August 3, 2012

Environmental Appeals Board Hearing Schedule

The Environmental Appeals Board hearing that was scheduled for April 2012 will now take place on September 25, 26 and 27, 2012, commencing at 8:30 a.m. at the Board’s office in Edmonton.

The hearing is regarding the November 12, 2010 decision of Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development to issue *EPEA* Environmental Protection Order No. EPO-2010/48-CR to 719722 Alberta Ltd., in relation to the clean up of a retail gas station (Calmar Esso) located at 4710-50 Avenue, Calmar, Alberta.

The only issues the Board will hear at the hearing are:

1. Should the Order be varied to identify other persons responsible (i.e. previous owners or adjacent landowners)?
2. Are the terms and conditions in the Order reasonable (meaning technically and scientifically sound)? and
3. Is 719722 Alberta Ltd. responsible for all of the contamination that is required to be addressed under the Order?

The Environmental Appeals Board is a separate and independent body that reviews certain decisions made by Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development. The Board is composed of environmental experts from a variety of disciplines.

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