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August 17, 2020

Oleg Ulyanov Diageo Canada Inc. 19107 Distillery Road Gimli, MB R0C 1B0

Re: Diageo Gimli Plant Reverse Osmosis Reject Water Disposal - Notice of

Alteration

Dear Oleg Ulyanov:

This is in response to a Notice of Alteration dated June 8, 2020. The alteration involves the disposal of reject water from a new reverse osmosis water treatment system by discharging it with the existing non-contact cooling water stream to Lake Winnipeg. Other wastewater streams would continue to be discharged to the Rural Municipality of Gimli wastewater treatment facility.

I concur that the environmental effects associated with the alteration are insignificant. Accordingly, implementation of the alteration is approved pursuant to Clause 14(2) of The Environment Act. Diageo Canada Inc. must remain in compliance with its industrial services agreement with the Rural Municipality.

For any questions you may have concerning this approval, please contact Jennifer Winsor, Environmental Engineer, Environmental Approvals at Jennifer.Winsor@gov.mb.ca or 204-945-7012.

Sincerely,

Originally Signed By

Shannon Kohler, Director The Environment Act

cc. Peter Crocker - Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Jennifer Winsor - Environmental Approvals Kyla Kirk - Jacobs Public Registry