



MINISTER OF CONSERVATION

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Eric Reder Western Canada Wilderness Committee 3rd floor, 303 Portage Avenue Winnipeg MB R3B 2B4

Dear Mr. Reder:

Further to your letter of September 11, 2009 concerning Environment Act Licence No. 2896, I have reviewed and carefully considered the Licensing decision for this project.

The concerns expressed in the appeals of the Licence involved matters that were identified and received thorough consideration during the environmental assessment of the project.

On the basis of this review, I have decided to dismiss your appeal in accordance with Section 27(2)(d) of The Environment Act. This decision has been approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council as required by Section 27(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely,

Stan Struthers

Minister