

FILE NO.: SCT-5004-13
DATE: 20150910

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL DES REVENDICATIONS PARTICULIÈRES**

BETWEEN:)	
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WOOD MOUNTAIN LAKOTA FIRST)	
NATION)	G. Rangi Jeerakathil and T. Joshua
)	Morrison, 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)	Lauri M. Miller, for the Respondent
As represented by the Minister of Indian)	
Affairs and Northern Development)	
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Respondent)	
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)	HEARD: September 8, 2015

ENDORSEMENT

Honourable W.L. Whalen

A Case Management Conference (CMC) was held by teleconference on September 8, 2015, at 12:00 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

[1] The Claimant reported that it has produced Will-Says to the Respondent of its proposed oral history witnesses, Hartland Goodtrack and Councillor Dave Ogle. However, it has indicated that it will restrict its oral history evidence to the testimony of Hartland Goodtrack. Councillor

Dave Ogle's role will be limited to introducing Mr. Goodtrack and providing his background qualifications to provide oral history evidence. The Parties confirmed that they are ready to proceed with the oral history evidence hearing in Regina, Saskatchewan, at 10:00 A.M., on September 29, 2015. The Claimant is presently unaware of whether there will be any special ceremony at any point in the hearing, but will advise the Tribunal in advance. The Claimant confirmed that no translation would be required.

[2] The Claimant reported that its expert report has not yet been completed, but that it expects to be able to produce a final copy to the Respondent on or before **September 30, 2015**.

[3] The Respondent indicated that it may retain a responding expert, but cannot decide until it has received and reviewed the Claimant's expert report. The question will be revisited at the next CMC.

[4] The Parties reported that a Common Book of Documents is in an advanced state of preparation. However, the Claimant expects that it will have more documents to produce as a result of its expert's report and some documents that the Band has recently discovered. These additional documents will have to be considered for the Common Book of Documents. The Claimant will provide the Respondent with such further documents at the same time that it delivers its expert report. This question will be reviewed at the next CMC.

[5] The Claimant reported that it has partially drafted an Agreed Statement of Facts. The Parties expect that while they will be able to work cooperatively on the completion of an Agreed Statement of Facts, it cannot be completed until the experts' reports are produced. Progress on the Agreed Statement of Facts will be reviewed at the next CMC.

[6] The next CMC will be held by teleconference on **December 14, 2015**, at 12:30 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

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