

November 18, 2015

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ATTENTION: John Gruber

**PROCEEDING ID 336  
BEARSPAW PETROLEUM LTD.  
CROSSFIELD BASAL QUARTZ C & V POOLS**

Dear Mr. Gruber:

The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) acknowledges receipt of your letter dated November 17, 2015 on behalf of Bearspaw Petroleum Ltd (Bearspaw). In that letter you requested a one week extension to the date by which Bearspaw is required to respond to any requests to participate that may be filed in the proceeding. The requested extension would give Bearspaw until December 4, 2015 to file a response. The hearing panel has asked me to communicate its decision to Bearspaw and the statement of concern filers.

In making its decision, the panel noted the reason given by Bearspaw for the request was that “one of the principals of Bearspaw responsible for this matter will be away from November 20-27 2015”. The panel considered the potential for prejudice to Bearspaw and any potential participants if the filing extension was granted, including the possibility of a later hearing date. It noted that Bearspaw, as the applicant in the proceeding is potentially the party to suffer prejudice if the hearing date is delayed. Bearspaw is also the party seeking the extension request.

Having considered this matter, the panel has decided to grant the extension request and the new date for Bearspaw’s response is December 4, 2015

Yours truly,

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