

## Province of British Columbia Water Act

## CONDITIONAL WATER LICENCE

The owner(s) of the land to which this licence is appurtenant is/are hereby authorized to divert/use/store water as follows:

- a) The stream on which the rights are granted is Laux Creek.
- b) The point of diversion is located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is June 29, 2010.
- d) The purposes for which this licence is issued Domestic, Storage and Power (Residential).
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted for domestic use is 1.83 cubic metres per day and the maximum quantity which may be held in live storage is 874.0 cubic metres per year. The maximum quantity of water which may be used for Power (Residential) is 0.0025 cubic metres per second and must not exceed 10% of the stream flow at the time of extraction.
- f) The period of the year during which the water may be used for Domestic use is the whole year and for Power (Residential) is the whole year while maintaining fish passage.
- g) The land upon which water is to be used is District Lot 1971, Range 5, Coast District on which a powerhouse is situated, and the land to which the licence is appurtenant is said land.
- h) The authorized works are diversion structure, screened intake, head pond, dam, pipe, powerhouse and tailrace which shall be located approximately as shown on the attached plan.
- i) The construction of the said works shall be completed to the standards specified within the application package and supporting documentation and the water shall be beneficially used prior to December 31, 2017. Thereafter, the licensee shall continue to make regular beneficial use of the water in the manner authorized herein.
- j) Within 6 months of the issuance of this licence an Operation, Maintenance and Surveillance Plan (OMS) for the configuration of the works shall be submitted to this office for acceptance by the Regional Water Manager.

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- k) The power generation pursuant to this licence may be supplied to one dwelling on District Lot 1971, Range 5, Coast District as shown on the attached plan.
- 1) This licence is issued under the *Water Act* (the Act). The exercise of rights under the licence is subject to the *Act* and its regulations, the terms and conditions of the licence, orders under the *Act* and the rights of licensees whose rights have precedence on the stream. The licensee must comply with all such requirements, as well as the provisions of all other applicable enactments. In exercising rights under the licence, the licensee must exercise reasonable care to avoid damaging land, works, trees or other property, and must make full compensation to the owners for damage or loss resulting from construction, maintenance, use, operation or failure of the works.
- m) The diversion of water authorized under this licence may be restricted or prohibited at any time by an Order in writing of an Engineer under the *Water Act*, in order to maintain a minimum flow in the stream.

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