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Note to File

To all parties:

RE: Yvonne Nakimayak's participation in the Imperial Closure EA

Ms. Yvonne Nakimayak is recused as a Board member in the Imperial Closure environmental assessment (EA).

Ms. Nakimayak, Sahtu nominee on the Mackenzie Valley Review Board, is currently employed by the Tłegǫ̀hłı̨ Got'ı̨nę Government (TGG), which is also a party to the Imperial Oil Closure nvironmental assessment. Because of this employment, she is recused as a Review Board member on this file to avoid any potential apprehension of bias or conflict of interest.

Ms. Nakimayak will continue to act as a board member on other environmental assessments.

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