

Conservation and Climate

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Tamsin Patience P. Eng. **Technical Manager** Canadian Kraft Paper Industries Ltd. PO. Box 1590 The Pas MB R9A 1L4 tamsin.patience@ckpi.com

Dear Tamsin Patience:

Thank you for the letter dated December 7, 2020 in which you requested alteration to the following monitoring or reporting requirements due to the continued COVID-19 pandemic. In accordance with Section 14 of The Environment Act, your requests as follows have been accepted as a notice of alteration:

- 1. An extension request to Environment Act Licence #1339 RR Part A, Section 4 that requires reporting within 30 days of end of the month to within 90 days of end of the month.
- 2. An extension request to DGH&T Act Licence #102 HW RRR Section 16 Air Emission Management that requires bi-annual stack testing to defer scheduled testing from 2021 to 2022. Since the most recent stack testing in 2019, there have not been any major changes to the boilers or lime kiln.

After carefully reviewing your alteration requests, I have concluded that the environmental effects of one of the proposed alterations will be insignificant, and therefore, in accordance with Section 14(2) of The Environment Act your alteration to postpone the stack testing from 2021 to 2022 is hereby approved.

The approval request to extend the monthly effluent reporting from within 30 days of end of the month to within 90 days of end of the month is not approved at this time. It is critical that reporting of effluent quality not be delayed in order to ensure that your facility is operating as intended and to address any concerns expeditiously. The effluent reporting shall proceed as per the licence requirement. However, the format of the reporting may be able to be amended to increase the ease of reporting. Please contact your local environment officer to discuss potential changes to the reporting format.

If you have any questions related to the above, please feel free to contact Cristal Huculak, Regional Supervisor at 204-627-8248 or by email at Cristal.Huculak@gov.mb.ca.

Yours sincerely,

Shannon Kohler Director The Environment Act

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