

## **AER Proceeding 418**

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Bennet Jones LLP Alberta Energy Regulator
Attention: Daron Naffin Enterprise Reclamation Group
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Re: Withdrawal of Request for Regulatory Appeal by ORLEN Upstream Canada Ltd. Discontinuation of Regulatory Appeal 1936577

I am writing to you as the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) hearing commissioner panel assigned to this proceeding (panel).

On December 16, 2021, ORLEN Upstream Canada Ltd. (ORLEN) requested a regulatory appeal of the AER's decision to refuse to issue Reclamation Certificate Application No. 31344596. On April 29, 2022, the AER granted ORLEN's request for regulatory appeal.

On May 25, 2022, the panel granted the first of several abeyances made at the mutual request of the parties.

On April 18, 2023, Orlen notified the panel that they were withdrawing their requests for regulatory appeal.

Accordingly, the AER has discontinued the regulatory appeal and a public hearing will not be held.

Sincerely,

C. L. F. Chiasson Presiding Hearing Commissioner

cc: Jason Pytlarz, ORLEN Upstream Canada Ltd. Charles Johnson and Patricia Johnson Tara Wheaton, Hearing coordinator William McClary, AER counsel for the panel