

## Sustainable Development

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Shannon Johnson Manitoba Hydro 820 Taylor Avenue Winnipeg MB R3M 3T1

Dear Ms. Johnson:

## Re: Bipole III Transmission Project – Environment Act Licence No. 3055

This is in regard to your letter dated July 10, 2017 requesting approval for minor adjustments to the southern ground electrode transmission line route on private land.

It has been determined that the potential environmental effects from the minor route adjustments are insignificant and can be accommodated by the existing limits, terms and conditions of Environment Act Licence No. 3055.

The Environmental Approvals Branch is processing this request as a minor alteration to Environment Act Licence No. 3055, pursuant to clause 14(2)(b) of *The Environment Act*. In accordance with Section 14(2) of *The Environment Act*, I herby grant approval to Manitoba Hydro to implement the proposed alteration.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Ms. Elise Dagdick of this office at Elise.Dagdick@gov.mb.ca.

Yours sincerely,

"originally signed by"

Tracey Braun, M.Sc. Director

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