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Attention: Ritchie Murray, Acting Registrar

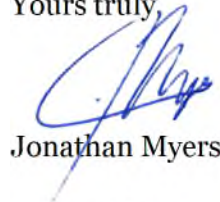
Dear Mr. Murray:

Re: Notice of Motion by Impala Canada Ltd. (“Impala”) to Review and Vary the OEB’s Decision and Order in EB-2025-0286 re Expropriation

We are legal counsel to North Star Forestry Ltd. (“North Star”), intervenor in the above-referenced proceeding. North Star has received Impala’s Notice of Motion seeking to review and vary the Ontario Energy Board’s (“OEB”) May 21, 2026 Decision and Order denying Impala’s request for authority to expropriate.

Rule 43 of the OEB’s *Rules of Practice and Procedure* provides that a Review Panel may consider a threshold question of whether a motion raises relevant issues material enough to warrant a review of a decision or order on its merits. The issues Impala seeks to raise do not pass the threshold test under Rule 43. North Star respectfully requests that the OEB, in its first procedural order, provide it with an opportunity to make submissions on this threshold question prior to any consideration of the merits of Impala’s proposed motion.

Yours truly,



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