



Province of British Columbia

Water Sustainability Act

CONDITIONAL WATER LICENCE

Teck Metals Ltd. of PO Box 1000, 25 Aldridge Avenue, Trail BC, V1R 4L8 is hereby authorized to divert and use water as follows:

- a) The stream on which the rights are granted is the Columbia River.
- b) The point of diversion is located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is August 1, 2013.
- d) The purpose for which this licence is issued is land improvement (remediation).
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted under this licence is 104,000 cubic metres per year, at a maximum rate of withdrawal of 0.36 cubic metres per minute.
- 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 land improvement project of the licensee, as described in the report titled 'Environmental Assessment for the Indian Eddy Remediation Project' authored by Masse Environmental, dated July 2013, within that portion of the Columbia River, as shown on the attached plan, lying west of District Lot 2919, Kootenay District, and to the lands on which Teck Metals Ltd.'s Trail Operations are constructed, as set out in Final Water Licence 011790.
- h) The authorized works are screened intake, pump, pump skid, discharge pipe, cable, and electrical kiosk 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 Sustainability 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 or on an aquifer. 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) To construct and maintain the works authorized under clause (h) of this licence, the licensee must maintain an Environmental Management Plan (referred to as the EMP) for the management and mitigation of construction and maintenance impacts, which is to be to the satisfaction of an Engineer under the *Water Sustainability Act*.
- l) This licence terminates on December 31, 2033. Prior to the termination date, the licensee may apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights or the Water Manager in accordance with the provisions of the *Water Sustainability Act* to amend this licence to extend its term.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Thomas W. Cummings', with a stylized, sweeping flourish at the end.

Thomas W. Cummings, A. Ag.
Assistant Water Manager