

Conservation and Water Stewardship

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Lorne Midford, President Keeyask Hydropower Limited Partnership 360 Portage Ave. P.O. Box 815, Stn. Main Winnipeg, MB R3C 2P4

Dear Mr. Midford:

Re: Keeyask Generation Project – Environment Act Licence No. 3107

This will acknowledge receipt of the following Environmental Management Plans, Environmental Monitoring Plans and Wetland Drainage Plan submitted pursuant to Clauses 17, 18 and 40 of Environment Act licence no. 3107 on March 31, 2015, June 30, 2015, November 2, 2015 and December 18, 2015:

- Vegetation Rehabilitation Plan, dated December 2015;
- Terrestrial Effects Monitoring Plan, dated December 2015;
- Mercury and Human Health Risk Management Plan, dated December 2015;
- Fisheries Offsetting and Mitigation Plan, dated June 2015;
- Waterways Management Program, dated June 2015;
- Reservoir Clearing Plan, dated April 2015;
- Aquatic Effects Monitoring Plan, dated June 2015;
- Zebra Mussels Monitoring Plan, dated June 2015;
- Terrestrial Mitigation Implementation Plan, dated October 2015;
- Resource Use Monitoring Plan, dated June 2015;
- Socio-Economic Monitoring Plan, dated October 2015;
- Physical Environment Monitoring Plan, dated October 2015;
- Wetland Drainage Plan, March 2015.

Environmental Approvals Branch has reviewed the above plans and has confirmed that they satisfy the requirements of Environment Act Licence no. 3107 and are hereby approved. As a reminder, all finalized plans shall be made available on the Keeyask website for the life of the Keeyask Generation Project.

Should you have any questions about the review process, please contact Darrell Ouimet at (204) 803-1389 or Darrell.Ouimet@gov.mb.ca.

Yours sincerely,

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