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To: 'Craig Langford'
Cc: Craig Dansereau; Steve Sterling; Regulatory; DST_JUS_OROGO
Subject: Decision - Approval of Extension - Information Request No.7 - Proof of Financial Responsibility- (OA-2019-001-OBS)

Craig Langford
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Dear Craig Langford:

**Decision: Approval of Request for Extension –
Information Request No. 7 - Proof of Financial Responsibility (OA-2019-001-OBS)**

On July 16, 2020, the Office of the Regulator of Oil and Gas Operations (OROGO) received an email from Obsidian Energy Ltd. (Obsidian) requesting an extension to the deadline for the submission of Information Request No. 7 - Proof of Financial Responsibility to August 24, 2020.

I hereby approve the extension. Please send your response to me by email at orogo@gov.nt.ca or through OROGO's secure file transfer site, on or before 4:00 p.m. on August 24, 2020.

If you are unable to respond within this timeframe or have any questions, please contact OROGO at (867) 765-8160 or by email at orogo@gov.nt.ca.

Sincerely,

Pauline de Jong

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**Ms. Pauline de Jong**

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**To:** Peter Lennie-Misgeld  
**Cc:** Craig Dansereau; Steve Sterling; Regulatory; DST\_JUS\_OROGO  
**Subject:** RE: [EXTERNAL] - OROGO Information Request No.7 - Proof of Financial Responsibility- (OA-2019-001-OBS)

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Good Afternoon Peter

Obsidian Energy would like to request an extension regarding the deadline noted below to August 24, 2020. With the last IR response submitted four months ago on March 6<sup>th</sup>, Obsidian was under the assumption that the Proof of Financial Responsibility portion of the OA application had been met. The recent IR also contains additional information requests that Obsidian or peer companies have never seen requested previously and therefor will take some additional time to obtain.

Best Regards

Craig Langford  
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**From:** Peter Lennie-Misgeld <[Peter.Lennie-Misgeld@gov.nt.ca](mailto:Peter.Lennie-Misgeld@gov.nt.ca)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 7, 2020 11:10 AM  
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Cc: Steve Sterling <[Steve.Sterling@obsidianenergy.com](mailto:Steve.Sterling@obsidianenergy.com)>; DST\_JUS\_OROGO <[OROGO@gov.nt.ca](mailto:OROGO@gov.nt.ca)>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] - OROGO Information Request No.7 - Proof of Financial Responsibility- (OA-2019-001-OBS)

Craig Dansereau  
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July 7, 2020

Dear Craig Dansereau:

**Information Request No. 7: Obsidian Energy Ltd.  
Proof of Financial Responsibility Additional Information (OA-2019-001-OBS)**

On September 18, 2019, the Office of the Regulator of Oil and Gas Operations (OROGO) received a complete application from Obsidian Energy Ltd. (Obsidian) for an Operations Authorization (OA). The OA covers the proposed abandonment of two wells operated by Obsidian in the Fort Liard area of the Northwest Territories.

On October 1, 2019 OROGO issued Information Request No. 1 which requested information from Obsidian with respect to Proof of Financial Responsibility (PFR). Obsidian submitted a response to Information Request No. 1 on February 7, 2020. OROGO issued Information Request No. 5 which requested additional information from Obsidian with respect to PFR and Obsidian submitted a response to Information Request No. 5 on March 6, 2020. OROGO has reviewed the information provided by Obsidian on PFR and requires additional information in order to complete its review of Obsidian's OA application, as set out in the attached Information Request No. 7.

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

Please submit your response on or before 4:00 p.m. on July 24, 2020. If you are unable to respond within this timeframe or have any questions, please contact OROGO at (867) 765-8160 or by email at [orogo@gov.nt.ca](mailto:orogo@gov.nt.ca).

Sincerely,

Janpeter Lennie-Misgeld  
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**Mr. Janpeter Lennie-Misgeld**

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