

Document A – Minister’s Determination Conditions of Approval

**Pursuant to Regulation 87-83 under the Clean Environment Act
June 9, 2023 - File Number: 4561-3-1560, SR 068002**

- 1 In accordance with section 6(6) of the *Environmental Impact Assessment Regulation – Clean Environment Act*, it has been determined that the undertaking may proceed following approval under all other applicable acts and regulations.
- 2 Commencement of this undertaking must occur within three years of the date of this Determination. Commencement is defined as the start of project-related physical construction activities as identified during the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) review. Should commencement not be possible within this time period, the undertaking must be registered under the *Environmental Impact Assessment Regulation – Clean Environment Act* again, unless otherwise stated by the Minister of Environment and Climate Change.
- 3 The proponent shall adhere to all obligations, commitments, monitoring and mitigation measures presented in the EIA registration document dated December 20, 2022 as well as all those identified in subsequent correspondence during the registration review. Additionally, the proponent shall submit a summary table detailing the status of each Condition listed in this Determination to the Director, EIA Branch, Department of Environment and Local Government (DELG) every six months from the date of this Determination until such a time as all the Conditions have been met or until it is deemed by the Director to be no longer required.
- 4 In the event the project is commenced (i.e., partially completed) and becomes inactive for a period of five years or more after commencement, the undertaking must be registered under the *Environmental Impact Assessment Regulation – Clean Environment Act* again, unless otherwise stated by the Minister of Environment and Climate Change.
- 5 If it is suspected that remains of archaeological significance are discovered during construction, operation, maintenance or during any other project related activity, as per the New Brunswick Heritage Conservation Act, all activity shall be stopped near the find and the Archaeology and Heritage Branch, New Brunswick Department of Tourism, Heritage and Culture (THC), must be contacted immediately at (506) 453-2738 for further direction.

- 6 The proponent must submit a Project-Specific Environmental Management Plan (PSEMP) prior to project commencement to the Director, EIA Branch, DELG for review and approval, to address the management of aspects including, but not limited to, protection of migratory bird, provisions for wildlife response emergency prevention and response plans, measures to diminish the risk of introducing invasive species as identified during the project review.
- 7 The proponent shall ensure that all developers, contractors, and operators associated with the project comply with the above requirements.
- 8 In the event of the sale, lease, or any other conveyance or change of control of the property, or any portion thereof, the proponent must provide written acknowledgement from the lessee, controller, or purchaser confirming that they will comply with the Conditions of this Determination to the Director, EIA Branch, DELG.
- 9 The proponent shall ensure that any proposed project modifications or future expansions are submitted to the Director, EIA Branch, DELG, for review and approval prior to implementing the changes.

