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## VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honourable Dennis R. O'Connor Commissioner The Walkerton Inquiry 180 Dundas Street West, 22nd Floor Toronto, Ontario M5G 1Z8

Dear Commissioner O'Connor:

Re: Walkerton Inquiry - Part II - Ontario Water Works Association ("OWWA") and Ontario Municipal Water Association ("OMWA") - Review of Issue 5 - Drinking Water Standards - in the Krewski et al Report "Managing Health Risks from Drinking Water: A Background Paper for the Walkerton Inquiry" - prepared by Dr. Les Gammie on behalf of OWWA/OMWA

As you are aware I am counsel to the OWWA/OMWA, two organizations with Party status in Part II of the Inquiry. In this regard, I am attaching the above referred to review and recommendations prepared by Dr. Les Gammie for OWWA/OMWA. We would ask that this review be placed on the Commission website, and that Dr. Gammie be given an opportunity to appear before you during the Public Hearings to speak to his review and recommendations.

This review is the sixth of ten submission documents to be filed by OWWA/OMWA in the Part II process. I would ask that if Dr. Gammie is permitted to appear before you that I also be permitted to attend with him to assist the Commission, where necessary, in understanding the link between the above document and the other OWWA/OMWA submission documents previously filed and to follow.

I trust the above is satisfactory.

Yours truly,

"Joseph Castrilli"

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