



MMM RETAINED AS INDEPENDENT ENGINEER FOR QUÉBEC'S FIRST P3 HIGHWAY



October 20, 2008 -- MMM has been retained as the Independent Engineer for a \$1.5 billion project to extend Québec's Highway A-30 to bypass the City of Montreal.

The Ministère des Transports de Québec (MTQ) plans to have the design, construction and operation of the 35 km autoroute undertaken as a public-private partnership (P3). MTQ has awarded the contract to Nouvelle Autoroute 30.

Québec's Autoroute 30, parts of which already exist in some form, will handle traffic between the junction of existing Autoroute 30 and highway 138 in Chateauguay on Montreal's south shore and the junction of Autoroute 20 and 540 in Vaudreuil-Dorion west of the city.

MMM's team, led by Dave Jull and Bob Nairn, includes Michel Vachon of MRC, acting as Chief Engineer for the IE team, and Dominique Quesnel of our Ottawa office. Both Michel and Dominique meet MTQ's requirement to provide bilingual personnel. With other staff to be assigned to the project, their responsibilities will include review of bridge, tunnel and highway designs and oversight of all project design and construction. MMM is currently in the process of establishing a Montreal office for our IE team.

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