



PERMIT UNDER THE WATER ACT AUTHORIZING THE OCCUPATION OF CROWN LAND

The holder of Conditional Water Licence 65797, being the Honourable Minister of Fisheries and Oceans at the date of issue of the said licence, whose licence authorizes the use of water from Woodhus Creek, is hereby authorized to occupy Crown Land by constructing, maintaining and operating thereon the works authorized under the said licence and any licence which may be issued in substitution thereof.

- (a) The Crown Land which is authorized to be occupied under this permit are portions of Block 29, Comox District, shown as returned to the Crown on Plan 46696, the locations of which are shown approximately on the plan attached to the said water licence.
- (b) The approximate dimensions of the Crown Land authorized to be occupied under this permit are 3 fishways, each being 100 feet in length by 50 feet in width and having a total area of 0.34 acre.
- (c) The permittee may cut and remove from the said Crown Land any timber necessary to permit construction and maintenance of the said works. Prior to the cutting, destruction or flooding of any timber, the permittee shall apply for and obtain a licence to cut timber from the District Forester and the amount of stumpage, royalty and (or) compensation payable to the Crown in respect of trees, including merchantable or young growth, cut, removed, damaged, or destroyed by the permittee, shall be the sum or sums fixed by the Forest Service of the Province of British Columbia.
- (d) This permit is appurtenant to the land, mine or undertaking to which the aforesaid water licence is appurtenant.
- (e) This permit shall become void if the water licence with respect to which the permit is issued should terminate, be abandoned or cancelled, or amended so as to render this permit unnecessary.
- (f) This permit is issued and accepted on the understanding that the permittee shall indemnify and save harmless the Government of the Province of British Columbia for all loss, damage to works, cost or expense suffered by the permittee by reason of the Crown Land or any portion thereof being submerged or damaged by erosion or otherwise affected by flooding.
- (g) The holder of this permit shall not be entitled to compensation if the Crown grants permits to other persons to occupy the land affected by this permit.
- (h) In the event of a dispute at any time with respect to the area or boundaries of the land affected by this permit, the holder shall, at his own expense, have the said land surveyed by a duly qualified surveyor.

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