

**Licence No.: 2357**

**Licence Issued: September 1, 1998**

**IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANITOBA ENVIRONMENT ACT (C.C.S.M. c. E125)  
THIS LICENCE IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 11(1) TO:**

**MANITOBA HYDRO; "the Licencee"**

for the construction, operation and maintenance of the Development being the rebuild of a portion of the 115 kV double circuit transmission line known as BD 52/BK 41, located in Sections 20 and 17 in 10-18 WPM in the industrial east end of Brandon, in accordance with the Proposal filed under The Environment Act dated June 25, 1998, and subject to the following specifications, limits, terms and conditions:

**GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

This Section of the Licence contains requirements intended to provide guidance to the Licencee in implementing practices to ensure that the environment is maintained in such a manner as to sustain a high quality of life, including social and economic development, recreation and leisure for present and future Manitobans.

1. The Licencee shall, during construction, ensure that any fuel storage areas established for the construction of the Development are located a minimum distance of 100 meters away from waterbodies including wetlands and ensure the storage areas comply with the requirements of *Manitoba Regulation 97/88R - Storage and Handling of Gasoline and Associated Products*.
2. The Licencee shall ensure that all used petroleum products and other hazardous wastes generated by the machinery used in the construction and operation of the Development are collected and disposed of in accordance with Manitoba Environment and legislative requirements.
3. The Licencee shall ensure that non-reusable demolition and construction debris from the Development is disposed of at a waste disposal ground operating under the authority of a permit pursuant to the *Waste Disposal Ground Regulation, Manitoba Regulation 150/91*.
4. The Licencee shall, prior to construction, provide a copy of this Licence and the Environment Act Proposal to the contractor involved in the Development.
5. The Licencee shall ensure during construction and operation of the Development that spills of petroleum or other contaminants are reported to an Environment Officer in accordance with the requirements of *Manitoba Regulation 439/87* respecting *Environmental Accident Reporting*.

**SPECIFICATIONS, LIMITS, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

6. The Licencee shall, prior to construction of the Development contact the Regional Wildlife Manager in Brandon with regard the construction schedule and the presence of rare grassland birds near or along the transmission route.
7. The Licencee shall, at the completion of the construction of the Development, and in consultation with Regional Natural Resources staff, landscape and vegetate all erosion prone areas where the soil has been disturbed by construction.

**REVIEW AND REVOCATION**

- A. If, in the opinion of the Director, the Licencee has exceeded or is exceeding or has or is failing to meet the specifications, limits, terms, or conditions set out in this Licence, the Director may, temporarily or permanently, revoke this Licence.

- B. If, in the opinion of the Director, new evidence warrants a change in the specifications, limits, terms or conditions of this Licence, the Director may require the filing of a new proposal pursuant to Section 11 of The Environment Act.

"original signed by"

**Larry Strachan, P. Eng.**  
**Director**  
**Environment Act**

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