

BY EMAIL ONLY

January 29, 2019

Dale Zorthian

COAL CONSERVATION ACT (CCA) APPLICATION NO. 1909318
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT ACT (EPEA)
APPLICATION NO. 020-00046972
WATER ACT (WA) APPLICATION NO. 011-00205213
CARDINAL RIVER OPERATIONS LTD.
CHEVIOT COAL MINE
TRACKING NO. 31422

Dear Dale Zorthian:

Thank you for your correspondence dated June 1, 2018, received by the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) on January 28, 2019, in which you outlined concerns about the subject applications. The deadline to file your statement of concern (SOC) was June 15, 2018 at 4:00 PM; your correspondence was received after the deadline for filing a statement of concern (SOC).

In accordance with the *Responsible Energy Development Act* and the *AER Rules of Practice* (Rules), the AER posts public notice for all application submissions on our website, and requires SOC's be filed within the deadline set out in the notice of application. The AER has determined your statement of concern was not submitted within the time limit specified in section 5.3(a) of the Rules. Section 45 of the Rules provides that no party may file a SOC after the filing time limit has elapsed. As such, your SOC will not be considered further and will not be registered.

If you have any questions, contact me at 403-297-3431 or email [SOC@aer.ca](mailto:SOC@ aer.ca).

Sincerely,

<Original signed by>

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SOC Assessor

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