In accordance with the Manitoba Environment Act (C.C.S.M. c. E125)
THIS LICENCE IS ISSUED TO:

MANITOBA HYDRO; APPLICANT

The following terms and conditions shall be complied with in connection with the construction of a 230 kV transmission line between the Town of Birtle and the Town of Harrowby, Manitoba:

1. The Applicant shall construct the 230 kV transmission line on preferred route #6 in accordance with the construction, operation, and maintenance considerations specified in the Manitoba Hydro Transmission and Stations Engineering and Construction Report entitled, "Birtle-Harrowby 230 kV Transmission Line Preferred Route Selection, July 1989."

2. The Applicant shall, in consultation with the Historic Resources Branch, carry out a heritage resource impact assessment and mitigation as necessary, of the preferred route #6 following the transmission line centre-line survey and prior to construction.

3. The Applicant shall:
   a) consult with the Department of Natural Resources Forestry Branch regarding the utilization of merchantable timber along the transmission line right-of-way;
   b) apply the Stream Crossing Guidelines where the transmission line crosses streams and consult with Fisheries Branch prior to any construction in and around streams;
   c) establish transmission line corridor spraying buffer zones around streams;
d) minimize the impacts to wetlands and the clearing of native vegetation along the right-of-way; and,

e) dispose of brush piles in an approved manner and revegetate the right-of-way with native species, where clearing is necessary and with particular attention to those areas where the transmission line crosses Crown land.

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Director  
Environmental Control Services