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EXHIBIT		A-8
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Dear Hon. Ms. Taylor:

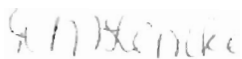
**Re: Yukon Utilities Board Review of Yukon Energy Corporation's 20-year Resource Plan**

In response to your letter of June 5, 2006, requesting the Yukon Utilities Board (YUB) to carry out a review and hold a hearing on Yukon Energy Corporation's 20-Year Resource Plan, the Board has commenced a process to conduct this review.

As part of this review, the Board held a Public Workshop on July 25, 2006. Concerns were expressed by a number of the parties who have registered with the YUB for this proceeding, both at the Public Workshop and in letters to the YUB, regarding the schedule the YUB established in Board Order 2006-5 to meet the October 31, 2006, deadline for its report to the Commissioner in Executive Council.

At the Public Workshop, all participants were supportive of the YUB requesting an extension of the deadline for the report. The YUB is suggesting a revised schedule to address the concerns expressed by the parties which would have the report to the Commissioner in Executive Council by January 15, 2007. Please advise as soon as possible whether this date is acceptable, as the YUB must issue a revised procedural order setting out a revised schedule.

Sincerely,



W.S. Wendy Shanks  
Vice-Chair