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Ms. Jolene Bird Chief Administrative Officer Rural Municipality of Montcalm Box 300 Letellier, MB R0G 1C0 cao@rmofmontcalm.com

Dear Ms. Bird:

## Re: RM of Montcalm – St. Jean Baptiste Wastewater Treatment Lagoon – Alteration Environment Act Licence No. 3108

This is in response to a letter of May 4, 2017 from David Kelly of JR Cousin Consultants Ltd. concerning three proposed alterations to the new St. Jean Baptiste wastewater treatment lagoon. The three alterations involve:

- 1. An increase in the size of the cells, facilitating an increase in the organic loading capacity of the facility from 65.15 kg/day of BOD<sub>5</sub> to 68.91 kg/day, and a hydraulic capacity increase from 73,375 m<sup>3</sup> to 79,068 m<sup>3</sup>;
- 2. Use of the south municipal road right-of-way as part of the buffer distance to adjacent property; and
- 3. An extension in the time in the revocation clause (Clause B) of the above licence beyond June 18, 2017.

As the environmental effects of these alterations is insignificant, the alterations are hereby approved pursuant to Section 14(2) of The Environment Act. Clause B is extended one year to June 18, 2018.

Should you have questions concerning this matter, please contact Bruce Webb of this office at <u>Bruce.Webb@gov.mb.ca</u>.

Yours sincerely,

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