

Proceeding 390
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Attention: Daryl Bennett

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Alberta Energy Regulator
Reclamation Program Group (RPG)
Attention: Sean Sexton

Re: Sitka Bonavista Reconsideration 1916224
Hearing Date and Submission Schedule

Dear Sirs:

The panel of Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) hearing commissioners assigned to this matter (the panel) has asked that I communicate to you the following in regard to the hearing in this proceeding.

The panel has reviewed the responses to its letter dated September 16, 2020, regarding hearing availability. The panel confirms that the hearing for this proceeding will commence on February 1, 2021. The hearing will be held via Zoom unless circumstances change significantly by the start of 2021, in which case the panel may re-examine the possibility of holding an in-person public hearing. Further procedural details and guidance will be provided in due course.

Hearing Schedule

November 16, 2020	Initial Submissions due from all parties
December 14, 2020	Responses to Initial Submissions due from all parties
January 13, 2021	Zoom Practice Session with all hearing participants (Invite will be sent by email in advance)
January 18, 2021	Reply to Response Submissions due from all parties
January 21, 2021	Final Date for Prehearing Motions
February 1-5, 2021	Hearing (Electronic)

All submission filings are concurrent, consistent with the panel's decision to not assign an onus of proof to any party. The Response (second) submission is the opportunity to respond to the other parties' Initial Submission. The Reply (third) submission is the opportunity to respond to matters raised, for the first time, in other parties' Response submissions.

In the Response and Reply submissions, parties are limited to responding to matters raised in other parties' immediately previous submissions and providing supporting evidence; that is, those submissions may not raise new issues unrelated to the immediately previous submission nor submit evidence in that regard. The Reply does not provide an opportunity to respond to matters arising from other parties' Initial Submission. Additionally, the Response and Reply submissions should not be a repeat of a party's Initial Submissions.

Please note that the panel may request further information from the parties throughout the process. Parties will be expected to submit a written response within the time frame provided by the panel.

All submissions must be submitted to hearing.services@aer.ca by **noon on the stated date**. Submissions should be in PDF format, page numbered to match the PDF page number, bookmarked, and searchable (optical character recognition). Submissions must meet the requirements of section 9.2(2) of the *Alberta Energy Regulator Rules of Practice*.

The schedule includes a Zoom practice session, which is mandatory for all parties. An email invitation and further details will be provided in advance, closer to the session date.

The panel will determine and advise the parties of the order of presentation and other hearing details closer to the hearing date.

If you have any questions, please contact me at hearing.services@aer.ca.

Sincerely,

Tammy Turner

Hearing Coordinator, Hearing Services

cc: Colin Hennel, Bonavista Energy Corporation
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