

FILE NO.: SCT-5002-14
DATE: 20180123

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL DES REVENDICATIONS PARTICULIÈRES**

BETWEEN:)	
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KINISTIN SAULTEAUX NATION)	
)	Bruce J. Slusar, for the Claimant
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Claimant)	
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– and –)	
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HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT)	
OF CANADA)	
As represented by the Minister of Indian)	Jody Lintott, for the Respondent
Affairs and Northern Development)	
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Respondent)	
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)	HEARD: January 15, 2018

ENDORSEMENT

Honourable W. L. Whalen

A Case Management Conference (CMC) was held by teleconference on January 15, 2018, at 12:00 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

[1] The Respondent has identified its expert, Mr. David Barker MSc, RPF, to the Claimant and provided the expert’s curriculum vitae and terms of reference. The Respondent had requested copies of certain documents in the Claimant’s possession and a clearer copy of a map in aid of its expert’s preparation of his report. The Claimant has provided most of the documents

and will provide the rest shortly. It is also attempting to find a clearer copy of the map in question, although it states that the present map is workable if necessary.

[2] The Respondent is hopeful that its expert's report will be completed by the end of January 2018.

[3] Once the Respondent's expert report has been produced, the Parties have proposed working collaboratively on a plan for next steps, including in respect of development of historic value.

[4] The Parties are working collaboratively on the preparation of a Common Book of Documents, an Agreed Statement of Facts and an Agreed Statement of Issues, which cannot be completed until the expert reports and testimony have been received.

[5] The next CMC will consider the holding of an expert witness hearing during the summer or fall of 2018, bifurcation and the potential for mediation.

[6] The next CMC will be held by teleconference on **April 9, 2018**, at 11:00 A.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

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