

## **Directions re: Closing Submissions**

The schedule to make closing submissions is revised as set out below. Those making submissions are divided into two groups: those who wish to make oral submissions and those making written submissions only.

### **Oral Submissions**

1. Any party making oral submissions in public shall file written submissions with the Commission by 5pm on Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Those submissions shall be served on other parties making oral submissions by the same time and upon parties making written submissions only by 5pm on September 12<sup>th</sup>.
2. The government shall file its in-camera submissions with the Commission by 5pm on Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>.
3. Public oral submissions will be heard on September 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> as follows:
  - September 12: 10am to 1pm – Arar  
2pm to 5pm – Government
  - September 13: 10am to 1pm – Government  
2pm to 4pm – Intervenors  
4pm to 5pm – Ottawa Police, OPP
4. In-camera oral submissions:
  - September 14: 10am to 1pm – Government  
2pm to 5pm – Government
  - September 15: 10am to 1pm – Overflow

### **Written Submissions Only**

1. This direction assumes that the parties not mentioned above will make only written submissions and that each submissions may in part refer to NSC material. Those submissions shall be filed with the Commission and served on the Government and parties with NSC clearances by 5pm on September 19<sup>th</sup>.
2. Parties making written submissions only shall indicate, as fully as possible, what parts of those submissions may in their view be made public. The

Government shall review and redact those submissions for purposes of making NSC claims. The Government shall provide the redacted submissions to the Commission on or before October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

3. The Commission will forward the submissions redacted for NSC claims to parties who do not have NSC clearances by October 5<sup>th</sup>.
4. All parties may file written responses to the submissions of others on or before October 14<sup>th</sup>.

Commissioner O'Connor  
Wednesday, August 10, 2005