

Via Email

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**Roland Delaire & Janice Long** 

Cenovus Energy Inc.

Attention: Roland Delaire Attention: Sean Wakulchyk

Dear Sirs,

## RE: Request for Regulatory Appeal by Roland Delaire & Janice Long Cenovus Energy Inc. Reclamation Certificate No.: 1659128 Location: CVE GNCOURT 4-23-58-9; SW 4-23-58-9-W5M Regulatory Appeal No. 1927465

On February 10, 2020, the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) received a request for regulatory appeal, from Mr. Delaire, of the reclamation certificate no. 1659128 (the Reclamation Certificate), which was issued to Cenovus Energy Inc. (Cenovus) on January 3, 2020.

On February 27, 2020, the AER issued correspondence to the parties requesting submissions on the merits of the request for regulatory appeal.

On March 17, 2020, the AER received correspondence from Cenovus indicating that it wished to cancel the Reclamation Certificate and complete some additional work at the location. The AER Enterprise Reclamation Group (ERG) cancelled the Reclamation Certificate on March 17, 2020, and provided confirmation of the cancellation to the parties the same day.

Given Cenovus' submission and the ERG's decision to cancel the Reclamation Certificate, the AER notes that the relief being sought in Mr. Delaire's request for regulatory appeal has effectively been granted, and any determination related to the requested relief has become moot and not necessary.

Accordingly, the AER will be closing its file in relation to this matter and no further action will be taken with regard to this regulatory appeal request. Before this file is closed, the AER would like to provide Mr. Delaire with an opportunity to provide any final submissions on the matter. Mr. Delaire may file his response by no later than 4:00 pm on April 7, 2020.

Please be reminded that pursuant to section 49 of the *Alberta Energy Regulator Rules of Practice* all documents filed will be placed on the public record. Please also be reminded to copy all parties on any communications related to this matter.

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Sincerely,

<Original signed by>

Aimée Hockenhull Regulatory Appeals Coordinator

cc: Corey Zadko, Enterprise Reclamation