

Province of British Columbia Water Act

FINAL WATER LICENCE

British Columbia Power Hydro and Power Authority is hereby authorised to divert and use water as follows:

- a) The stream on which the rights are granted is Ash River.
- b) The points of diversion and rediversion are PD30269 and PD30270 respectively, located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is July 10, 1996.
- d) The purpose for which this licence is issued is power, which is to be generated at the Ash River Generating Station.
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted and used each year under this licence is 150,900 cubic decametres, which diversion shall occur at point PD30270 as shown on the attached plan, at a rate not exceeding 15.5 cubic metres per second when combined with diversion licence Final Water Licence 119975.
- f) Water may be diverted and used throughout the whole year.
- g) This licence is appurtenant to the undertaking of the British Columbia Hydro Power and Authority to generate and supply power from the Ash River Generating Station, situated on Block A of District Lot 1993 Clayoquot District.
- h) The authorised works are tunnels and conduit, located as shown on the attached plan.
- i) The licensee must operate the works authorized in h) above in accordance with an order of the Comptroller that:
 - 1. Sets values for the parameters for the minimum release from Elsie Lake Dam into Ash River which is based on the Ash River Water Use Plan dated October 4, 2004;
 - 2. Requires a monitoring programme to evaluate the effectiveness of the regulation of the works as ordered in (1) above. The monitoring programme is to be based on the Ash River Water Use Plan dated October 4, 2004; and

- 3. Amends the parameters and procedures ordered in (1) above in consideration of the results of the monitoring programme in (2) above.
- j) The rights granted by this licence shall expire on October 1, 2044.

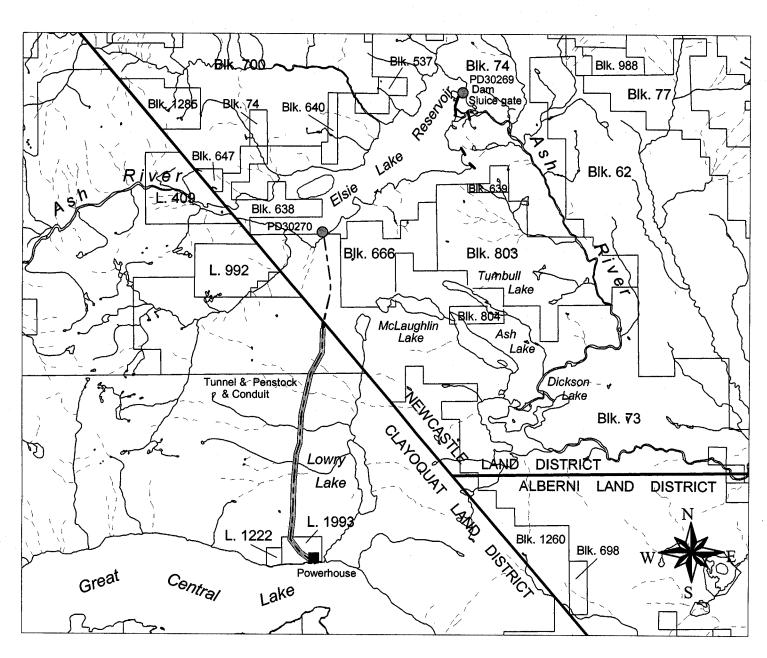
Pieter J. Bekker. Deputy Comptroller of Water Rights

File 0212196

Date Issued: Oct. 4, 2004

Final Licence 110835





WATER DISTRICT: PRECINCT:

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Signature:

Oct. 4, 2004

LEGEND:

Scale: 1:85,000

Points of Diversion & Rediversion:

Map Number: WR 92F/SW-E

Pipe: Permit over Crown Land:

Saddle Dams:

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