MINUTES

Muskrat Falls Project Oversight Committee

MEETING NO. 66 - September 12, 2019

Committee Members Present	Regrets		
Ms. Elizabeth Day, Clerk of the Executive			
Council (Items 1 and 2.1)			
Ms. Krista Quinlan, Deputy Clerk of the			
Executive Council (Item 1)			
	Mr. Charles Bown, Deputy Minister, Tourism,		
	Culture, Industry and Innovation		
Mr. John Cowan, Assistant Secretary to			
Cabinet for Economic Policy			
Mr. Craig Martin, ADM, Finance			
	Jennifer Mercer, DM (A), Justice and Public		
	Safety		
	Ms. Denise Hanrahan, DM, Finance		
Mr. Ted Lomond, DM, Natural Resources			
Mr. Corey Snook, ADM, Natural Resources			
Mr. Cory Grandy, ADM, Transportation and			
Works			
Mr. Randy Pelletier, Solicitor, Justice and			
Public Safety (Designate for DM)			
Ms. Lynn Zurel, Independent			
Judy Morrow, Independent			
	Mr. Paul Snelgrove, Independent		

Committee Support:

Mr. Paul Carter, Executive Director, Cabinet Secretariat (Chair)

Time:

1:30 p.m.

Place:

Confederation Building, Transportation and Works Boardroom, Fifth Floor, West

Block

1. Progress Update

Paul Carter provided a summary of the reporting periods ending June and July 2019 and discussed new independent members welcome to the Committee, Jason Muise concluding his time with the Committee, Astaldi arbitration (Randy Pelletier provided a status update in this regard), reservoir impoundment update and North Spur, powerhouse Unit 1 schedule, powerhouse commissioning power distribution, HVdc Protection and Controls (P&C) software delivery and schedule changes, Independent Third Party reports on P&C progress, synchronous condensers remediation and identification of new issues (vibration and binding), project

contingency status, Independent Engineer (IE) reports and upcoming visit, and the Committee's Q2 report.

2. Nalcor Project Updates

Nalcor officials presented Power Development and Power Supply project updates for the reporting period ending July 2019 and recent updates.

2.1 Power Development (Generation)

Mr. Gilbert Bennett, Executive Vice President, Power Development

Mr. Stephen Pellerin, Special Projects & 3rd Party Coordination Manager

Ms. Tanya Power, Project Controls Manager

Project update including discussion on safety performance, July 2019 project progress, budget and schedule, updates on key project milestones (Powerhouse, Transition Dams and Spillway, North and South Dams, Turbines and Generators, Balance of Plant, Hydro Mechanical), Astaldi arbitration, cost risk and contingency, commissioning power, and July 2019 IE site visit and meetings.

2.2 Power Supply (Transmission)

Jim Haynes, Executive Vice President, Power Supply Gerard Dunphy, Vice President and Project Director – Transmission Mr. Rosanne Williams, Strategy and 3rd Party Coordination Manager Ms. Tanya Power, Project Controls Manager

Project update including discussion on safety performance, July 2019 project progress, budget and schedule, P&C software testing stages. Independent Third Party review of software progress, bipole status, synchronous condensers remediation and new issues being identified during commissioning (vibration and binding), and remaining work schedule.

3. Review of Minutes

Committee Minutes from the July 9, 2019 were approved by email circulation due to meeting time constraints.

4. Committee Business

The Committee discussed the Nalcor project updates including commissioning power distribution during powerhouse commissioning, P&C software schedule risk, synchronous condenser new commissioning issues and project impacts, and employee wellbeing related to the Muskrat Falls Project Inquiry.

5. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 5:15 p.m.

Paul Carter Saul & Cantin

Executive Director, (Chair)

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