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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Re: **Imperial Sarnia Products Pipeline Waterdown to Finch Pipeline Replacement Project**

Dear Ms. Walli;

On behalf of the Canadian Fuels Association (Canadian Fuels) and its members¹, we wish to lend our support to this project.

Ontario is home to five of Canada's 16 refineries. Our members refine, distribute and market the fuels that power Ontario's trucks, trains, ships, and we are part of Ontario's critical infrastructure. Ontario refineries supply a significant portion of the fuels used in the Province, and the Waterdown to Finch Project pipeline replacement project will help ensure the ongoing reliability of this infrastructure and the fuels that supply Ontarians living in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton area.

In closing, reliable market access is not only key to our sector's competitiveness but also essential to keeping people and goods moving in this Province. We encourage the Ontario Energy Board to support this application.

Sincerely,

Lisa Stilborn
Vice President – Ontario

¹ Canadian Fuels members: Federated Co-operatives Limited, Husky Energy Inc., Imperial Oil Limited, Irving Oil, North West Redwater Partnership, Parkland Fuel Corporation, Petro-Canada Lubricants Inc., Shell Canada Limited, Suncor Energy Products Partnership and Valero Energy Inc.