

FILE NO.: SCT-7005-13
DATE: 20150909

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL DES REVENDICATIONS PARTICULIÈRES**

BETWEEN:)
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) Kate M. Blomfield and Emma Hume, for the
) Claimant)
- and -)
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HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT)
OF CANADA)
As represented by the Minister of Indian) John Russell and Marnie Munro, for the
Affairs and Northern Development) Respondent
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) Respondent)
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) **HEARD:** September 3, 2015
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ENDORSEMENT

Honourable W.L. Whalen

A Case Management Conference (CMC) was held by teleconference on September 3, 2015, at 2:00 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

[1] The Respondent reported that it had recently produced 680 documents it considered relevant and not privileged. It expects to receive further documents as a result of provincial archival research and which it is directed to produce on or before **September 30, 2015**.

[2] The Claimant noted that the documents produced thus far contained only metadata relating to their date, and not document name and type as is normally provided. The Respondent shall enquire with its client the reason for this and whether the additional metadata can be provided.

[3] Considerable discussion took place about how the Parties could most efficiently work towards the completion of a Document Agreement and a Common Book of Documents. As a result, it is directed that:

- (a) On or before **November 30, 2015**, the Claimant propose to the Respondent its list of documents to be included in the Common Book of Documents together with commentary of purpose, conditions or limitations;
- (b) On or before **January 29, 2016**, the Respondent provide to the Claimant its similar responding list of documents with commentary of purpose, conditions or limitations.

[4] In anticipation of the next CMC, the Parties are directed to file Status Reports on or before **December 11, 2015**, outlining their progress on the review of documents, the Respondent's initial impression in respect of the Claimant's proposed list of documents (including any difficulties or questions), and the Parties' progress in the drafting of an Agreed Statement of Facts.

[5] The next CMC will be held by teleconference on December 16, 2015, at 2:00 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa). The Parties are not required to file CMC Briefs for the next CMC.

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