Interrogatory to the Ontario Petroleum Institute

OEB File No. EB-2019-0166

In accordance with Procedural Order No. 6, OEB staff filed an interrogatory on January 26, 2021 to the Ontario Petroleum Institute (OPI) on its evidence in this proceeding. The document was sent to OPI and copied to Lagasco Inc. and all intervenors. OEB staff now files a supplemental interrogatory to OPI.

Yours truly,

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OEB STAFF SUPPLEMENTAL INTERROGATORY TO THE OPI

OEB Staff Supplemental No. 1

Preamble

On December 30, 2020, the Ontario Petroleum Institute (OPI) sought permission to file new information in this proceeding (OPI Evidence). The OPI Evidence consists of affidavit evidence sworn by Mr. Jim McIntosh regarding his experience as a consultant for TAQA North Ltd. (TAQA). The OEB issued Procedural Order No. 6 on January 18, 2021 that permitted the OPI Evidence to be added to the record of this proceeding.

Mr. Jim McIntosh is currently the Chairman of the OPI and Chairman of the Producers Committee of the OPI. He has been a consultant for TAQA since the company purchased producing oil and natural gas fields in Ontario on January 1, 2009.

At paragraph 7 of the OPI Evidence, Mr. McIntosh states that the only occasion on which MPAC requested a listing of pipelines from TAQA was by way of a letter dated February 2019.

At paragraph 9 of the OPI Evidence, Mr. McIntosh states that no designations were made by TAQA under section 25 of the Ontario *Assessment Act* prior to 2019.

Questions

- a) Please confirm whether TAQA made a designation under section 25 of the Assessment Act in or after 2019. If so, in what month and year.
- b) Please confirm whether the significance of the date February 2019 is simply that it was the month and year in which MPAC requested a listing of pipelines from TAQA. If not, then please explain.