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Dear Ms. Wood,

**RE: OBSERVATION WELL STATUS APPROVAL
CNRL ET AL INGA 14-17-86-23 (WA 8138)
INGA – INGA “A”**

The BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) is presently reviewing observation wells, to confirm the suitability of this status and amend or rescind approvals, to conform to current requirements. Staff have reviewed the observation well in the Inga field, Inga “A” pool; CNRL et al Inga 14-17-86-23 (WA 8138).

The Drilling and Production Regulation Part 1 defines an observation well as “a well or a portion of a well designated as an observation well under section 2 (7)”.

- 2 (7) An official may designate a well as an observation well if
- (a) the well is being used to monitor reservoir pressures or to obtain other formation information, and
 - (b) the well is not used to produce from, or inject or dispose of fluids into, a formation being monitored.

The subject well was drilled in 1993 and the Inga formation was completed for the purpose of oil production, producing from 1993 to 1994. In 1996 the well was converted to water injection, injecting into the formation between 1996 and 1997. The status of the Inga completion event was changed to observation in June 2012.

Approval of observation status is granted for CNRL et al Inga 14-17-86-23 (WA 8138), for the Inga “A” pool, with the following requirements;

- conduct a reservoir pressure test annually.

Failure to meet this condition will result in removal of the observation well designation.

Please be reminded that the Inga – Inga “A” pool is subject to the annual pressure testing requirements outlined in Section 73 of the Drilling and Production Regulation. All reservoir pressure tests conducted must be submitted to the Commission within 60 days after the date on which the pressure was measured.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kathryn Archibald at (250) 419-4457 or the undersigned at (250) 419-4430.

Sincerely,



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