

November 1, 2024

Via E-mail

Impact Assessment Agency of Canada
22nd Floor, Place Bell
160 Elgin Street
Ottawa, ON K1A 0H3

Re: Marguerite Lake Compressed Air Energy Storage Project (Ref No. 87154)

Dear Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (IAAC):

Federation Group Inc. (Federation) received the Summary of Issues for the Project from IAAC on February 7, 2024. Federation also received a letter by IACC dated August 26, 2024, confirming that, following the amendments to the *Impact Assessment Act (IAA)* brought into force by the *Budget Implementation Act, 2024, No. 1* on June 20, 2024, a Detailed Project Description is not required for the Project at this time. As further provided in the August letter, Federation must provide a response to the Summary of Issues pursuant to section 15(1) of the *IAA*.

After discussions with IAAC and Federation's careful consideration of the Summary of Issues, Federation respectfully requests a time limit suspension effective immediately so that Federation may have sufficient time to prepare its responses to the Summary of Issues for submission with IAAC.

We remain committed to advancing the Project in a timely manner. Accordingly, Federation will keep IAAC informed of its progress.

Should you have any questions regarding this request, please contact the undersigned.

Best regards,

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