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 upgrade of Provincial Road #317 beginning at PTH #59 in the Rural Municipality of St. Clements and extending easterly for a distance of 15.8 km. to a point east of the Brokenhead River crossing in the Rural Municipality of Brokenhead 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 Provincial Road #317 (from PTH #59 to the Brokenhead River), dated March, 1993.

2. The Licencee shall, prior to beginning any construction of the portion of the Development which borders the Libau Ecological Reserve, submit to the Director for approval the results of a biological survey. The survey shall inspect, identify and report on the existing natural features and vegetation along both sides of Provincial Road #317 which borders the Libau Bog Ecological Reserve.

3. The Licencee shall, prior to construction startup, instruct the on-site project construction supervisor to arrange a pre-construction meeting with the Manitoba Environment Eastern - Interlake Regional Office and the Department of Natural Resources Southeastern Regional Office in order to ensure compliance with the specifications, limits, terms and conditions of this Licence during the full term of construction of the Development.

4. The Licencee shall construct all stream crossings along the relocated right-of-way in accordance with the Manitoba Department of Natural Resources Recommended Fish Protection Procedures for Stream Crossings in Manitoba.

5. The Licencee shall, prior to construction, obtain a timber removal permit from the Department of Natural Resources for cutting and removing any timber associated with the Development.
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6. The Licencee shall, from April 1 to June 15 of each year during construction, cease all construction activities that may impact upon the Libau Drain or the Brokenhead River and which may affect fish mobility and fish habitat.

7. The Licencee shall, during construction, ensure that fuel storage areas established for the construction of the Development are located a minimum distance of 100 meters away from the high water line of the Libau Drain and the Brokenhead River, and shall comply with the requirements of Manitoba Regulation 97/88R respecting Storage and Handling of Gasoline and Associated Products.

8. 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 pursuant to Manitoba Regulation 150/91R respecting Waste Disposal Grounds.

REVOCATION

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 or conditions set out herein, the Director may revoke, temporarily or permanently, this Licence.

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