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Attention: Judicial Administrator

Dear Sir/Madam:

**Re: Dr. Gábor Lukács v. Canadian Transportation Agency et al
Federal Court of Appeal File No.: A-242-16**

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I am writing in response to the letter of Gabor Lukacs dated August 15, 2016. Given the various moving parts to this matter, I thought it would be helpful to the Court, when fixing a hearing date, to consider the following:

- (1) Mr. Lukács' preference is to have hearing held in Halifax or via video conference. Both Mr. Matte and I wish to personally appear in Court and we are in the Court's hands as to the location of the appeal hearing.
- (2) On June 9, 2016, the Court ordered that: "If the application for judicial review in Federal Court of Appeal File No. A-39-16 is not rendered moot by this Order and if this appeal is expedited, then this appeal shall be heard immediately following the judicial review application in Federal Court of Appeal No. A-39-16".
- (3) The Agency has brought a motion to strike out the judicial review application and that matter has not been set down for hearing.
- (4) Unless the Court determines otherwise, it would appear that the issue of whether the judicial review application is moot must be decided in order to determine whether there will be just a hearing on the appeal or whether there will be separate hearings on the judicial review application and the appeal, one to follow the other as per the Court's Order.

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I trust that this synopsis will be helpful to the Court when determining the date and hearing location for the appeal.

Yours truly,

D'ARCY & DEACON LLP

Per:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "B. Meronek", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

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