

Province of British Columbia Water Act

CONDITIONAL WATER LICENCE

The owners of the undertaking to which this licence is appurtenant are hereby authorized to divert and use water as follows:

- a) The stream on which the rights are granted is Kamloops Lake.
- b) The point of diversion is located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is December 18, 2013.
- d) The purpose for which this licence is issued is Mining- processing ore.
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted for Mining- processing ore is 1,322,400 cubic metres per year with a maximum withdrawal rate of 6960 cubic metres per day.
- f) The period of the year during which the water may be used is the whole year.
- g) The land upon which the water is to be used and to which this licence is appurtenant is the mining project of the licensee within Mining Lease 546063, Kamloops Division Yale District.
- h) The authorized works are a screened intake, pumps, pipe, tanks and flow measuring device which shall be located approximately as shown on the attached plan.
- i) The construction of the said works has been completed and the water is being used. The licensee shall continue to make regular beneficial use of the water in a manner authorized herein.
- j) 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.

- k) The licensee shall install a flow measuring device to the satisfaction of an Engineer under the Water Act.
- 1) The licensee shall retain flow meter records for inspection upon request by an Engineer under the Water Act.

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