

**THE ELLIOT LAKE
COMMISSION OF INQUIRY**

The Honourable Paul R. Bélanger,
Commissioner



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D'ENQUÊTE ELLIOT LAKE**

L'honorable Paul R. Bélanger,
Commissaire

Supplementary Ruling on Standing – Brian MacDonald

1. On July 18, 2013, I received a motion for standing from Brian MacDonald seeking standing for Part I of the Inquiry.
2. Brian MacDonald is employed by Construction Control Inc.
3. Construction Control Inc. was retained by the Royal Bank of Canada to perform a building condition assessment of the Algo Mall on or about July 6, 2005.
4. On April 24, 2013, Mr. MacDonald testified before the Commission with respect to the Construction Control Inc.'s building condition assessment.
5. Mr. MacDonald is seeking standing for the balance of Part I of the Inquiry in order to make written submissions and to participate in the oral closing submissions on Part I scheduled for August 12 to 14, 2013.
6. For the purpose of the determination of Mr. MacDonald's Motion, I rely on my findings at pages 2 and 3 of my Ruling on Standing and Funding dated November 8, 2012.
7. I agree with Mr. MacDonald's submissions that it has a substantial and direct interest in the subject matter of the Inquiry. I am also of the view that its participation would further the conduct of the Inquiry.
8. In light of the above, I exercise my discretion under Rule 8 of the *Revised Rules of Standing and Funding* to accept Mr. MacDonald's Motion and grant it standing for Part I of the Inquiry.

ISSUED at Ottawa, Ontario, this 18th day of July, 2013.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul R. Bélanger'.

The Honourable Paul R. Bélanger,
Commissioner