



Province of British Columbia

Water Sustainability Act

CONDITIONAL WATER LICENCE

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

- a) The streams on which the rights are granted are Wolf Creek, Willow Creek North, Willow Creek South and Wilde Creek.
- b) The points of diversion are located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is December 8, 2015.
- d) The purpose for which this licence is issued is Miscellaneous Industrial: Sediment Control.
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted is the whole flow.
- 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 that part of Parcel 35 (see 85163I) which lies to the north of the extension easterly of the southerly boundary of District Lot 3049 to the easterly boundary, District Lot 4588, except parts included in Plans 9330, 11279, 12976, 12977, 12978, 12979, 12980, 15889, NEP21818 and NEP70656 and Lot 1, District Lot 4588, Plan 11279 except Plans 572, 12976, NEP70655 and NEP70656, all of Kootenay District.
- h) The authorized works are diversion structures, ditch, pipe and settling ponds, which shall be located approximately as shown on the attached plan.
- i) The construction of the said works shall be completed and the water shall be beneficially used prior to December 31, 2020. Thereafter, the licensee shall continue to make regular beneficial use of the water in the 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.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "P. Johnstone".

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