BRITISH COLUMBIA

SURFACE RIGHTS BOARD INFORMATION SHEET #7

WITHDRAWING AN APPLICATION AND CONSENT ORDERS

An applicant may withdraw all or part of an application at any time. The applicant must complete Form 3 – Notice of Withdrawal and deliver it to the Board with a copy to the other parties.

If the parties settle an application, they must advise the Board. They may withdraw the application and incorporate the terms of settlement into a surface lease, right of way agreement, or other appropriate document, or they may ask the Board to incorporate the terms of the settlement into a consent order.

If the parties request a consent order, the Board may require further information from the parties. This may include attending a case conference or providing written submissions. The Board will make a consent order if it is satisfied the terms of settlement are consistent with the legislation.

The Board may make a consent order with respect to all or part of an application. If the order only covers part of an application, the Board may continue to mediate or arbitrate on the remaining issues.

For questions or other Information Sheets, please contact us or see our web site at:

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Application Forms and Information Sheets are available from any Service BC Centre (Government Agent) and Applications may be delivered to the Board either directly or through Service BC