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Simon Toogood Environmental Assessment Officer Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board 200 Scotia Centre Box 938, 5102-50th Ave Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N7

Dear Mr. Toogood:

This letter is in regards to the Husky Oil Operations' Chedabucto Environmental Assessment community hearing scheduled for June 26, 2015 in Behchokò at the Elizabeth Mackenzie Elementary School.

As you are aware, the north is a bustling place in the summer and Behchokò is no different. As mentioned to you via telephone today, the date chosen for the hearing in Behchokò conflicts with the community's busy schedule. Not only is it the last day of school, with many families planning their vacation for the summer, it is also the start of the canoe journey to Gamètì for the Tłıcho Government's annual gathering which many community members participate in.

Therefore, the Tłįchǫ Government requests that you reschedule the public hearing in Behchokǫ to another date, dates below would be satisfactory:

June 16-18

Thank you for considering this request and we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Grace Mackenzie

Mines Liaison Coordinator

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