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VIA EMAIL

Susan Jackson
Manager - Environment, Health & Safety
Sun-Canadian Pipe Line
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Re: Letter of Opinion – SCPL East Sixteen Mile Crossing Replacement

Dear Susan,

The Ontario Ministry of Energy (ENERGY) has completed its review of Sun-Canadian Pipe Line (SCPL)'s Indigenous Consultation Report for the East Sixteen Mile Crossing Replacement Project.

ENERGY has reviewed the information provided by SCPL as well as materials filed with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) by the Haudenosaunee Development Institute (HDI). ENERGY has also reached out to Six Nations of the Grand River First Nation, Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation, and the Huron-Wendat Nation to understand any concerns about possible impacts to Aboriginal and treaty rights from the project as well as community feedback about satisfaction with SCPL's response or proposed mitigation, where appropriate.

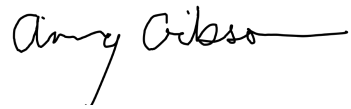
ENERGY's assessment of the depth of consultation required for the project is at the low end of the spectrum, given the ministry's understanding of the project location and site characteristics, staff review of the Environmental Report prepared for the OEB application, and assessment of potential for impacts to Aboriginal and treaty rights.

This letter is to notify you that based on this review of materials and our outreach to Indigenous communities, ENERGY is of the opinion that the procedural aspects of consultation undertaken by SCPL to-date for the purposes of the Ontario Energy Board's Leave to Construct for the East Sixteen Mile Crossing Replacement project are satisfactory.

It is expected that SCPL will continue its consultation activities with the communities throughout the life of the project, and that SCPL will notify ENERGY should any additional rights-based concerns/issues arise.

If you have any questions about this letter or require any additional information, please contact me at 416-315-8641 or amy.gibson@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy Gibson" with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Amy Gibson, Manager
Indigenous Energy Policy

c: Ontario Energy Board
Ontario Pipeline Coordinating Committee