

Temporary Suspension and Revised Terms of Reference

By letter dated December 15, 2009, the Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources has indicated that the Transmission Inquiry should be suspended until May 31, 2010 and that during that period the Minister would not expect the Commission "...to request or receive submissions from Inquiry participants, other than those required for administrative purposes to suspend the Inquiry." The Minister's letter also indicates that he will be issuing a revised Terms of Reference for the Inquiry. That letter is posted with other Transmission Inquiry exhibits as Exhibit A-35.

The Transmission Inquiry Panel will be issuing an order shortly to suspend the Inquiry until May 31, 2010.