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Peter Borrows

Sent:

Sunday, 20 February 2011 8:09 AM

To:

John Tibaldi; Jim Pruss; Helen Moore; 'colin_apelt@

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Peter Borrows

Subject: Re: Manual Compliance - Good News

Great John.

Thanks for passing this through.

Hello Colin.

Appreciate what you are doing. I wasn't aware of the contract issues. We'll sort this on Monday.

Helen, could you please sort that issue. Maybe we could get an update at our meeting.

Thanks Peter.

Thanks.

From: John Tibaldi

Sent: Sunday, February 20, 2011 07:47 AM

To: Peter Borrows; Jim Pruss

Subject: Manual Compliance - Good News

Good news, see below.

From: Colin Apelt [mailto:colin_apelt@

Sent: Saturday, February 19, 2011 08:55 PM

To: John Tibaldi

Subject: Manual Compliance

Hi John,

I know I am going to be busy for most of Monday, hence this email instead of a phone call.

I have completed my detailed review of the extract from the Draft Report (Chs 1, 2, 9 and 10) and I can confirm that I am satisfied that the Manual was complied with throughout the flood event from 06 Jan 2011, 07:42 to 19 Jan 2011, 12:00, in the operation of both Wivenhoe and Somerset Dams.

As mentioned by telephone, there was an exercise of discretion on 11 Jan 2011 at 21:00 when Wivenhoe gate openings were below minimum recommended settings. In my considered opinion, this was appropriate and fully in accordance with the intent of the Manual.

I have noted some minor typos and points of clarification that I wish to discuss with you but these do not and cannot affect the conclusion I have stated above.

I will begin to review the full draft report as soon as I have completed some other urgent tasks.

Regards Colin Apelt

P.S. In due course, it will be necessary for me to report the above conclusion formally through UniQuest they are still sorting out things with Seqwater's lawyers. I hope they can do this before a formal is required!

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