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## 2617 APPENDIX F. ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

API	American Petroleum Institute
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
bbl	Barrel
ВС	British Columbia
CALMET	California Meteorological Model
СВ	Current Buster
CLB	Cold Lake Blend Diluted Bitumen
СР	Containment Point
cST	Centistokes
Dilbit	Diluted bitumen
DNV	Det Norske Veritas
EDRC	Effective Daily Recovery Capacity
ft	Feet
hr	Hour
IOSC	International Oil Spill Conference
Km	Kilometer
kph	Kilometers per hour
kts	Knots
LLC	Limited Liability Company
m	Meter
m <sup>3</sup>	Cubic meter
MM5	Penn State Fifth Generation Mesoscale Model
n/a	Not applicable
NAS	National Academy of Sciences (US)
NCAR	National Center for Atmospheric Research (US)
NDBC	National Data Buoy Center (US)

NEB	National Energy Board (CA)
NHC	Northwest Hydraulic Consultants
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (US)
OSCAR	Oil Spill Containment and Response
osv	Offshore Supply Vessel
OSRO	Oil Spill Response Organizations
OSRV	Oil Spill Recovery Vessel
ow	Open Water
PW	Protected Water
RCA	Response Capacity Analysis
RGA	Response Gap Analysis
RGI	Response Gap Index
ROC	Response Options Calculator
ST	Strike Team
TF	Task Force
Trans Mountain Expansion	Trans Mountain Pipeline Expansion
TR	TERMPOL Report
UMBRA	Upper Mississippi River Basin Association
UMWM	University of Miami Wave Model
US	United States
USCG	United States Coast Guard
USDHS	United States Department of Homeland Secuirty
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
WCMRC	Western Canada Marine Response Corporation
WRRL	Western Response Resource List

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APPENDIX G. CERTIFICATE OF EXPERTS' DUTY

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2622	Nuka	Nuka Research has been engaged on behalf of the Tsleil-Waututh Nation, the City of Vancouver, and			
2623	Tsawout First Nation to provide evidence in relation to Trans Mountain Pipeline ULC's Trans Mountain				
2624		sion Project application currently before the National Energy Board.			
2625	In prov	riding evidence in relation to the above-noted proceeding, Nuka Research acknowledges that it is our			
2626	duty to provide evidence as follows:				
2627	1.	to provide evidence that is fair, objective, and non-partisan;			
2628	2.	to provide evidence that is related only to matters within our area of expertise; and			
2629	3.	to provide such additional assistance as the tribunal may reasonably require to determine a matter in			
2630	issue.				
2631	We a	knowledge that our duty is to assist the tribunal, not act as an advocate for any particular party. This			
2632	duty to	the tribunal prevails over any obligation we may owe any other party, including the parties on whose			
2633	behalf	we are engaged.			
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2636	Date:	25 November 2015 Signature:			