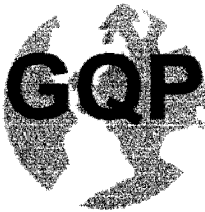


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Attention: Melinda Donovan, Regional Superintendent

Re: Marine Terminal, White's Point, Digby County, N.S.

Dear Ms. Donovan:

As you are aware we have submitted an Application under the Navigable Waters Protection Act for the above project and are currently under a Panel Review process being conducted jointly by the Federal and Provincial Governments.

We note the following quote from the Chronicle Herald of July 3rd, 2003.

"Our analysis has.....determined that the marine terminal portion of the project will interfere substantially with navigation, thereby requiring formal approval.....under the Navigable Waters Protection Act", Mr. Thibault wrote Environment Minister David Anderson last week.

And the quote from the Digby Courier of July 9th, 2003 follows:

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"Thibault said in his letter to Anderson that his department believes the proposed marine terminal will interfere substantially with navigation in the Bay of Fundy and is likely to disrupt or destroy fish habitat".

Would you please advise what interference to navigation is anticipated from the marine terminal so that we can address this issue in our submission to the Panel?

Yours truly,

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