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Mr. Mark Fiedorek President Spectra Energy Transmission West Suite 2600, 425-1 Street S.W. Calgary, AB T2P 3L8 Facsimile

Dear Mr. Fiedorek:

Westcoast Energy Inc. carrying on business as Spectra Energy Transmission (Westcoast)
Safety Order SG-W102-002-2015 (Safety Order issued 14 July 2015)

The National Energy Board (NEB or Board) is in receipt of Westcoast's 23 December 2015 letter.

In that letter, Westcoast requested a meeting with one or more of the Panel Members appointed by the Chair of the Board to assess and determine compliance with the Safety Order. Westcoast indicated that based on the Information Request (IR) issued by the Board on 22 December 2015 there is a possible misunderstanding of the expectations flowing from the Safety Order.

The Board is of the view that Westcoast's request is premature. The Board's IR requested documentation, records and additional information about Westcoast's analysis that was previously submitted to the Board on 30 September 2015. The Board requires this key information prior to determining possible future steps. If such information is not available, Westcoast should make the Board aware of this fact and explain why this is the case. In the meantime, should further clarifications on this matter be required, the Board invites Westcoast to contact Board staff assigned to this file: Mr. Rick Turner prior to 4 January 2016; or Ms. Andrea Hardie or Mr. Ryan Wells on, or after, 4 January 2016 at 403-292-4800.

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The Board continues to expect Westcoast's responses on or before 18 January 2016. As stated in its 23 December 2015 letter, the Board will inform Westcoast of any additional measures once it has assessed these responses.

Yours truly,

Original signed by for

Sheri Young Secretary of the Board

cc: Mr. Greg Ebel, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer,

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Ms. Michele Harradence, Vice President, Operations & EHS, facsimile

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