

Conservation and Water Stewardship

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Rodney Wollmann Springhill Colony Box 849 Neepawa, MB R0J 1H0

Dear Mr. Wollmann:

Re: Notice of Alteration - Springhill Holding Co. Ltd. – Environment Act Licence No. 2156

This letter is in response to the September 23, 2015 letter regarding a Notice of Alteration relative to a proposed plan to repair the Colony's wastewater treatment lagoon with ripraps.

Your letter stated that a recent inspection by our Environment Officer revealed that the east bank of the secondary cell showed signs of erosion and it was proposed to line the bank with riprap.

Your proposal does not include restoration of configuration of the liner to provide at least 1 metre in thickness along the east bank of the secondary cell and how the 1 metre thick liner will meet a hydraulic conductivity of 1×10^{-7} centimetres per second or less as required by Clause 6(ii) and 6(iii) of Environment Act Licence No. 2156. Further, the report does not discuss the construction method that will be followed to ensure that construction specifications are met.

In consideration of the above, please submit a revised Notice of Alteration by **May 30**, **2016**. In accordance with Clauses 11, 12, and 13 of Environment Act Licence No. 2156, the liner will be tested for its integrity upon completion of the repair work.

If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact me at (204) 945-2614.

Yours sincerely,

"Original Signed By"

Asit Dey, P.Eng. Environmental Engineer

c. Don Labossiere/Tim Prawdzik/Peter Crocker/Kayla Hagenson, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch