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Dear Brent Parker:

Subject: Ring of Fire – Updated Federal Authority Advice Record

Thank you for your correspondence of October 24, 2023, in relation to the Regional Assessment for the Ring of Fire area in northern Ontario.

For matters relating to our mandate and area of expertise, Fisheries and Oceans Canada has considered the information available to date and provided updated advice in the attached Federal Authority Advice Record.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input on the conduct of the Regional Assessment and we look forward to continuing to work collaboratively with Indigenous groups, non-government organizations, the Province of Ontario and other federal departments to discuss appropriate activities, outcomes and spatial and temporal boundaries for the regional assessment.

If you have any questions, please contact Cindy Mitton-Wilkie at 905-630-8053, or by email at cynthia.mitton-wilkie@dfo-mpo.gc.ca.

Yours sincerely,

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