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**Via Courier**

**Attention: Wanda Anderson, Executive Director**

Ms. Anderson:

**Re: Application for a Type B Water Licence**

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Imperial Oil Resources Ventures Limited (Imperial), on behalf of the Aboriginal Pipeline Group, ConocoPhillips Canada (North) Limited, Shell Canada Limited and ExxonMobil Canada Properties, encloses six copies of an application for a Type B Water Licence as follows:

- five paper copies
- one DVD copy

This application is made pursuant to Section 14 of the Northwest Territories Water Act, and Section 103(1) of the Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act in support of the proposed Mackenzie Gas Project. The purpose of the Mackenzie Gas Project is to develop three onshore gas fields in the Mackenzie Delta and to transport natural gas and natural gas liquids (NGLs) by pipeline to market.

This water licence application would permit certain undertakings associated with the Mackenzie Gas Project in the Mackenzie Valley. The water licence would authorize the installation and operation of watercourse crossings that are five or more metres wide at ordinary high-water marks, barge landing sites and watercourse training measures where required.

This application describes:

- 1 crossing by the gathering pipeline
- 47 crossings by the natural gas liquids pipeline
- 131 crossings by the gas pipeline
- 132 crossings by the travel lane
- 8 crossings by all-weather access roads
- 232 crossings by temporary winter access roads
- 11 new or upgraded barge landing sites

Imperial will also file with Transport Canada applications relating to watercourse crossings of navigable waterways within the Mackenzie Valley, including:

- an application under Section 108 of the *National Energy Board Act*
- an application under Section 5 of the *Navigable Waters Protection Act* for watercourse crossings and modifications to the barge landing sites

A cheque for \$30.00 is enclosed for the application fee.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Jim Hawkins at (403) 237-2806, by facsimile (403) 237-2208, or via email at [jim.r.hawkins@exxonmobil.com](mailto:jim.r.hawkins@exxonmobil.com).

Yours truly,

(original signed by)

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