



INFORMATION SESSION

**With Representatives of
First Nations and Northern Affairs Aboriginal Communities**

**About the Manitoba Crown Consultation With Respect to
the Churchill River Diversion Hydro Project Final Licence**

**September 17, 2009 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Juniper Centre, 108 Nelson Road, Thompson**

Purpose of Information Session

This Information Session is being hosted by the Government of Manitoba for purposes of sharing information with invited communities about:

- the final provincial Water Power Act licensing process for the Churchill River Diversion Hydro Project; and
- the Crown consultation process framework for the final licence.

Agenda

9:30 a.m.

Registration and Refreshments

10 a.m. to noon

Purpose of Information Session and Introductions – Barb Connell, Consultation Facilitator

Introductory Remarks – Rob Matthews, Manitoba Water Stewardship

Overview of Churchill River Diversion Project – Rick Bowering, Technical Advisor, Manitoba Water Stewardship

Water Power Act Licensing Process – Rob Matthews, Manitoba Water Stewardship

Questions

noon to 1 p.m.

Lunch

1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Crown Consultation Process Framework and Next Steps – Barb Connell, Consultation Facilitator

Questions

Closing Comments