## **AFFIDAVIT**

- I, the undersigned, Harold Chaulk, retiree and ex-worker of Wabush Mines, residing at P.O. Box 12, Deadman's Bay, Newfoundland and Labrador, A0G 1B0, solemnly affirm that:
- i am an ex-worker and retiree from Wabush Mines, directly concerned by the Amended Motion seeking a declaratory relieffor leave to file late claims;
- I began working for Wabush Mines on May 13th 1981;
- 3. I was injured at work on July 1988 and have received Workers Compensation benefits from that time until 2016, while my employment relationship was maintained with Wabush Mines;
- I retired from Wabush Mines on December 1<sup>st</sup> 2016;
- 5. During these years, I maintained insurance coverage under Wabush Mines' Insurance Plan until the inception of the CCAA proceedings and the termination of the insurance of the retirees;
- 6. I was entitled to life and health insurance coverage upon my retirement from Wabush Mines;
- 7. I thought my claim for these post-employment benefits was handled by the United Steelworkers (USW), as the USW did for other retirees arguing in favor of their claim with the Monitor;
- I first heard about my claim not being in USW's files in the days following receipt of an interim distribution by other retirees from Wabush, in September 2018;
- I would have manifested myself earlier if I could have known that my claim was not included with the other retirees' claims;
- If my claim is not recognized, I will suffer from additional hardship, on top of the current financial difficulties caused by the unexpected termination of my health insurance and my medical condition;

500-11-048114-157 Affidavit of Harold Chaulk

And I have signed

HAROLD CHAULK

Solemnly declared before me at Lumsden, on this 29 th day of

October 2018

Commissioner for oaths

JEANIE STOKES

A Commissioner for Oaths in and for the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador. My commission expires on December 31, 2018.