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November 19, 2019

Dear Derek Warren:

**Direction: Response to Information Request No.1 -  
Obsidian Energy Ltd. Proof of Financial Responsibility (OA-2019-001-OBS)**

On October 1, 2019, Janpeter Lennie-Misgeld of the Office of the Regulator of Oil and Gas Operations (OROGO) issued Information Request No. 1 to Obsidian Energy Ltd. (Obsidian) in relation to Obsidian's application for an Operations Authorization (OA-2019-001-OBS). The deadline for response was October 11, 2019.

On November 1, 2019, OROGO received an email from Obsidian proposing that the financial statement previously provided by Obsidian should be sufficient to meet OROGO's Proof of Financial Responsibility (PFR) requirements.

OROGO responded to Obsidian by email on November 1, 2019 and advised that the financial statements that Obsidian previously provided will not be sufficient to meet OROGO's requirements for PFR. OROGO requested that Obsidian provide the information as requested in Information Request No.1.

On November 7, 2019, OROGO followed up on the November 1, 2019 email and requested that Obsidian provide the information as requested in Information Request No.1 by November 14, 2019. To date, no information has been received from Obsidian.

The information requested under Information Request No.1 is required before OROGO can proceed further with Obsidian's Operations Authorization application. I therefore direct that Obsidian respond to Information Request No.1 by 4:00 p.m. on November 27, 2019.

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Please send your written responses and any associated correspondence by email at [orogo@gov.nt.ca](mailto:orogo@gov.nt.ca) or through OROGO's secure file transfer site.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Pauline de Jong', is written over the printed name.

Pauline de Jong  
Chief Conservation Officer

- c. Craig Langford, Environmental Coordinator, Obsidian Energy Ltd.