

**Via Email**

October 18, 2016

Mark Dorin  
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Dear Sir:

**RE: Request for Regulatory Appeal  
Penn West Petroleum Limited  
Application No.: 1832419  
Approval No.: 12447  
Regulatory Appeal No. 1869031**

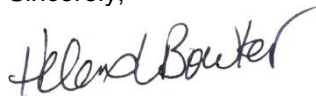
The Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) acknowledges receipt of a copy of correspondence you sent to Dr. Singh dated September 26, 2016.

Please note that the email will not be added or filed as part of the record for the above noted Request for Regulatory Appeal nor will its contents be considered by the AER because it appears to be private communication between you and a third party not participating in the proceeding.

To ensure clarity of the submissions to be considered in this proceeding, please refrain from copying the AER on such future correspondence. We look forward to your submission in response to the AER's letter dated October 12, 2016.

If you have any questions regarding the AER's regulatory appeal request procedures, please contact Helen Bowker with the AER Law Branch at 403-297-2425 or through our Customer Contact Centre, toll free, at 1-855-297-8311.

Sincerely,

Helen Bowker  
Regulatory Appeals Coordinator