

BY E-MAIL ONLY

April 4, 2018

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**APPLICATION No. 1899100 from SUNCOR ENERGY INC.  
STATEMENT OF CONCERN REGISTRATION NO. 31101**

Dear Diane Scoville:

The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) acknowledges receipt of your letter dated March 29, 2018 in which you outlined concerns about the subject application. Your letter has been received after the deadline for filing statements of concern (SOC). The *Responsible Energy Development Act* and the *AER Rules of Practice* require you to file a statement of concern within the deadline set out in the notice of application, unless the AER grants an extension to the filing deadline.

The AER has decided to accept your late filed concerns and has assigned SOC registration number 31101. The decision was based on the following:

- The applicant has not expressed an objection to your late filed SOC.
- Accepting the SOC would not cause an unreasonable delay in processing the application or result in any unfairness to the applicant.

By way of copy of this letter to Suncor Energy Inc., we are encouraging them to contact you to attempt to address your concerns, in addition to any personal consultation that may be required under AER requirements. As per the AER's process, a formal written response to your statement of concern will be requested from the applicant at a future date.

The AER offers and strongly recommends you make use of our Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) program which features either staff or third party mediation arranged through an AER mediator. Please contact Darcy Allen at 1 (780) 642-9289 for more information on this process. Further information about this program is available through *EnerFAQs: All About Alternative Dispute Resolution* and *Manual 004: ADR Alternative Dispute Resolution Program and Guidelines for Energy Industry Disputes* on the AER

web site, (<http://www.aer.ca>), under Applications & Notices, Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Process.

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Please note that the AER has no jurisdiction over matters of compensation for land usage. The Alberta Surface Rights Board is the regulatory agency that deals with these issues.

Please note that Section 49 of the *Alberta Energy Regulator Rules of Practice* (Rules) requires that all documents filed with the AER be placed on the public record. However, any party may file a request for confidentiality of information under Section 49 prior to filing the information with the AER. Any request under Section 49 must be copied to the other parties to the proceeding. Section 49 of the Rules is available at the AER website at [www.aer.ca](http://www.aer.ca).

If you have any questions, contact Lynn Maric at 403-297-5292 or e-mail [lynn.maric@aer.ca](mailto:lynn.maric@aer.ca).

Sincerely,

<Original Signed By>

Helene de Beer

Director, Authorizations- In Situ

Enclosure (1): **(Statement of Concern)**

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