

Sustainable Development

Environmental Stewardship Division Environmental Approvals Branch 123 Main Street, Suite 160, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R3C 1A5 T 204 945-8321 F 204-945-5229 www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/eal

File: 2754.10

March 28, 2017

Mr. Sheldon Stott, P.Ag. Director of Environmental Affairs HyLife Foods LP Box 10000, 623 Main Street Neepawa, MB R0J 1H0

Dear Mr. Stott:

Re: HyLife Foods LP (HyLife Foods) – Environment Act Licence No. 1102 R – Notice of Alteration

Receipt of your March 23, 2017 letter is acknowledged as a notice of alteration in accordance with Section 14 of *The Environment Act*.

The requested change to the Development as Licensed is for the temporary transfer of truck wash wastewater from HyLife Foods to the Town of Neepawa wastewater treatment lagoon. Currently, all truck wash wastewater is sent to the R3 Innovations Inc. wastewater treatment facility.

The information provided states that the R3 Innovations Inc. facility is nearing capacity and has undergone a full engineering assessment to determine the processing capacity of the existing infrastructure. Based on this assessment, immediate changes will be implemented at the facility. However, the temporary transfer of approximately four to six 8000-gallon tanker loads of truck wash wastewater per day from HyLife Foods to the Town of Neepawa wastewater treatment lagoon will provide necessary process capacity at the R3 Innovations Inc. facility.

The letter states that the Town of Neepawa is willing to accept the truck wash wastewater from HyLife Foods and that the wastewater treatment lagoon has the required capacity to accept the wastewater.

The potential environmental effect of the requested change to the Development as Licensed is insignificant and considered to be a minor alteration in accordance with Section 14(2) of *The Environment Act*. Approval is hereby granted for the alteration to the Development as described in the March 23, 2017 letter and subject to the following conditions:

1. The Licencee shall notify the assigned Environment Officer prior to beginning the transfer of truck wash wastewater to the Town of Neepawa wastewater treatment lagoon;

- 2. The Licencee may be required to transfer the truck wash wastewater to a licensed location other than the Town of Neepawa wastewater treatment lagoon, as determined by the Director; and
- 3. The approval for the transfer of the HyLife Foods truck wash wastewater terminates six weeks from the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Winsor, P.Eng. at 204-945-7012.

Yours sincerely,

haver Sean

Tracey Braun, M.Sc. Director

 c. Don Labossiere/Tim Prawdzik/Peter Crocker– Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch, Manitoba Sustainable Development Jennifer Winsor – Environmental Approvals Branch, Manitoba Sustainable Development Public Registries