

March 1st, 2019 Enforcement File: 19-019FSJ

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Attention: Noel Millions and Jason Blanch

RE: Warning

On January 4, 2017, the BC Oil and Gas Commission (the Commission) authorized the expropriation of temporary work space by Encana Corporation (Encana) adjacent to the pipeline permitted under AD# 100084408, pursuant to section 34(5) of the *Oil and Gas Activities Act.* This authorization was made subject to several conditions, including:

- 4. EnCana shall take steps to ensure that the landowners for which this decision applies are informed of the status of construction and restoration on a regular basis (minimum monthly) until such time as EnCana's obligations to complete surface restoration and submit a Site Reclamation Assessment (Schedule B) relating to that restoration have been fulfilled. Within 1 year following the leave to open, EnCana shall submit to the Oil and Gas Commission a report summarizing how the temporary work space was used including:
 - a. A summary of preconstruction assessments;
 - b. Drawings and photographs showing how the temporary work space was used and an analysis of the percent of space that was used and for what purposes; and
 - c. A description of processes used for restoration and how the effectiveness of those processes is measured.

Records provided by Encana of correspondence with applicable landowners indicate that although Encana took steps to inform applicable landowners of the status of construction and restoration activities, it deviated from the status update frequency required under the above condition without prior clarification or guidance from the Commission.

Commission records indicate that Leave to Open for the applicable pipeline was on September 18, 2017. The report required under the above condition was submitted

by Encana on January 9, 2019, which was after the 1 year timeline requirement in the condition.

Encana is hereby warned by the Commission for failing to comply with the above condition. Please ensure that work procedures are amended and implemented to prevent the recurrence of such events.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Patrick Smook

Director, Compliance and Enforcement

BC Oil and Gas Commission

Cc Lance Ollenberger, VP Operations, BCOGC