

Ms. Tracey Braun
Director, Environmental Assessment and Licensing Branch
Manitoba Conservation
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Dear Ms. Braun:

Re: Request to extend current terms and conditions of Manitoba Environment Act License 2191E to December 31, 2019

LP would like to thank you for your letter dated November 29, 2012 in which you provided an extension to the terms and conditions identified in the Manitoba Environment Act Licence 2191E through to December 31, 2013.

In December of 2012, Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship granted LP an extension to the Forest Management Licence Agreement out to December 31, 2019. This was in recognition for the extra time needed to complete consultation and revisions to the LP 20 Year Forest Management Plan (FMP) to include strategies for the conservation of moose within Forest Management Unit 13.

LP continues to work with Manitoba Conservation and with the Regional Moose Advisory Committee to help identify a community supported strategy for the long-term conservation of moose populations within FMU 13 (Duck Mountain Provincial Forest Area). Over the coming year, LP is planning to initiate FMP consultation workshops with local and regional stakeholders to work towards a forest management strategy that will serve to complement future moose conservation initiatives. These initiatives will be jointly developed by Manitoba Conservation and First Nation Governments, and other stakeholders within this region.

The work involved to complete consultation and subsequent revisions of the FMP, which also includes Manitoba Conservation Forestry Branch FMP approval, is expected to take more time than was initially anticipated. Therefore, LP is requesting Manitoba Conservation Environmental Assessment and Licensing Branch (EALB) accept this letter as the company's formal application to extend the current terms and conditions of the Manitoba Environment Act License 2191E to December 31, 2019. This date coincides with the recent extension of LP's Forest Management License Agreement issued by Manitoba Conservation Forestry Branch to December 31, 2019.

If you have any questions or require any additional information with respect to this application, please do not hesitate to contact me at 204-734-4102 ext 727.

Sincerely,

Wade Cable

Area Forest Manager

Cc: John Dojack, Director of Forestry, Manitoba Conservation

Mike Blosser, VP of Procurement, Logistics and EHS, LP Corp.

Robert Fournier, Regional Forest Resources Manager, LP Canada Ltd.

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