

BY E-MAIL ONLY

May 11, 2017

Margaret Luker  
**Mikisew Cree First Nation**

**APPLICATION NO. OSE160038 FROM CANADIAN NATURAL RESOURCES  
LIMITED  
STATEMENT OF CONCERN NO. 30536**

Dear Margaret Luker:

You are receiving this letter because you filed a statement of concern about Application No. OSE160038 on behalf of Mikisew Cree First Nation (MCFN). The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) has reviewed your statement of concern, along with the application, the applicable requirements, and other submissions or information about the applications and has decided that a hearing is not required under an enactment or otherwise necessary to consider the concerns outlined in your statement of concern.

In its review of your concerns, the AER considered the following:

- The project is located about 20 kilometres southeast from Fort McKay, where many members live.
- The proposed project is located within MCFN's traditional territory.
- MCFN did not provide site-specific information regarding the location of traditional land use sites along the proposed pipeline route or other information sufficient to demonstrate MCFN might be directly and adversely affected by the application.

The AER has issued the applied-for approval and this is your notice of that decision. A copy of the approval is attached. Under the *Responsible Energy Development Act* an eligible person may file a request for a regulatory appeal on an appealable decision. Eligible persons and appealable decisions are defined in section 36 of the *Responsible Energy Development Act* and section 3.1 of the *Responsible Energy Development Act General Regulation*. If you wish to file a request for regulatory appeal, you must submit

your request in the form and manner and within the timeframe required by the AER. You can find filing requirements and forms on the AER website [www.aer.ca](http://www.aer.ca) under Applications & Notices: Appeals.

If you have any questions, contact Rachel Ruddell at 403-297-8557 or e-mail [rachel.ruddell@aer.ca](mailto:rachel.ruddell@aer.ca).

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Sincerely,

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Erik Kuleba

Director, Mining Authorizations

Enclosure (1): OSE160038 Approval

cc: Bob Dunn, Canadian Natural Resources Limited  
AER SOC Coordinator  
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