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May 3, 2022

Daymon Guillas
President
Potash and Agri-Development Corporation
of Manitoba Ltd. (PADCOM)
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Dear Daymon Guillas:

Re: PADCOM – Public Hearing Decision

The department received public comments on your application for an Environment Act Licence for a potash mine and processing plant.

Public comments focused on the class of development designation, potential surface water runoff, groundwater contamination, and air emissions. Several commenters indicated support for the project. A team of provincial technical experts also reviewed the application.

The branch sent comments to you for information and response. All comments and responses are posted on the public registry at:
<https://www.gov.mb.ca/sd/eal/registries/6126/index.html>.

The Environmental Approvals Branch's review is ongoing, and a licence has not been issued. The review process will address all comments and the potential environmental effects of the proposal. Therefore, I am not recommending a Clean Environment Commission public hearing to the Minister of Environment, Climate and Parks.

The branch will notify the members of the public who participated in the assessment process about this decision. The decision may be appealed to the Minister of Environment, Climate and Parks by June 2, 2022.

If you have follow-up questions, please contact Jennifer Winsor, P.Eng., Senior Environmental Engineer, Environmental Approvals Branch at Jennifer.Winsor@gov.mb.ca or 204-945-7012.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:
James Capotosto
Director

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