

File No. CT 01/005

THE COMPETITION TRIBUNAL

IN THE MATTER OF THE *COMPETITION ACT*, R.S. 1985, c.C-34, as amended, and the *Competition Tribunal Rules*, SOR/94-290, as amended (the "*Rules*");

AND IN THE MATTER OF an inquiry pursuant to subsection 10(1)(b) of the *Competition Act* relating to the proposed acquisition of all of the issued and outstanding shares of Newalta Corporation by Canadian Crude Separators Inc.

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by the Commissioner for an order, on consent, pursuant to ss. 100 and 105 of the *Competition Act*.

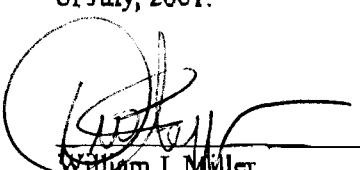
BETWEEN:**THE COMMISSIONER OF COMPETITION****Applicant**

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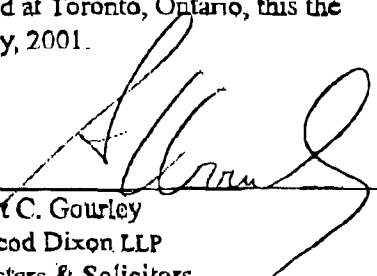
CANADIAN CRUDE SEPARATORS INC.**Respondent****CONSENT**

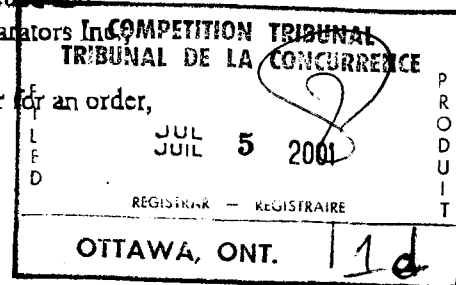
THE PARTIES hereto, by their solicitors, hereby consent to an order abridging the time for service and hearing of the Application for a Consent Interim Order in the form attached hereto as Schedule "T".

Signed at Hull, Quebec, this the day
of July, 2001.


William J. Miller
Duane E. Schippers
Department of Justice
Counsel to the Commissioner of
Competition

Signed at Toronto, Ontario, this the day
of July, 2001.


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Counsel to Canadian Crude Separators Inc.



SCHEDULE I

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DRAFT ORDER ABRIDGING THE TIME FOR SERVICE AND HEARING OF THE APPLICATION

- [1] FURTHER TO the application of the Commissioner of Competition for a Consent Interim Order pursuant to sections 100 and 105 of the *Competition Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-34, and an order abridging the time for service and hearing of the Application;
- [2] AND ON READING the Notice of Application for the Consent Interim Order, the consent order impact statement, the draft consent order and the annexes attached thereto, and the consents of the parties, all of which were filed on July 5th, 2001 and it appearing that the Respondent’s offer to purchase all of the issued and outstanding shares of Newalta

Corporation is to expire on July 6, 2001;

[3] AND ON HEARING the submissions of counsel for the parties on July 5, 2001;

[4] AND ON CONSIDERING sections 100 and 105 of the Competition Act and sections 24, 68, and 76 of the *Competition Tribunal Rules*;

THE TRIBUNAL ORDERS THAT:

[5] The time for service of the materials filed on July 5th is abridged on consent.

[6] The hearing of the Application for an interim consent order shall proceed by consent on July 5th, 2001.

DATED at Ottawa this [insert] date of [insert], 2001.

SIGNED on behalf of the Tribunal by the presiding judicial member.