

May 29, 2016

Mr. Terry Paddon
Auditor General
Office of the Auditor General
5-7 Pippy Place
Box 8700
St. John's, NL A1B 4J6

Dear Mr. Paddon:

Pursuant to section 16 of the Auditor General Act and in accordance with OC2016-071 the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is requesting that you inquire into and report on the appropriateness of the severance benefits received by Mr. Edmund J. Martin upon cessation of his employment as Chief Executive Officer of Nalcor Energy.

Please be assured of the full cooperation of the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador in the conduct of your review.

Sincerely,



DWIGHT BALL
Premier
MHA, Humber-Gros Morne

cc: H. Stanley Marshall, Chief Executive Officer, Nalcor Energy
Honourable Siobhan Coady, Minister of Natural Resources