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Member First Nations
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Dear Madam/Sir:

**Re: Joint Technical Committee
Recommendations to 2nd Consultation Draft
Proposed Indian Oil and Gas Regulations**

Pursuant to the Terms of Reference of the Joint Technical Committee 1(JTC1), please find the enclosed recommendations for changes to the 2nd Consultation Draft of the proposed Indian Oil and Gas Regulations.

The JTC1, along with our legal counsel Witten Law LLP, have reviewed the Draft dated, February 18th, 2015 and submitted our recommendations to Indian Oil and Gas Canada (IOGC) for their consideration. This submission to IOGC represents an accumulation of work that began with concepts then drafting instructions on the proposed regulations. Our group then turned our focus on reviewing and providing recommendations for changes on the first Consultation Draft back in early 2014.

This 2nd Draft was recently mailed out to all affected First Nations by IOGC with the opportunity to make comments on that draft. Thus, the Indian Resource Council and the JTC1 feel that our comments on that same draft would be of significant benefit in assisting First Nations by providing some additional information and helping them focus their comments on issues that have been raised by our group that included both technical and legal advisors.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call myself at (403) 281-8308. We are also available to meet with your individual First Nation to provide additional information on our work.

Yours truly,

David Shade
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