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Mr. Stephen McCabe MidCanada Environmental Services 1090 Kenaston Boulevard Winnipeg, MB R3P 0R7 smccabe@gflenv.com

Dear Mr. McCabe:

Re: R.M. of Ritchot Waste Disposal Ground – Notice of Alteration

Receipt of the December 23, 2015 electronic correspondence from D. Ediger Consulting is acknowledged as a notice of alteration in accordance with section 14 of *The Environment Act*.

The requested change to the development as Licensed is the change of elevation from 8 meters above grade to 12 meters above grade for the final elevation of the waste cells.

The potential environmental effect of the requested change to the Development as Licensed is insignificant and considered to be a minor alteration in accordance with section 14(2) of *The Environment Act*. Notwithstanding Clause 31 of Licence No. 2482 R; the requested change to the Development is hereby approved; that being the above grade final elevation of 12 meters specific to cells identified as Cell 1, Cell 2, Cell 3A, Cell 3B, Cell 4 and Cell 5 of the December 23, 2015 submission.

Please be advised that this approval is contingent on the submission of a Notice of Alteration for design changes to the layout of the Development prior to November 1, 2016 and the subsequent acceptance of a revised Environment Act Licence.

If you have any questions, please contact Yvonne Hawryliuk, Regional Supervisor at (204) 945-5305 or via electronic mail at <u>yvonne.hawryliuk@gov.mb.ca</u>.

Yours sincerely,

"original signed by" Tracey Braun, M.Sc. Director

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