

**Licence No.: 2237**

**Licence Issued: December 20, 1996**

In accordance with the Manitoba Environment Act (C.C.S.M. c. E125)

THIS LICENCE IS ISSUED TO:

**MANITOBA HYDRO; "the Licencee"**

for the construction, operation and maintenance of the Development being the St. Vital - TCPL (Ile Des Chenes) 115 kV Transmission Line in accordance with the Proposal filed under The Environment Act on October 22, 1996, and the additional information filed under The Environment Act on December 12, 1996, and subject to the following specifications, limits, terms and conditions:

**GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

This Section of the Licence contains requirements intended to provide guidance to the Licencee in implementing practices to ensure that the environment is maintained in such a manner as to sustain a high quality of life, including social and economic development, recreation and leisure for present and future Manitobans.

1. The Licencee shall, during construction, ensure that any fuel storage areas established for the construction of the Development are located a minimum distance of 100 meters away from waterbodies including wetlands and that the storage areas comply with the requirements of *Manitoba Regulation 97/88R - Storage and Handling of Gasoline and Associated Products*.
2. The Licencee shall ensure that all used petroleum products and other hazardous wastes generated by the machinery used in the construction and operation of the Development are collected and disposed of in accordance with Manitoba Environment and legislative requirements.
3. The Licencee shall, prior to construction, provide a copy of this Licence to each contractor involved in the construction of the Development.

**SPECIFICATIONS, LIMITS, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

4. The Licencee shall, during construction, adhere to the general recommendations on design, construction and maintenance of stream crossings as specified in the Manitoba Department of Natural Resources guidelines titled *Recommended Fish Protection Procedures for Stream Crossings in Manitoba May 1996*.
5. The Licencee shall, as soon as detailed plans and schedules are available and prior to construction, consult and reach an agreement with the Historic Resources Branch regarding the requirements under the Historic Resources Act to undertake an assessment of historic resources within the project right-of-way.
6. The Licencee shall, at the completion of the construction of the Development, landscape and vegetate all erosion prone areas at the crossing of the Seine River or its tributary disturbed during the construction with native plant species and cultivars.
7. The Licencee shall, during the full term of the construction of the Development, cleanup and deposit debris from the construction site at a disposal ground operating under the authority of a permit issued pursuant to *Manitoba Regulation 150/91* respecting *Waste Disposal Grounds*.

**REVIEW AND REVOCATION**

- A. If, in the opinion of the Director, the Licencee has exceeded or is exceeding or has or is failing to meet the specifications, limits, terms, or conditions set out in this Licence, the Director may, temporarily or permanently, revoke this Licence.

- B. If, in the opinion of the Director, new evidence warrants a change in the specifications, limits, terms or conditions of this Licence, the Director may require the filing of a new proposal pursuant to Section 11 of The Environment Act.

"original signed by"

**Larry Strachan, P. Eng.**  
**Director**  
**Environment Act**

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