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Proceeding with the EA

Hi Marty,

Here is an e-mail describing what we talked about earlier today.

If WesternGeco does not intend to make significant changes to your development due to the test program results, then we would consider accepting the following documents as your EA submission to the Review Board:

- the EIA from April 2002;
- the IR responses to the NEB; and
- the test program report.

Any minor changes to the development as a result of the test program will need to be noted.

The EA is and will stay officially on hold until you submit your test program report. However, based on your comment that the test program report will be available at the beginning of November, there is some work that I will do internally. I will prepare the draft Terms of Reference and Work Plan so that it is available for release soon after you submit your test program report. There will be a comment period and then the final ToR and WP will be released.

When I am preparing the ToR, what I will do is develop ther scope of the assessment and then review the above 3 documents to see if the information has already been provided. If it has, then we can move right into the technical review. If there are any areas of the scope of the assessment that has not been addressed by the above 3 documents. then you would be asked to provide a submission that fills those gaps.

If you have any questions, let me know.

Thanks for the update today,

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