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**BY EMAIL**

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Dear Mr. Registrar:

**Re: SCC File No. 36167 - Ernst vs. AER : R. 49 Response to Goodhart Intervener Motion**

I write as Ottawa Agent for counsel for the Respondent, Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) to respond to the late intervener motion of Rupert Goodhart, as follows:

1. The AER takes no position on this intervener motion;
2. Even if this were a meritorious motion, granting a time extension of almost 2 months to intervene in an appeal to be heard on January 12, 2016 is procedurally unfair to the main parties who already face reviewing the materials of 7 interveners between December 23 and the hearing date.

Sincerely,  
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