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Dear Ms. Gilbert:

Greater Toronto Sewer and Watermain Contractors Association and International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 793 – Application for Accreditation, Construction Industry

Oshawa Area Signatory Contractors Association and International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 793 – Application for Accreditation, Construction Industry

We act for the Greater Toronto Sewer and Watermain Contractors Association (the “**GTSWCA**”). As you are aware, two applications for accreditation in the construction industry were filed on Friday, June 4, 2021 – one by the GTSWCA and one by the Oshawa Area Signatory Contractors Association (the “**Oshawa Group**”). There is some potential overlap between the two applications, as both the GTSWCA and the Oshawa Group are each applying to become the accredited employers’ organization for employers performing work in the sewers and watermains sector in Board Area 9 (although the GTSWCA’s accreditation application encompasses other Board Areas and the Oshawa Group’s application encompasses other sectors).

The GTSWCA intends to file an intervention in the Oshawa Group accreditation application. As such, we ask that the Board and the parties ensure that we are copied on the confirmation of filing and all correspondence going forward.

We appreciate your attention to this matter.

Yours truly,



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