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To: "Dara Schmidt"
Cc: [DST JUS OROGO](#)
Subject: RE: Information Request No. 9: variation to OA-2021-003-SUN
Date: January 27, 2025 1:44:00 PM

Good afternoon Dara,

I approve an extension to end of day on February 3, 2025, for submission of Suncor's updated EPP in response to IR9.

Thanks,
Pauline

Ms. Pauline de Jong

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Good morning Pauline,

We have been given a meeting with the SLWB this Thursday to discuss our EPP amendment. We have Envirosearch supporting us in this task and would like to confirm our alignment with the SLWB before we finalize the amendment we've drafted. In order to avoid revisions, we think it makes sense to provide you with the EPP requested in IR #9 after we've had the chance to discuss with the SLWB. Suncor requires an additional week to submit the requested information. We'll finalize the document after our SLWB meeting and can have the IR#9 submission to OROGO on Monday February 3rd.

Thanks,
Dara Schmidt

From: Pauline DeJong <Pauline_DeJong@gov.nt.ca>
Sent: January 13, 2025 3:38 PM
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Good afternoon Dara,

I approve the two-week extension requested for response to Information Request No. 9. The new response deadline is 4 p.m. on Monday, January 27, 2025.

With respect to the ACW variations, we will provide an update on the timeline for decision no later than end-of-day on Friday, January 17, 2025.

Thanks,

Pauline

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**Sent:** January 13, 2025 2:25 PM

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Good afternoon Pauline,

With regards to OA management systems information request #9 received December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Suncor requires an additional two weeks to submit the requested information. Suncor and its consultants are presently working on the amendment submission for multiple plans required under the SLWB's land use permit. We have a meeting planned with the SLWB and are intending to have the SLWB EPP amendments ready for submission by the end of the month.

While we work to complete the amendments to the SLWB EPP and provide OROGO with the updates to management systems required to finalize the OA variance, Suncor requests a decision on the ACW variance for the three wells. The request for operational determination with a basis of design document was submitted to OROGO on July 5, 2024. On July 17<sup>th</sup> Suncor received a decision for the proposed abandonment methodology, requesting that if Suncor wishes to proceed with changes to the abandonment programs for the three wells, they must submit the existing bond logs, the ACW variation requests and an extension request.

1. Bond Logs were submitted for wells M-47 and A-67 on July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and Suncor will perform a bond log on O-35.
2. ACW variation request was submitted August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024.
3. Extension received December 2, 2024, direction to complete abandonment operations by August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

As a critical long lead decision to mobilize the wireline rig on winter road is approaching, Suncor is requesting a decision on the approval of the variance to the ACWs.

Thanks,

Dara

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**From:** Pauline DeJong <[Pauline\\_DeJong@gov.nt.ca](mailto:Pauline_DeJong@gov.nt.ca)>

**Sent:** December 19, 2024 2:07 PM

**To:** Dara Schmidt <[daraschmid@suncor.com](mailto:daraschmid@suncor.com)>; Greg Heffel <[gheffel@suncor.com](mailto:gheffel@suncor.com)>

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Good afternoon Dara and Greg,

Please find attached Information Request No. 9 with respect to Suncor's request to vary OA-2021-003-SUN.

Thanks,  
Pauline

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