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November 10, 2014

Ms. Randi Cyr Manager, Operations Compliance Crop Production Services Canada Unit E - 759 First Street Brandon, MB R7A 2X5

Dear Ms. Cyr:

## **<u>Re: Minor Alteration – Crop Production Services – Anhydrous Ammonia Storage Vessels</u>**

Thank you for your November 4, 2014 Notice of Alteration (NoA) filed with respect to four anhydrous ammonia storage sites presently operated by Crop Production Services Canada, specifically:

- Fork River (Environment Act Licence No. 1912RRR, Client File No. 3845.00, SE <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> 1-30-19 WPM, Rural Municipality of Mossey River),
- Reston (Environment Act Licence No. 2344 RR, Client File No. 4330.00, SE <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> 24-7-28 WPM, Rural Municipality of Pipestone),
- Kane (Environment Act Licence No. 1963 RR, Client File No. 3883.00, NW <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> 32-4-2 WPM, Rural Municipality of Morris), and
- Darlingford(Environment Act Licence No. 1624 RR, Client File No. 3522.10, SW ¼ 9-3-7 WPM, Rural Municipality of Pembina).

The alteration consists of the construction of one additional anhydrous ammonia storage vessel for each site (additional capacity of 30, 000 US gallons per site). No other changes to the operation of the developments were proposed.

Upon review of the alteration request, I have concluded that the environmental effects of the proposed alteration will be insignificant, and, therefore, in accordance with Section 14(2) of *The Environment Act* you are hereby authorized to carry out the proposed alteration as described in the November 4, 2014 Notice of Alteration.

Please be advised that this approval is contingent on the acceptance of a revised Environment Act Licence that will be issued in the near future. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Ms. Krystal Penner at (204) 945-7107. For any further information on the administration and application of the current Licenses, please feel free to contact the Regional Operations Compliance and Enforcement Branch main office at (204) 945-0675.

Yours truly, "original signed by"

Tracey Braun, M. Sc. Director *Environment Act* 

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