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Dear Mr. McDermid:

**Re: Environment Act Licence Suspension  
City of Selkirk Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade Plan - Discharge Request**

This letter acknowledges the request made by the City of Selkirk on March 19, 2020 to commence discharge of untreated effluent from the City of Selkirk wastewater collection system to the Red River in contravention to Environment Act Licence (EAL) No. 3273. This request is to enable the wastewater forcemain to connect to the newly constructed City of Selkirk Wastewater Treatment Plant.

I am granting a suspension of Clause 26 and 27 of EAL No. 3273 pursuant to Section 18(1) of The Environment Act, which allows you to proceed with the discharge of untreated effluent into the Red River. The suspension is in effect from April 8, 2020 to April 9, 2020, inclusive.

During the time of the suspension, the following are required:

- Collect and analyze samples in accordance with the proposed sampling plan associated with the March 19, 2020 proposal. Sample analysis results are to be provided to Environment Officer Kris Innes via email to [Kris.Innes@gov.mb.ca](mailto:Kris.Innes@gov.mb.ca) immediately upon receipt.
- Monitor the discharge and report any mechanical breakdown or uncontrolled release of a pollutant into the environment immediately by calling the Environmental Emergency Report Line (204) 944-4888.

Please be advised that all other clauses in EAL No. 3273 remain in effect. Any questions regarding this letter should be directed to Mr. Kris Innes, Environment Officer at (204) 485-5643.

Yours sincerely,

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A/Director, Environmental Compliance and Enforcement

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