



Kinder Morgan Canada Inc.
Suite 2700, 300 – 5th Avenue SW
Calgary, AB Canada T2P 5J2
Tel: (403) 514-6400
Fax: (403) 514-6622
Toll Free: 1 (800) 535-7219
www.kindermorgan.com

VIA HAND DELIVERY

17 May 2016

National Energy Board
517 Tenth Avenue S.W.
Calgary, Alberta T2R 0A8

MAIL ROOM
SALE DE COURIER
2016 MAY 17 P 1:59
NEB/ONE

To: Ms. Sheri Young, Secretary, National Energy Board

Dear Ms. Young:

Re: **Trans Mountain Pipeline ULC**
Identification of Pipe and Fittings with Potential to Exhibit Substandard Material Properties
Order MO-001-2016 – Interim Report
NEB File: OF-Surv-Gen 1101

Trans Mountain Pipeline ULC (“Trans Mountain”) is in receipt of National Energy Board’s (the “Board”) letter dated 11 April 2016 that permits an extension to 30 September 2016 to comply with the conditions of Order MO-001-2016. The Board has directed Trans Mountain to file an interim report on progress and findings by 17 May 2016.

At this time, Trans Mountain has commenced a large-scale file review, retrieving engineering records with respect to its capital projects. The majority of the files are located in offsite storage. Material test reports for each pipe segment will be compared to the hydrostatic test data to ensure that the properties of given pipe segment or fitting aligns with manufacturer specifications. Material test reports will also be reviewed for the presence of fittings purchased from Canadoil Asia with production originating in Thailand, as required by Condition 1 of the Order. As required by Condition 2 of the Order, Trans Mountain confirms that there are no Grade 550 fittings manufactured by the EZEflow Group on the Trans Mountain system.

Should you have any questions or wish to discuss further, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Megan Sartore
Regulatory Compliance Lead, Regulatory Affairs
(403) 514-6614 (Direct)
(403) 514-6622 (Fax)
Megan_Sartore@kindermorgan.com