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By Email Only

Jeff Holmes (Mountain View County)

**Statement of Concern No. 32191  
Shanpet Resources Ltd.  
Application No. 31990659**

Dear Mr. Holmes:

You are receiving this letter because you filed a statement of concern (SOC) about Application No. 31990659. The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) has reviewed your SOC, along with the application, and all applicable requirements and other submissions or information about the application. The AER has decided that a hearing is not required to consider the concerns outlined in your SOC.

In our review of your concerns, we considered the following:

- The subject application is being reviewed in accordance with *Directive 056: Energy Development Applications and Schedules* requirements. As such, the concerns regarding the applicant's compliance with *Directive 067: Eligibility Requirements for Acquiring and Holding Energy Licences and Approvals* application requirements are out of scope.
- You may contact the AER Energy and Environmental Emergency 24-Hour Response Line 1-800-222-6514 to file any complaints or compliance concerns regarding existing approvals. Shanpet Resources is required to address all complaints if any arise regarding approval conditions.
- The AER acknowledges your concerns regarding municipal taxes. However, this is outside of the AER jurisdiction for the subject application.
- You are located over 200 km from the pipeline location and have not demonstrated how you may be directly and adversely affected by the approval of the application.

Based on the above, the AER has concluded that it is not necessary to hold a hearing before making a decision on the application. The AER has issued the applied-for licence, and this is your notice of that decision. A copy of the licence is attached.

All AER-regulated parties must comply not only with the conditions of their authorizations, but with all of the AER's regulatory requirements. To ensure industry compliance the AER has developed its *Integrated Compliance Assurance Framework*, which embodies the three main components of all effective compliance assurance programs, those being education, prevention, and enforcement. You can find out more about how the AER verifies industry compliance and responds to noncompliance here: <https://aer.ca/regulating-development/compliance/compliance-assurance-program>.

You may file a regulatory appeal on the AER's decision to issue the licence if you meet the criteria within section 36 of the *Responsible Energy Development Act*. Filing instructions and forms are located here: <https://www.aer.ca/regulating-development/project-application/regulatory-appeal-process>.

If you have any questions, please contact [SOC@aer.ca](mailto:SOC@aer.ca).

Sincerely,

<Original Signed By>

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Attachment (1): Licence

cc: Gerard Kulcsar, Shanpet Resources Ltd.  
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