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Batul Rahimtoola
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Dear Batul Rahimtoola,

RE: Environmental Guidelines for the Operation of Hydrocarbon Projects - OEB File Nos. EB-2022-0011 and EB-2024-0079

Red Sky Métis Independent Nation (RSMIN) thanks you for the opportunity to comment on the above noted regulatory guidelines amendments.

After reviewing the RSMIN community data and the details of the project, at this time the RSMIN community does not have concerns regarding the decision to change the responsibility of consultation to the OEB.

RSMIN believes that consultation is an important part in project development and having the Ontario Energy Board manage the consultation process along with the project approval process is beneficial to both ends of the project development process.

RSMIN requests that during consultation meetings to discuss projects plans and stages are conducted to ensure that proper understanding of environmental impacts and social-economic benefits are properly explained.

If there are any further questions, please contact consultation@rsmin.ca.

Salute et Miigwetch,

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Mineral Development Advisor
on behalf of Métis Chief Troy J.P. DeLaRonde

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