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Re: Water license # 3BM-QIK712 Renewal application

Dear Ms. Beaulieu,

I am writing in response to your e-mail dated September 18, 2013 where you have indicated the renewal application file is deficient. Please see below my responses to your questions:

Question 1: Submission of a Sewage Sludge Treatment Management Plan required under Part D Item 6 of the current License:

Answer: Hamlet has two sewage lagoons and they can be operated independently. The total capacity of both cells is sufficient enough to meet the requirements of the Community until 2028. The Sludge will be remained at the bottom of the lagoons and there is no plan to be removed from there.

Question 2: Submission of wetland Treatment Area assessment required under Part D item 7 of the Current License.

Answer: The Figure 14 of the attached O&M manual in Appendix-A shows the total wetland area and the monitoring points. During decanting, Hamlet is taking samples and testing them in an accredited laboratory in Ottawa named Caduceon Environmental Lab. The test results at Monitoring point # Qiq 12 will measure the efficiency of the wetland treatment. These results will be attached with the Annual report each year. Hamlet is in the process to establish this requirement. Annual report for 2012 is attached in Appendix-B.

Question 3: Submission of final Construction Report required under Part E Item 9 of the Current License;

Answer: Attached in Appendix-C.



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Question-4: Submission of the O&M plan for the Landfarm facility under Part F Item 11 of the current amendment.

Answer: The construction of the Landfarm is on hold due to funding. Nothing is expected to be happened until next year summer. O&M manual will be developed as soon as the construction of this facility is complete.

Question 5: Implementation of the monitoring program and submission of results of monitoring in annual report required under Part H of the current License.

Answer: Hamlet has started extended sampling and testing program to satisfy the requirements of the Monitoring program under Part H of the Water License. The test results of 2012 will be attached with the Annual report and submitted to NWB on or before March 31, 2013

If you have any questions or require further clarification with regards to the above issue, Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Thanking You.

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