

**FILE NO.:** SCT-5004-14  
**DATE:** 20180219

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL  
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**BETWEEN:** )  
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) Sheryl A. Manychief, for the Claimant  
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Claimant )  
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OF CANADA ) David C. Culleton, for the Respondent  
As represented by the Minister of Indian )  
Affairs and Northern Development )  
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Respondent )  
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) **HEARD:** February 13, 2018

**ENDORSEMENT**

**Honourable Paul Mayer**

A Case Management Conference (CMC) was held by teleconference on February 13, 2018, at 4:30 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

[1] The Respondent shall provide the Claimant with the remaining documents in its possession on or before **March 15, 2018**.

[2] Prior to the next CMC, the Parties shall discuss by telephone their positions on the time required for the forensic accounting report, any need for more research, any jurisdictional issues, and any potential amendment of pleadings. The Parties shall also discuss how they may avoid legal issues relating to the report, and if such issues are unavoidable, then how they expect to deal with them.

[3] The Claimant expects that it will probably file an additional expert report. If this were to occur, it would be the historical report prepared in SCT-5003-14. The Respondent said it would then require time to set up a responding expert.

[4] At the next CMC, the Parties shall be prepared to discuss next steps including: which expert reports they expect to file with the Tribunal; the amount of time required for the completion of the expert reports; whether the Parties have resolved the potential jurisdictional and pleading-related issues and if not, their plan to address those issues; and any further steps the Parties are able to diarize to bring the matter to the expert evidence hearing.

[5] The next CMC will be held by teleconference on **March 6, 2018**, at 4:30 P.M., Eastern Time (Ottawa).

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Honourable Paul Mayer