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Subject: RE: MV2011L4-0002 - NTPC - Taltson Compensation Claim Re-Hearing Process

Good morning, Mr. Evanchuk,

The Board correspondence dated March 17, 2017 has been provided to both parties, under Board direction, to supplement the Work Plan and to clarify the process moving forward. The Work Plan as distributed on March 3, 2017 is not being amended. The April 18, 2017 Written Submissions are required by the Board, as indicated in the most recent letter to provide a clear summary of your position. As you point out, the Work Plan indicated that the Board *may* provide a letter to all parties identifying specific issues or questions that may be raised at the hearing on April 7, 2017. At this time, questions have not yet been finalized by the Board.

Thank you for your submissions regarding NTPC's intention to cross-examine Carter witnesses. This information will help in drafting the Re-Hearing Agenda and can be discussed in more detail at the Pre-Hearing Conference, if necessary, but it does not affect any of the Board's discussion, direction, or decisions from the March 14, 2017 meeting.

Finally, as you surmise, the Board would like to ensure that all parties are prepared to call on experts and company witnesses as needed for questioning during the Re-Hearing in an effort to bring the matter to finality.

I hope this response addresses your questions. Pre-Hearing conference dates will be identified as soon as possible (expected by the end of this week).

Thank you,
Shannon

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Hello All,

Thanks for this correspondence. I would like to get some clarification on some points:

- Has the previous Work Plan been amended by this letter to include the pre-filed submissions on April 18th? Further, has the previous April 7th date for Board advice on hearing issues been removed? If so, will a revised and updated Work Plan be issued?
- The Board meeting on March 14th pre-dated NTPC's submissions yesterday concerning oral hearing matters, including cross examination of the Carter witnesses. Does our letter affect any of the matters contemplated by the Board in its letter?
- Finally, can you provide some further guidance on this comment from the Board:

For the Re-Hearing itself, the Board respectfully instructs the Carter Family and NTPC to bring (or have immediate access to) all the people and expert support required to bring the matter to finality.

Can we assume that all experts and company witnesses should make themselves available for Questions by Board staff and Members?

Your comments on these matters would be appreciated.

I can confirm that we have no current dates/times the week of May 1st which do not work for a Pre-Hearing conference. However, it would assist us if the Board confirmed the date and time for the conference asap after March 22nd, as that week in May will invariably fill up as time passes.

Thanks for your consideration of these matters. I look forward to your reply.

Doug



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Good day,

Please see the attached document. if you have any questions, please contact Shannon Allerston at (867) 766-7458 or email sallerston@mvlwb.com.

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