

FILE NO.: SCT-7004-13

DATE: 20150724

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL DES REVENDICATIONS PARTICULIÈRES**

BETWEEN:)
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SKUPPAH INDIAN BAND) Clarine Ostrove and Leah Pence, for the
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Claimant)
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- and -)
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HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT)
OF CANADA)
As represented by the Minister of Indian) Heather Frankson, Karen Dawson and
Affairs and Northern Development) Mélanie Chartier, for the Respondent
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Respondent)
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- and -)
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BOOTHROYD, LYTTON AND)
SPUZZUM FIRST NATIONS acting) Leah Pence, for the Intervenor
collectively through THE)
NLAKA’PAMUX NATION TRIBAL)
COUNCIL)
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Intervenor)
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) **HEARD:** June 30, 2015

ENDORSEMENT

Honourable Harry Slade, Chairperson

A Case Management Conference (CMC) was held in person on June 30, 2015, at 9:54 A.M., in Vancouver.

[1] The Claimant shall serve two experts reports, prepared by Kent-Macpherson and McElhanney Consulting respectively, on the Respondent by the end of the day today, **June 30, 2015**.

[2] The Respondent shall have 60 days plus one week to file its responsive report to the two expert reports received from the Claimant, which is on or before **September 8, 2015**.

[3] A pre-hearing conference for the hearing scheduled for October 12-23, 2015 will be held on Friday, **September 18, 2015**, jointly with the *Siska Indian Band v. HMQ*, SCT-7002-14, in person in Vancouver, if possible. By this time, the Parties are to know the dates on which each witness and expert will be testifying. Priority is to be given to the experts.

[4] The Claimant shall file its supplementary report on or before **September 22, 2015**.

[5] The Parties shall identify the documents it intends to rely on, to be called “reliance documents, prior to the October hearing, after the exchange of the Memoranda of Fact and Law.

[6] The Parties will advise the Tribunal if they require a CMC to resolve any issues related to the Will-Says and Will-Asks.

[7] The October hearing will include oral history and the examination of experts. The Parties shall discuss and advise the Tribunal as to a shared hearing venue for the examination of the experts, and what evidence will be heard at which venue. Oral history will be heard in the Siska and Skuppah communities respectively.

[8] The Parties shall discuss with their respective clients what they would do should Justice Slade not be reappointed. Justice Slade will advise the Parties in September if he has concerns over potential delays due to his reappointment.

HARRY SLADE

Honourable Harry Slade, Chairperson