Licence No. 1659  
Issue Date APRIL 21, 1993

In accordance with the Manitoba Environment Act (C.C.S.M. c. E125)

THIS LICENCE IS ISSUED TO:

THE PROVINCE OF MANITOBA REPRESENTED BY THE MINISTER OF HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION: The "Licencee"

for the construction and operation of the Development being the upgrading of Provincial Trunk Highway #2 located in the Rural Municipality of Victoria. The Development consists of:

a) the upgrading of Provincial Trunk Highway #2 beginning at the east boundary of the Rural Municipality of Victoria and extending in a westerly direction along the existing highway to the junction of PTH #2 and PR #342; and

b) the upgrading of the Cypress River Access Road beginning at the junction of the Cypress River Access Road and PTH #2 and extending in a southerly direction along the existing Access Road to the Cypress River Access Road/Cypress Avenue intersection in Cypress River,

and shall be subject to the following specifications, limits, terms and conditions.

SPECIFICATIONS, LIMITS, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1) The Licencee shall construct the Development in accordance with the Environment Act Proposal, Proposed Upgrading of PTH #2 (from the east boundary of the R.M. of Victoria to west of PR #342) and the Cypress River Access Road, filed with the Department on January 14, 1993.

2) The Licencee shall, prior to construction of the Development, reach an agreement with the Department of Natural Resources Regional Wildlife staff on wetland replacement and enhancement of borrow sites related to the Development.

3) The Licencee shall, during construction, place straw mats on all exposed highway embankments adjacent to wetlands impacted by the Development.

4) The Licencee shall, prior to construction, consult and reach an agreement with the Manitoba Department of Natural Resources and Manitoba Hydro regarding the method of placement of all hydro poles to be relocated into wetland areas.

5) The Licencee shall, during construction of the Cypress River tributary crossing associated with the Development, adhere to the Manitoba Department of Natural Resources Guidelines titled Recommended Fish Protection Procedures for Stream Crossings in Manitoba.

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6) The Licencee shall, during construction of the Development, prevent permanent drainage works from being developed onto the highway right-of-way from properties located on 7-7-12W and SW 16-7-12W.

7) The Licencee shall retain a 30 meter buffer between the highway right-of-way and borrow sites associated with the Development in areas where bush exists along the highway.

8) The Licencee shall, prior to the completion of construction of the Development, reach an agreement with the Department of Natural Resources, Regional Wildlife staff on the plant species to be seeded and the schedule for seeding at the Cypress River tributary crossing site and at wetlands impacted by the Development.

9) The Licencee shall, following completion of construction, remove all access roads to borrow sites associated with the Development.

10) The Licencee shall, during construction, ensure that all fuel storage areas associated with the Development comply with the requirements of Manitoba Regulation 97/88R respecting Storage and Handling of Gasoline and Associated Products Regulation.

11) The Licencee shall, during construction, dispose of all sewage and sullage from sanitary facilities in accordance with Manitoba Regulation 95/88 respecting Private Sewage Disposal System and Privies.

12) The Licencee shall, during the full term of the construction of the Development, cleanup and deposit all debris from the construction site at a Waste Disposal Ground operating under the authority of a permit issued pursuant to Manitoba Regulation 98/89 respecting Waste Disposal Grounds.

REVOCAION

If in the opinion of the Director the Licencee has exceeded or is exceeding the limits, or has not complied or is not complying with the specifications, terms and conditions set out herein, the Director may revoke, temporarily or permanently, this Licence.

Larry Strachan, P. Eng.
Director, Environment Act

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