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**ATTN:** Meghan Gilgunn

**RE: Cedar LNG Project**

Thank you for your letter regarding the Cedar LNG Project seeking feedback on potential impacts of the project as well as on the BC EAO's request for a substituted process.

It is our understanding that this project is comprised of the following main components:

- Process and liquefy 3-4 MT of LNG per year
- Store capacity of 250,00 m<sup>3</sup>
- 25 year life span
- 40-50 shipments of LNG per year

Kitselas understands that the review of this project will be conducted under the new Impact Assessment Act (the Act). Kitselas is also aware that the proposed project under British Columbia's *Environmental Assessment Act* will also take place under the previous Act, as the 2018 Act is not yet in place.

With respect to the BC EAO's request for substitution, Kitselas has no opposition to a substitutive process in principle. However, in previous substitutive processes the Nation has noted a lack of complete and fulsome participation from the Agency and other federal authorities. As a substituted process does not alleviate the federal government from its obligations with respect to Consultation, Kitselas must note that while the process may be lead by the BC EAO, full and complete involvement from the Agency during the assessment process is required in order to provide our community with the assurance that the final decision on the Project by the federal Minister is accurately informed by the assessment process.

If you have any further questions regarding the comments above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

All my best,

<Original signed by>

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