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Dave Bowen, P. Eng, M Sc Keeyask Project Manager Manitoba Hydro 360 Portage Ave (17) Winnipeg MB R3C 0G8

Dear Mr. Bowen:

Re: Environment Act Licence No. 3107 – Notice of Alteration

This letter will acknowledge receipt of your letter, dated May 27th, 2015, regarding the proposed alteration to Environment Act Licence no. 3107 issued to Keeyask Hydropower Limited Partnership for the Keeyask Generation Project.

Your letter requests authorization to install two new ice booms in the Nelson River upstream of the Keeyask Generation Project. Your letter notes that previous ice booms have failed and two new ice booms are required to ensure the formation of stable ice cover upstream of the construction site.

As the potential environmental effects resulting from the proposed alteration can be addressed through existing licensing conditions and associated protection measures, the alteration is hereby approved pursuant to Section 14(2) of the Environment Act.

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

Yours truly,

"originally signed by"

Tracey Braun, M. Sc. Director

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