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PROPOSENENT: Crop Production Services Canada Inc.
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(Ninga/RM of Killarney Turtle Mountain)

CLASS OF DEVELOPMENT: 1
TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT: Bulk Materials Handling Facility
CLIENT FILE NO.: 5787.00

OVERVIEW:

The Proposal was filed by Crop Production Services Canada Inc. for the continued operation of a bulk granular handling and distribution facility located at 219 Railway Street on the SW ⅛ of 19-3-18 WPM Municipality of Killarney-Turtle Mountain. The development consists of a bulk granular fertilizer shed with a 550 metric tonne capacity, two hopper bins with 200 metric tonne capacity and associated blenders and conveyors.

The Proposal was advertised in the Killarney Guide on Friday August 14, 2015. Copies of the proposal were placed in the Public Registries at the Legislative Library, 200 Vaughan St., Winnipeg; Millennium Public Library, 4th Floor, 251 Donald St., Winnipeg; and the Online Registry. The proposal was distributed to the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) on August 13, 2015. The closing date for TAC and public comments was on September 14, 2015

COMMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

No public responses were received.

COMMMENTS FROM THE TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Following is a summary of TAC comments received pertaining to the Proposal. Copies of the original comments from TAC are available in the Public Registries.

Manitoba Agriculture, Food and Rural Development – Crops Branch

No concerns.

Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Crown Lands Branch

No concerns/comments.

Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Air Quality Section
The proposal is not expected to have any significant impact on air quality.

**Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Office of Drinking Water**

No concerns.

**Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Parks and Protected Spaces Branch**

No comments or concerns.

**Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Water Control Works and Drainage Licensing Section**

No concerns.

**Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Water Use Licensing**

No concerns.

**Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship – Wildlife Branch**

No wildlife related concerns.

**Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation**

No concerns.

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

A public hearing is not recommended.

**CROWN-ABORIGINAL CONSULTATION:**

The Government of Manitoba recognizes it has a duty to consult in a meaningful way with First Nations, Métis communities and other Aboriginal communities when any proposed provincial law, regulation, decision or action may infringe upon or adversely affect the exercise of a treaty or Aboriginal right of that First Nation, Métis community or other Aboriginal community.

The proposal involves the continued operation of granular fertilizer handling and distribution facility in an agricultural area. Adverse effects on surface water or habitat for wildlife or fisheries are not anticipated.

Since resource use is not affected by the project, it is concluded that Crown-Aboriginal consultation is not required for the project.
RECOMMENDATION:

All comments received have been addressed through additional information, or can be addressed through licence conditions. It is recommended that the Development be licensed under The Environment Act subject to the limits, terms and conditions as described on the attached Draft Environment Act Licence. It is further recommended that enforcement of the Licence be assigned to the Western Region of the Environmental Compliance and Enforcement Branch.

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