

December 17, 2020

The Right Honourable Justin P.J. Trudeau, P.C. M.P., Prime Minister of Canada Office of the Prime Minister 80 Wellington Street Ottawa, ON K1A 0A2

Dear Right Honourable Prime Minister:

Re: Keystone Pipeline Expansion Project (KXL) Benefits of KXL to Indigenous Communities Benefits of KXL to Canada

Building on a longstanding history between Nations and their similar histories of family, community and traditions, Natural Law Energy Inc. ("NLE") has been formed to build an alliance of Indigenous Nations from multiple traditional territories and multiple Treaty territories, to provide services to its allied members and partners to proactively advise on, promote and advance new economic, commercial and social development growth and opportunities of Indigenous Nations, communities and their people.

In addition to NLE itself, each of the undersigned, represent and are the elected leaders of First Nations in Saskatchewan and Alberta, namely Nekaneet First Nation, with Reserves and Traditional Lands near the Town of Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, Ermineskin Cree Nation, with Reserves and Traditional Lands forming part of the community of Maskwacis, around the Counties of Wetaskiwin and Ponoka, Alberta, Montana First Nation, with Reserves and Traditional Lands around the Counties of Wetaskiwin and Ponoka, Alberta, Louis Bull Tribe, with Reserves and Traditional Lands around the Counties of Wetaskiwin and Ponoka, Alberta and Little Pine First Nation, with Reserves and Traditional Lands around the Village of Paynton, Saskatchewan. As such, we have pledged to dedicate our lives to creating legacy, good health and wealth for our people for future generations and to do so with careful attention to our traditional values and our role as caretakers for Mother Earth.

Consistent with our collective goals, the alliance we have formed as partners of NLE, with participation from Treaty No. 4 and Treaty No. 6 territories, has struck a historic and long-term agreement with TC Energy. This partnership creates a path for our communities to make an equity investment of up to \$1 Billion in KXL. It also includes additional opportunities to invest in future TC Energy infrastructure projects which would generate further revenues. Once in-service, KXL will be one of the most sustainable and safest pipelines ever developed. To that end, we have committed to ensuring that TC Energy stays true to its word and that the pipeline will be held to the absolute highest levels of environmental and social responsibility. Upon this there can be no compromise. Our agreement with TC Energy is truly a testament to what can be accomplished when industry, government and Indigenous groups work together, and is a practical expression of economic reconciliation.

As we know you appreciate, KXL benefits Canada and the United States of America, employing many thousands of workers in a wide range of disciplines, in turn providing for many millions in revenues for the Governments and public programs on both sides of the Canada-USA border, strengthens a secure and stable supply of oil to North American industry and the general global supply and based in part on the NLE participation, will directly benefit Indigenous communities on a long term sustainable basis.

Based on all of the above, we want to thank you for your ongoing strong commitment to and support for the Indigenous Peoples of Canada and KXL, as you and TC Energy and all of its many stakeholders, collectively strive together to improve the quality of life for our not only our communities but also those of all Canadians and Americans.

We understand that the recent U.S. election and the expected transition to a new executive administration in the United States presents could present new challenges and scrutiny for KXL.

Notwithstanding these developments and changes, we look forward to your continuing support for KXL. We are convinced that with your support, we will continue to build better communities, a better Canada, and a more prosperous partnership with the United States of America for generations to come.

Yours very truly,

NATURAL LAW ENERGY INC.

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The Honourable François-Philippe Champagne, P.C. M.P., Minister of Foreign Affairs cc:

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The Honourable Terry Duguid, P.C. M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Economic Development and cc: Official Languages (Western Economic Diversification Canada) and to the Minister of Environment and Climate Change (Canada Water Agency)

Ms. Kirsten Hillman, Ambassador of Canada to the United States of America cc:

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