DECISION

May 1, 2008 -- Transport Canada and Fisheries and Oceans Canada have taken the following course of action on May 1, 2008 relating to the comprehensive study of the Southern Head Marine Terminal and Associated Works related to Crude Oil Refinery Development Proposal. The authorities may exercise any power or perform any duty or function with respect to the project because, after taking into consideration the comprehensive study report and taking into account the implementation of appropriate mitigation measures, the authorities are of the opinion that the project is not likely to cause significant adverse environmental effects.

Implementation of mitigation measures is required for the project to address:

- mammals and/or their habitat
- birds and/or their habitat
- fish and/or their habitat
- water quality
- water quantity
- sedimentation

A follow-up program to verify the accuracy of the environmental assessment and/or determine the effectiveness of any measures taken to mitigate the adverse environmental effects is required for this project. The estimated start and end dates of the follow-up program are June 1, 2008 and June 1, 2018, respectively.

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